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Previous number

Keynes 1(2)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer Name Bonar, James

Descriptor

Person

Role Name

Descriptor

Date

Place

Document form

Record type Specific type

Acquisition Summary

Language

Content

Summary

Free field

Person Name Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

Condition

Publication record Type Reference

Related material

Type

Reference number

Bonar, James

Junior Examiner, H.M. Civil Service Commission

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

26.2.1892

[London] Westminster, Civil Service Commission

Correspondence

Letter English

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Asks Keynes to examine in Logic and Mental Philosophy for the new scheme to select members of the Indian Civil Service. His co-examiner will be [?John Cook] Wilson of Oriel. The examiners will probably be asked to prepare a paper and examine viva voce. Can both be done in August? About 70

candidates expected.

John Cook Wilson was Wykeham Professor of Logic at Oxford

1889-1915

Wilson, ?John Cook JNKeynes - as examiner

1 sheet; 3 pp.text. First page embossed with seal of Civil

Service Commission.

Sound

JNKeynes 1/2

Previous number

Keynes 1(3)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Name Bonar, James

Descriptor

Person Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor** 23.10.1896 Date

[London] Westminster, Civil Service Commission **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Since it would be awkward for Keynes to be both referee and **Summary**

examiner, "my Board" prefer to drop the referee aspect, which they hope will improve the prospects of keeping his services

Senior Examiner, H.M. Civil Service Commission

as examiner.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp.text. First page embossed with seal of Civil

Service Commission.

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/3

Previous number

Keynes 1(4)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role **Name** Bonar, James

Descriptor

Senior Examiner, Civil Service Commission

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor** Date 30.8.1898

[London] Westminster, Civil Service Commission **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Keynes should not feel obliged to note every error [in

examination papers]. "As to deductions, some years ago we revealed the mystery by printing at the head of the table of marks that one fifth was deducted. So you may take it that if you give a man less than 100 out of 500, he will make nothing

by it.

First page annotated in pencil "Not wanted again - F.A.K" Free field

[Florence Ada Keynes]. Fourth page [blank] annotated in ink, possibly in the same hand, "Civil Service examining - PS [?Piero Sraffa] for your archives. K [?Keynes] 20 XII [19]43"

[the year is unclear].

Person Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

1 sheet; 3 pp.text. First page embossed with seal of Civil Summary

Service Commission.

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/4

Previous number

Keynes 1(5)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer
Name Bonar, James
Descriptor Senior Examiner, Civil Service Commission

Descriptor Person

Role Recipient
Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 30.1.1906

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has read Keynes's letter to his Board, who say that points will

be well kept in mind.

Free field Top of first page annotated, in ? J.N. Keynes's hand, "ICS

Logic etc."

Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript Summary

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text, on paper embossed with seal of Civil

Service Commission

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/5

Previous number

Keynes 1(6)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Name Bonar, James

Descriptor

Person Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

7.9.1907 Date

[Scotland] Invernessshire, Arisaig **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Deputy Master, Canadian Branch of Royal Mint, Ottawa

Content

Summary

Discusses his new job in Canada [deputy mastership of Canadian branch of the Royal Mint], and one of the reasons for leaving his old one. Thinks standard in Political Economy for I.C.S. should be lowered. Hopes Keynes will visit Ottawa

with British Association in 1909.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp.text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/6

Previous number

Keynes 2(95)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Chase, Frederick Henry, Rt. Rev. Name

Descriptor Bishop of Ely Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow of

Pembroke College 2.10.1913 Ely, The Palace

Document form

Date Place

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Received enclosed letters [not attached] from Sir G. Fordham.

"I do not know how far the question has been considered on the Council and on the Financial Board. It does not seem right or wise for me to take any action." Asks Keynes's advice.

Free field Person

Fordham, G., Sir Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as Registrary

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/7

Previous number

Keynes 2(96)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Donaldson, Stuart Alexander Name

Writer **Descriptor** Master of Magdalene College, Cambridge and

Vice-Chancellor of the University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow of **Descriptor**

Pembroke College

Date 11.9.1913

Place [Scotland] Aberdeenshire, Lumphanan, Tullochalnus

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Apologises for not sending first version of his annual report **Summary**

[as Vice-Chancellor]. Discusses various administrative

matters.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as Registrary

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/8

Previous number

Keynes 2(97)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Donaldson, Stuart Alexander Name

Writer

Descriptor Master of Magdalene College, Cambridge and

Vice-Chancellor of the University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow of **Descriptor**

Pembroke College

Date 18.9.1913

Place [Scotland] Aberdeenshire, Lumphanan, Tullochalnus

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Thanks for comments on his Report. Has sent it to **Summary**

[Cambridge University] Press, asked them to send proofs to

Keynes and one other.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as Registrary

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/9

Previous number

Keynes 2(98)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Donaldson, Stuart Alexander Name **Descriptor**

Master of Magdalene College, Cambridge and

Vice-Chancellor of the University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow of

Pembroke College

Date 7.10.1913

Place Cambridge, Magdalene College, The Lodge

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Has received crushing blow, his doctor tells him he ought not **Summary**

to serve second year as Vic-Chancellor, needs 6 months holiday or might have nervous breakdown. Can't believe this correct, is seeking second opinion. Must discuss with Keynes.

When can they meet?

Free field

Person **Name**

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as Registrary

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/10

Previous number

Keynes 1(7)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro Name

Descriptor Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

13.6.1890 = 13.6.1899 (year attributed)

Oxford, All Souls College **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

"I quite agree with Marshall that it would be undesirable to **Summary** give the report on Economic education a one-sided turn and I

should be happy to join you in any representation about the

matter which you may think fit to make."

Free field Person

Marshall, Alfred Name

Subject keywords Economics - education in

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/11/1

Previous number

Keynes 1(9)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer **Name**

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Descriptor**

Tooke Professor of Economic Science and Statistics, King's

College, London University, and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Kevnes. John Neville Name

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

Date 11.12.1890 (year attributed)

Place [London] Hampstead, 5 Mount Vernon

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks if Keynes can contribute an article to first or second

number of 'Journal of British [Economic] Association' ['Economic Journal']. Leaves topic to him, but would prefer not to stir up controversy on "the Method of Political Economy" in the first numbers, particularly since he feels Keynes has said the last word on the subject in his article in Palgrave's 'Dictionary [of Political Economy]', which Edgeworth has seen in proof. But reviews of new publications on the controversy would be welcome, and Keynes is best equipped to identify anything really new in such publications if they appear.

Is instructed to say that contributions will be paid but that the

amounts are still undetermined.

The letter is dated only by day and month. Another hand has Free field

added in pencil "1890".

Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis Name

Subject keywords **Economic Journal** Subject keywords JNKeynes - as reviewer

Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary

Person

2 sheets; 5 pp. text Summary

Condition Last page is a half-sheet with a torn left edge

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/11/2

Previous number

Keynes 3(130)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Name

Descriptor

Person Role

Name Descriptor

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Date Place

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 Writer

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Recipient

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro

Tooke Professor of Economic Science and Statistics, King's College, London University, and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

14.12.1890

Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

Correspondence Draft letter English

Possibly deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958 as found

with material deposited then

Thanks for invitation to write article for 'Economic Journal', but regrets he is too busy and finds cannot do literary work of any

kind quickly. Agrees that desirable to keep controversial

articles about method out of first issues.

Unsigned, probably a draft

JNKeynes - as reviewer

1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Sound

JNKeynes 1/12

Previous number

Keynes 2(99)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Name Descriptor**

Tooke Professor of Economic Science and Statistics, King's

College, London University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 20.1.1891

Place [London] N.W., Hampstead, 5 Mount Vernon

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Is preparing list of eminent writers who might contribute to

'Journal of British Economic Association' [later 'Economic Journal']. Hopes he can include Keynes in list. No immediate

obligation incurred.

Postscript: Thanks him for valuable present ['Scope and **Summary**

Method of Political Economy' (1891)]. "I would not have thought it possible to impart so much novelty and interest to a subject which had been treated by so many exhaustive writers." Hopes to express his appreciation more publicly.

See JNKeynes 1/9 and 1/10

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as reviewer

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Sound Condition

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/13

Previous number

Keynes 1(10)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Name Descriptor**

Tooke Professor of Economic Science and Statistics, King's

College, London University, and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 12.4.1891 (year attributed)

Place [London], Hampstead, 5 Mount Vernon

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Free field

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Having reread Keynes's treatise on the [Scope and] Method of

Political Economy, suggests Keynes might like to do article [for 'Economic Journal'] discussing to what extent Ricardian method as depicted by Historical School actually affected English policy. Cites specific issues such as tax legislation. On printed letterhead of British Economic Association. Letter

is dated only by day and month, but another hand has added

in blue pencil "1891".

Person Ricardo, David Name Subject keywords **Economic Journal**

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

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

Condition Torn along vertical crease

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/14

Previous number

Keynes 1(8)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Name Descriptor**

Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University,

and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

7.9.1891 (year attributed) Date

Place Hampshire, Winchfield, the Rectory

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Apologises for having to postpone publication to 4th number

of 'Economic Journal' of a review by Keynes. Thinks gold "a fit

emblem of your contribution".

On paper with the printed letterhead of the British Economic Free field

Association. The fourth number of the Economic Journal, published Dec 1891, contained a review by Keynes of E.C.K. Gonner's edition of Ricardo's "Principles of Political Economy

and Taxation".

Person Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as reviewer

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Sound Condition

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/15

Previous number

Keynes 1(11A)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro Name

Descriptor Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University,

and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

15.9.1900 Date

Place [London] Whitehall, The Treasury, c/o H. Higgs

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958 Summary

Content

Summary Understands that Keynes does not 'have time to attack

Schmoller', but asks him to write an obituary note on Sidgwick

for publication in 'Economic Journal'.

Free field **Person**

Schmoller, Gustav & Sidgwick, Henry Name **Subject keywords**

JNKeynes - as reviewer

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/16

Previous number

Keynes 1(11)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Name Descriptor**

Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University,

and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 29.9.1900 (year attributed)

Place London N.W., Hampstead, 5 Mount Vernon [see Free Field]

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content

Summary Gladly accepts Keynes's offer to write a tribute to [Henry]

Sidgwick but has had no luck in finding a co-author and hopes Keynes will do it all. [William Ritchie] Sorley declined as had

written for International Journal of Ethics.

Free field

Printed letterhead is "British Economic Association. From Professor F.W.Edgeworth, 5, Mount Vernon, Hampstead N.W._____1895". "Sept. 29" added in Edgeworth's hand. However letter could not have been written before 1900 [year of Sidgwick's death] and may have been sent from Oxford.

Person

Name Subject keywords Sidgwick, Henry JNKeynes - as reviewer

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 pp. text **Summary** Condition Small tear at left margin

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/17 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(12) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro **Name**

4

Descriptor Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University,

and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 3.10.1900

Place Oxford, All Souls College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type** Postcard Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958 Summary

Content

Summary Gives Keynes a free hand in writing the obituary (of Henry

Sidgwick). "I think that one of the best obituary notices which we had that of Jowett by Marshall (1893) did not attempt to

cover the whole intellectual life."

Free field Person

Jowett, Benjamin & Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as reviewer

Physical descript Summary

White card, 114 mm x 89 mm, printed with letterhead of British

Economic Association.

Condition Sound

Publication record

Reference Type Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 670, second note

Identity code JNKeynes 1/18

Previous number Keynes 1(13)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro

Descriptor Drummond Professor of Political Economy, Oxford University,

and Editor of 'Economic Journal'

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 24.10.1900

Place Oxford, All Souls College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content

Summary Space (in 'Economic Journal') cannot be better used than in

recording Sidgwick's contributions, particularly his Utilitarian doctrine - "the notion of the "quantum" of happiness involving number has an important bearing on the Malthusian policy. How can a disciple of Green who regards the summation of pleasure as nonsense affirm that one tax would cause a

greater amount of suffering than another?"

Summary Considers Sidgwick the Adam Smith of the 19th century,

although his ethical achievements are the most distinguished of his contributions. "You need not be afraid of effusiveness where expressions of admiration can hardly come up to the

greatness of the subject.."

Free field Person

Name Sidgwick, Henry & Smith, Adam

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as reviewer

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Small tear at bottom of central crease

Publication record

Type Reference

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 670, second note

JNKeynes 1/19

Previous number

Keynes 1(14)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role **Name**

Descriptor Person

Role **Name**

Descriptor Date **Place**

Recipient Keynes, John Neville

Writer

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Encyclopaedia Britannica, Editor of

Encyclopaedia Britannica, Editor of

12.10.1900

[London] E.C., Printing House Square, The Times

Document form

Record type

Correspondence Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Asks Keynes to write biographical article on William Stanley Jevons for supplementary volumes to 9th edition of Encyclopaedia Britannica to be published in 1901. About a page, or 1,300 words. Are there any other economists and philosophers he would be prepared to write about? Payment rate is £4 per page. See JNKeynes 1/20 for subsequent letter.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords Jevons, William Stanley JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Summary

Encyclopaedia Britannica. Sound

Condition

Publication record

Type Reference 1 sheet; 3 pp. text. On letterhead of the Editor of the

JNKeynes 1/20

Previous number

Keynes 1(1)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Name Ashworth, Philip A.

Descriptor Assistant to Editor, Encyclopaedia Britannica

Name Encyclopaedia Britannica, Editor of

Writer

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and Lecturer in

Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 22.1.1901

Place [London] E.C., Printing House Square, The Times

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Editor considers that article on Jevons [by Keynes] is just what

is wanted, and not too long. Article returned as requested.

Free field See JNKeynes 1/19 for letter commissioning article.

Person

Name Jevons, William Stanley
Subject keywords JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet, folded, with printed letterhead; 1 p. text

Condition Streak of brown grease across centre of left half of sheet.

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/21

Previous number

Keynes 2(100)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Fawcett, Henry Name

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor** 11.3.1882

Date

[London] South Lambeth Road, 51 The Lawn **Place**

Writer

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Thinks he remembers giving Keynes a testimonial when he **Summary**

thought of becoming candidate for Professorship. If it would do, with verbal alterations, Keynes most welcome to use it, or

Fawcett can send him another.

Free field **Person** Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/22

Previous number

Keynes 1(16)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Person

Role

Name Descriptor

Descriptor

Date Place 11 Ca

Document form

Record type Specific type Language

Acquisition Summary

Content Summary

> Free field Person

Name Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

Condition

Publication record Type

Reference

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

Lecturer in Moral Science 11.8.1877 (year attributed) Cambridge, St John's College

Correspondence

Letter English

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

[Alfred] Marshall who is to be married at Ufford next Friday spent a few days in Cambridge and discussed next term's lecture assignments. Foxwell is to lecture on Political Economy; uncertain whether he will also lecture on Formal Logic, depends partly on what Keynes and [John] Venn plan

to do. Mentions his vacation plans.

Marshall, Alfred & Venn, John JNKeynes - as lecturer Marshall - marriage

1 sheet; 4 pp. text

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JNKeynes 1/23

Previous number

Keynes 1(18)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Descriptor Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Name

Keynes, John Neville Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor**

Date 14.5.1879

[Cambridge] St John's College **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Moral Science Board unanimously asks Keynes to allow **Summary**

himself to be nominated as Examiner in the next Tripos. Does he accept? His fellow examiner will probably be Professor

Fowler of Oxford.

Free field Person

Fowler, T., Professor Name **Subject keywords** JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet black-bordered paper, 3 pp. text

Condition Discoloured on crease.

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/24

Previous number

Keynes 1(19)

Writer

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role **Name**

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Descriptor

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Name

Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

Lecturer in Moral Science

8.7.1879

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Language

Letter English

Acquisition

Summary

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Praises Keynes's article ['On the position of Formal Logic'] in 'Mind' [1879, pp. 362-375] but regrets that Keynes has expressed most of the ideas which Foxwell himself had intended to use in a paper for "Sidgwick's club". Does Keynes intend to follow up his article in any way? If not, would propose to write second article adding points supporting Keynes's view and extending argument in a direction the latter has not taken

up.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords Sidgwick, Henry JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Summary Condition 2 sheets black-bordered paper, 8 pp. text

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/25

Previous number

Keynes 1(15)

Description level

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Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Descriptor Foxwell, Herbert Somerton
Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Role Recipie

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 1880 (attributed)
Place Cambridge

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Encloses Political Economy special list. Results are

distressingly poor. "Untaught and untrained is the account I must give of most of them." Asks Keynes to return the list with his comments. Mentions elections to Fellowships at St John's of [George Downing] Liveing and [James Joseph] Sylvester. Dated from internal evidence of Fellowship elections. Foxwell and Keynes were examiners for Second Special Examination

and Keynes were examiners for Second Special Examination in Moral Sciences for the Ordinary Degree in Dec 1880.

Person
Name
Liveing, George Downing & Sylvester, James Joseph
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Free field

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Discoloured on outer creases

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/26

Previous number

Keynes 1(17)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Place

Writer

Lecturer in Moral Science

Document form

Record type Specific type

Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content

Summary

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record Type Reference

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Keynes, John Neville Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

17.11.1880 (year attributed) Cambridge, St John's College

Correspondence Letter

English

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

He and Keynes are both applying for the same position [at University College, London]. Keynes has claims "as an old Fellow of the College, against which I can plead having once served as Jevons's deputy, so it will be a fair race." Suggests they not write testimonials for each other.

Jevons, William Stanley JNKeynes - career prospects

Foxwell - career

1 sheet; 4 pp. text Discoloured on crease

JNKeynes 1/27

Previous number

Keynes 1(20)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Name

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Descriptor** Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

Lecturer in Moral Science

5.4.1881

Place [Cambridge] St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Is willing to examine in Political Economy for the Senior Local

Examinations next December. Agrees with Keynes in thinking Moorsom's syllabus "crude and unscholarly", reflecting the bad teaching of the Fawcetts. Thinks Syndicate is not careful

enough in its appointments.

Moorsom was possibly an Extension Lecturer. Free field

Person

Name Moorsom, [-] & Fawcett, Henry & Fawcett, Millicent Garrett Subject keywords

Foxwell - as examiner

Cambridge Univ. Local Examinations Syndicate Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/28

Previous number

Keynes 1(21)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Descriptor Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Role

Name

Keynes, John Neville Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science

11.5.1881 **Date**

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Had not wished to examine [for the Moral Science Tripos] this

year, but has no objection to accepting the invitation.

Free field Person

Name

Foxwell - as examiner **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/29

Keynes 1(22) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Descriptor

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 20.6.1881

Place [London] W., Burlington Gardens, University of London

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Regrets delay in receiving Political Economy paper. Critizes Summary

Moorsom for misinterpreting [Alfred] Marshall as supporting

Wage Fund Theory.

Free field Person

Name Moorsom, [-] & Marshall, Alfred

Subject keywords Foxwell - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text Condition Discoloured on creases

Publication record

Type Reference

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 83,

note 57

Type Reference Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 252, second note; p.674,

note 66

JNKeynes 1/30

Previous number

Keynes 1(23)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton
Descriptor 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 Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 22.3.1883

Place Norfolk, Nr.Great Yarmouth, Belton, Lake Cottage

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thought he (Foxwell) had resigned as examiner for the Higher

Local Examinations but if that is inconvenient to Keynes, is willing to complete his period. British Association may invite Keynes to be one of four secretaries of the Economic Section at its next meeting, hopes Keynes will come. President will be [Robert Harry] Inglis Palgrave. Next year's meeting may be in Canada, and travel, board and lodging would be free for

secretaries.

Free field Person

Name Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis

Subject keywords British Association for Advancement of Science

Subject keywords Foxwell - as examiner

Subject keywords Cambridge Univ. Local Examinations Syndicate

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Discoloured along top edge

Publication record

Type Excerp

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

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

114, footnote 6

JNKeynes 1/31

Previous number

Keynes 1(24)

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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 12.10.1883

Place [Cambridge] St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Hopes no women will attend his college lectures. [Henry]

Sidgwick has seen him about Miss Longfellow, and he has offered to give her one or two private lectures and direct her reading generally. He gets real pleasure from his college lectures because of his rapport with men; not the same when lecturing to women, but the worst is mixed classes, such as

he faces at University College, London.

Likes all Keynes's [examination] questions. "Rather cheek of **Summary**

the General Board to keep our list back. It strikes me they are going to become a nuisance. They are very self-assertive."

Free field Person

Longfellow, Miss & Sidgwick, Henry **Name**

Subject keywords Foxwell - on women students Foxwell - as examiner Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary Summary

1 sheet; 4 pp. text

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Publication record

JNKeynes 1/32

Previous number

Keynes 1(25)

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 Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 2.4.188

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Invites Keynes to give paper at British Association meeting in

Aberdeen in September. [Henry] Sidgwick is President, Foxwell and [William] Cunningham are two of the secretaries. Wish particularly to discuss the fall of prices, the standard of value, the depression of trade, the recoinage, and tariff policy, but Keynes need not confine himself to these subjects. Working hard to raise the reputation of the Economic Section,

make it more scientific.

Summary Discusses his own position on Fair Trade.

Free field Person

Name Sidgwick, Henry & Cunningham, William
Subject keywords British Association for Advancement of Science

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/33

Previous number Keynes 1(26)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 26.8.1887

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Japanese Government wants to recruit a Head of their

Commercial School and Professor of Political Economy, also possibly appointing an Economic Adviser to the Government. [James] Stuart and Foxwell advised their agent to combine both posts in one and get a good man. It is a three-year appointment, starting date not clear. Would Keynes be interested? Foxwell would go if appointed to post of Economic

Adviser, and if offered salary of £2000.

Summary If Foxwell's terms were accepted, he would have to give up

his lectureship [at St John's College] and probably never be reappointed. Can accept that, but would regret loss of post at University College, London. If [University College] Council agreed, would Keynes deputise for him in his absence? Pays about £115 a year for one course per term for 3 terms. If he has to give up his University College appointment, Keynes might well be offered the post, and therefore agreeing to

deputise might not be in his best interest.

Summary Japanese appointment may be settled at Manchester meeting

[of the British Association]. Asks Keynes to give his views

urgently.

Summary Postscript: Marshall has suddenly decided not to come to

Manchester [for meeting of British Association]

Free field Person

Name Stuart, James & Marshall, Alfred Japanese teaching post in economics

 Subject keywords
 University College, London

 Subject keywords
 Foxwell - career prospects

 Subject keywords
 JNKeynes - career prospects

Subject keywords British Association for Advancement of Science

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheet; 8 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference Groenewegen, Peter, '

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p.458

JNKeynes 1/34

Previous number

Keynes 1(27)

Writer

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 15.1.1888

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Is not ambitious to get Oxford professorship, doubts he could

live on its £500 salary "as a Professor at Oxford of such a popular subject would be expected to live," cites other drawbacks. 3-year trip to Japan would satisfy "all that is most

vagrant in my nature.'

Speculates about possible candidates for Oxford post, **Summary**

including Edgeworth and Keynes. Urges Keynes not to leave Cambridge. "Think of the effect your move may have on your son. He may grow up flippantly epigrammatical, and end up becoming the proprietor of a Gutter Gazette, or the hero of a popular party; instead of emulating his father's noble example,

becoming an accurate clear-headed Cambridge man...."

Free field Person

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Keynes, John Maynard Name Subject keywords

Japanese teaching post in economics

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Subject keywords Foxwell - career prospects JNKeynes - career prospects Subject keywords

Physical descript

2 sheets; 8 pp. text Summary Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/35

Previous number

Keynes 1(28)

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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

14.2.1888 Date

Place Cambridge, St John's College (in brackets)

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Keynes's letter [evidently asking Foxwell to support his

candidacy for Oxford Professorship] puts Foxwell in difficulties because he has already agreed to write testimonials for 3 other candidates. Suggests writing one letter to Electors setting out special claims of each of 4 candidates. Has

decided not to stand himself.

Free field

Person **Name**

Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy Subject keywords

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text Sound

Condition

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/36

Previous number

Keynes 1(29)

Description level

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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

22.11.1888 Date

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Regrets to decline offer of supervising Home Study in Political

Economy for the Local Examinations and Lectures Syndicate,

has too much other work.

Free field **Person**

Name

Cambridge Univ. Local Examinations Syndicate **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text Condition Paper badly foxed

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/37

Previous number

Keynes 1(30)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 9.3.1889

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Advises Keynes not to meet J.H.Norman because, based on

his prolific writings, he is a bore, lacks grasp of his subject and

presumably wants to discuss bi-metallism.

Free field **Person**

Norman, John Henry Name

Subject keywords Bimetallism

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/38

Previous number

Keynes 1(31)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Name

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Descriptor**

Writer

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 6.3.1890

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Opposes Keynes's reluctance to examine in sociology

because unqualified. Easy for an educated Moral Science man to examine on the topics Wicksteed [lecturer on

sociology] selects. Asks him to reconsider.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords Wicksteed, Philip Henry JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/39 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(32) **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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 3.5.1890

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Comments in detail on list of proposed set books on political

economy for Parts I and II of Moral Science Tripos. "I give my opinions as requested, but I should certainly not wish to press them against those of Professor Marshall, who is responsible

for the subject in the University."

Free field Person

Marshall, Alfred Name

Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos - political economy papers

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924, (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 674, 675

JNKeynes 1/40

Previous number

Keynes 1(33)

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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

30.11.1890 Date

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Discusses merits of a candidate for a small scholarship,

recommends award.

"Keep in mind the question of getting good and representatiave papers for our [Economic] Journal." **Summary**

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords

Economic Journal

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/41

Previous number

Keynes 1(34)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

3.12.1890 Date

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Glad Keynes agrees [presumably about scholarship candidate

- see JNKeynes 1/40]. Discusses membership [of British Economic Association, forerunner of Royal Economic

Society], how to build it up, need to attract good articles for the

initial issues [of Economic Journal].

Free field Person Name

Royal Economic Society Subject keywords Economic Journal Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

1 sheet; 4 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/42

Keynes 2(101) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

and Fellow of St John's College, Cambridge

Person

Role Recipient

Kevnes. John Neville **Name**

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

Date 25.1.1892

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language **English**

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Sends the enclosed [not attached] at [James] Ward's request. Summary

"You may certainly use anything of mine in the Guide.

Sidgwick added a good deal with which I did not agree, but did not care to dispute. If I were to rewrite it now, it would read very differently. As I disagree very profoundly with Marshall on many points, especially in regard to Ricardo, Mill, Economic method, and Consumption - I thought it better that someone occupying a more central position should write the Guide. It was not till I came to read it the other day, that I realised how much my present views differ from those there laid down, apparently in my name, and I suppose, with my acquiescence,

at that time.'

Urges Keynes to recommend his [Keynes's] book ['Scope and Summary

Method of Political Economy', 1891], best existing book on the

subject.

The "Guide" referred to is probably 'The Student's Guide to Free field

the University of Cambridge."

Person Ward, James & Marshall, Alfred & Ricardo, David & Mill, John Name

Stuart & Sidgwick, Henry

Cambridge Univ. Guide to Courses

Subject keywords Subject keywords Foxwell/Marshall disagreements about early economists

Marshall - Foxwell disagreements SEE Foxwell

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Excerpt

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

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

JNKeynes 1/43 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(35) **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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 14.12.1894

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Complains of [Alfred] Marshall's rigidity about lecturing hours.

Regrets lack of interest at Cambridge in practical economic questions, compares situation unfavourably with Oxford. Feels

unwell, attributes it to overwork and worry.

Free field Person

Name Marshall, Alfred

Subject keywords Foxwell/Marshall disagreements about lecture schedules Subject keywords Foxwell - on Cambridge neglect of practical ec issues

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 537, 539, 675

JNKeynes 1/44

Previous number

Keynes 1(36)

Description level

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

Keynes, John Neville **Name Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 10.8.1897

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has just got engaged to Olive Dorrington, whose father,

Manchester bimetallist, is younger than he is. Describes his fiancee's qualities. His marriage will lose him his St John's College fellowship after 21 years, has not decided whether they will live in London or Cambridge, it will depend on job prospects. In any event, he will have to sell his library.

Had thought University of London Bill was sure to obtain early

Parliamentary approval, but now [Sir Charles] Dilke's

opposition has upset matters.

Dorrington, Olive & Dilke, Charles, Sir

Free field

Summary

Person

Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords Foxwell - engagement Foxwell - as book collector

Physical descript

Summary

Condition

2 sheets; 8 pp. text Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/45

Previous number

Keynes 1(37)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name **Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient Name

Keynes, John Neville **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 17.8.1897

Place Cambridge, St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Thanks Keynes and wife for their good wishes on his

engagement. Hopes not to have to sell his library in a hurry. Wants to preserve it as a whole, which might mean selling to an American university. Meanwhile will sell duplicates.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords Foxwell - engagement Subject keywords Foxwell - as book collector

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/46

Previous number

Keynes 1(38)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name **Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

20.1.1898 Date

Place [Cambridge] St John's College

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Has resigned badly paid work he used to do for Institute of

Bankers, who have now appointed a "mere hack" to replace him. They complained when he dared to criticise Clearing Bankers, who are gradually confirming their monopoly.

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords Foxwell - career Subject keywords Institute of Bankers

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/47

Previous number

Keynes 1(39)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

25.8.1899 Date

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has read about three-fifths of examination papers, thinks

better of them than Keynes does. Sees improvement. "The influence of Marshall and of mathematical treatment is most marked, and it looks to me as if P[olitical] E[conomy] were more and more recognized as a subject for the scientific rather than for the literary man. In fact it is the difference

between work founded on Mill, and on Marshall."

Free field

Person Name

Marshall, Alfred & Mill, John Stuart Foxwell - as examiner

Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - influence on political economy teaching

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/48

Previous number Keynes 1(40)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 6.10.1900

Place [Cambridge] 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thanks Keynes for having tried in vain to get [Alfred] Marshall

to change a lecture hour. Untrue that he [Foxwell] only gets beginners at his general lectures, though he sometimes thinks Marshall does not want the "better class of men" to come to him. They have had differences on these matters "culminating in his having engaged Pigou to deliver an elementary course: a man, of all I have known, least qualified to deal with a

general class, as he is such a prig!"

Free field Person

Name Marshall, Alfred & Pigou, Arthur Cecil

Subject keywords Foxwell/Marshall disagreements about lecture schedules

Subject keywords Foxwell - on Pigou as teacher

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Partial transcript

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

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

623, note 7

Type Excerpt

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p.677

Identity code JNKeynes 1/49

Previous number Keynes 1(41)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 24.1.1901

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Compliments Keynes on his draft article on [William Stanley]

Jevons for 'Encyclopaedia Britannica'. Foxwell had refused to

write it because did not consider he could do justice to subject within space limitations. Makes a few suggested amendments. Only one disagreement on substance: Keynes, like Marshall, holds that "Jevons' principle of marginal utility is only of coordinate importance with the principle of cost of production. Many persons were astonished at Marshall's position on this

point when his 'Principles' appeared. It seems to me as clear as daylight that the one principle is universal and fundamental, the other special and accidental." Goes on to illustrate his

point.

Summary Undue emphasis placed on cost of production since Ricardo is

still growing, and leads to mistakes of great practical

importance. E.g. Marx "who says commodities come into the world with their values stamped on them, before entering into exchange, and then logically denies that an inconvertible

paper money can have any value."

Summary

This sort of error would not have been made by someone who had seized the real purport of Jevons's teaching. Marshall and

nad seized the real purport of Jevons's teaching. Marshall and Ricardo's "exceptional cases" are of enormous importance in practice. The system of norms and types, appropriate for

Natural Science, is out of place in Economics.

Summary Postscript: Jevons's Principle of Marginal Utility requires none

of these arbitrary restrictions of its application.

Free field Person Name

Name Jevons, William Stanley & Marshall, Alfred & Ricardo, David & Marx, Karl

Marx, Nam

Subject keywordsJNKeynes - as authorSubject keywordsMarginal utilitySubject keywordsCost of production

Subject keywords Foxwell/Marshall disagreements about economic theory

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Excerpt

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 420-1

JNKeynes 1/50

Previous number

Keynes 1(42)

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

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

16.6.1901 Date

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Thanks Keynes for his testimonial. Wonders what to include in

his testimonial for Keynes.

Free field **Person** Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 pp. text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/51

Previous number

Keynes 1(43)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name Descriptor**

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 4.8.1908

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks Keynes to thank the Board [? the Special Board for

Economics and Politics] for its kind resolution. Keynes might mention that his London professorship requires him to deliver 5 courses of lectures continuously for 31 weeks of the year, on top of which he has his Cambridge work. Is disinclined to continue incurring the strain of the latter "in the altered

conditions."

Free field [This may relate to support offered to Foxwell in connection

with his application for the chair Marshall was then vacating.]

Person

Name

Subject keywords Foxwell - career

Physical descript

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

Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/52

Previous number Keynes 1(44)

Description level

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

Kevnes. John Neville **Name**

Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow, **Descriptor**

Pembroke College

Date 6.2.1912

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

For next week's Economics Board meeting, will do his best to Summary

get [George Udny] Yule here, but Yule should be warned not to be too technical. He can make himself intelligible to the

non-mathematician when he wants.

"I return to Marshall's note. It has an unpleasantly false ring **Summary**

about it, and he was right not to address it to me. I have no doubt he is glad now, as he always has been, that others should help in work which he himself despises and neglects, I mean in providing for the poll man, for examinations, and in correspondence with the outside world. But for the people who thus oblige I believe he has in his inner feeling a very honest contempt; and at any rate he has left me in no sort of doubt as

to the value he sets on any service it is in my power to

render.'

Summary "However his opinion doesnt affect me one way or the other. I

do not think judgment his strong point. The Cambridge work is the only part of my work that ever attracted me, and I shall be

glad if I can in any way be of service to it."

Free field Person

Yule, George Udny, & Marshall, Alfred Name

Foxwell - on Marshall Subject keywords Subject keywords Foxwell - career

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type

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

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

1009, note 3 Reference

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 106

Reference, excerpt Type

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 626 second note, 678

JNKeynes 1/53

Previous number

Keynes 1(45)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Name

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Descriptor

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

Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipient

Name

Keynes, John Neville Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow, **Descriptor**

Pembroke College

Date 4.11.1917

Place Cambridge, 1 Harvey Road

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Discusses critically the 'Civil Service Class I Examination **Summary**

Report', which Keynes has lent him.

Free field **Person**

Name

Foxwell - as examiner **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Identity code JNKeynes 1/54/1

Keynes 2(88) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person Writer Role **Name** Higgs, Henry

Descriptor Civil Servant, Editor of 'Economic Journal' and writer on

financial subjects

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 14.12.1908

Place [London] Whitehall S.W., Treasury Chambers

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary "Marshall has spoken to you on the subject of a proposal to

raise a fund for the endowment of a chair for Foxwell at Cambridge." Would guarantee be enough or does University require cash down? Suggests obtaining if possible guarantees of £700 a year for 7 years. Liability of guarantors would cease if [Herbert Somerton] Foxwell does not hold chair so long.

Summary Asks if Keynes can come to London to discuss.

Free field

Person

Marshall, Alfred & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton Name

Subject keywords Foxwell - career

Subject keywords Foxwell - proposed personal professorship

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 pp. text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type

Reference

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), vol. 3, p.

216, note 3

Excerpt **Type**

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 678

JNKeynes 1/54/2 **Identity code**

Keynes 3(131) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role **Name** Higgs, Henry

Civil Servant, Editor of 'Economic Journal' and writer on **Descriptor**

financial subjects 16.12.1908

Place Cambridge, 6 Harvey Road

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Possibly deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958 as with Summary

material deposited then

Content

He is aware of plan to endow temporary Professorship for Summary

Foxwell, thinks it possible for The University to accept such a proposal, but also foresees many pitfalls. Does not wish to attend a meeting on the matter, but will meet Higgs in London

on 5 Jan 1909 to discuss.

Probably a draft reply to JNKeynes 1/54/1 Free field

Person

Foxwell, Herbert Somerton **Name**

Subject keywords Foxwell - proposed personal professorship

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Excerpt

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), vol. 3, p.

216, note 3

JNKeynes 1/55

Previous number

Keynes 2(89)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Name

Descriptor

Higgs, Henry Civil Servant, Editor of 'Economic Journal' and writer on

financial subjects

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

18.12.1908 Date

Place [London] Whitehall, S.W., Treasury Chambers

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary

Will be glad to see Keynes in London [see JNKeynes 1/231]. Query: if enough cash is provided to pay someone £700 for 7years and that person ceases to act before 7 years expire, will University necessarily retain balance?

Free field

Person **Name**

Subject keywords Foxwell - proposed personal professorship

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/56

Previous number

Keynes 2(90)

Writer

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role **Name**

Descriptor

Jevons, William Stanley Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Date

Document form

Place

Correspondence

20.8.1880

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science

Record type Specific type Language

Letter English

Acquisition Summary

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

[London] Hampstead, N.W., West Heath, 2 The Chestnuts

Content

Summary

Glad they will cooperate on Scholarship Examination [at University College, London], presumably to be held as usual in November. No need to set questions before October. Always 2 papers. Suggests Keynes asks whatever he likes in one, topics limited only by bounds of Political Economy. All candidates must be students in Jevons's class, and he can set questions on class work to complement Keynes's auestions.

Summary

Remembers reading Keynes's "powerful answers" to **Summary** examination. Sends copies of earlier examination questions.

Free field

Person

Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary Condition 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/57

Previous number

Keynes 2(91)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer **Name**

Jevons, William Stanley

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 22.10.1880

Place [London] Hampstead, N.W., West Heath, 2 The Chestnuts

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Encloses Joseph Hume papers.

All Keynes's examination questions suitable [see JNKeynnes **Summary**

1/233], Jevons has selected numbers 2-11 and given alternative to 1. If Keynes agrees, no need to rewrite, corrections can be made in proof. Asks if Keynes has any

objection to Jevons's questions.

Summary Asks for precise reference for quotation from [John Stuart] Mill.

Sorry for delay in writing, has been swamped with exam **Summary**

setting and had only just finished his book on Deductive Logic ['Studies in Deductive Logic', (1880)] "which is examination"

from beginning to end, question and answer."

Exam is still a month away, only 3 candidates so far. **Summary**

Free field Person

Hume, Joseph & Mill, John Stuart Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/58

Previous number

Keynes 2(92)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Jevons, William Stanley

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role Recipien

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 17.12.1880

Place [London] Hampstead

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Suggests rewording of an examination certificate.

Summary Thanks Keynes for printed tracts hitherto unknown to him.

Thinks 'logical existence' is quite distinct from 'objective existence', but "what else it is I cannot pretend to say."

Summary Appreciates Keynes's acute criticism. Even if he cannot agree,

finds argument difficult to meet.

Free field Annotated in ink at top of first page, above embossed club

address, "addr. Hampstead".

Person Name

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - as examiner
JNKeynes - as logician

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet paper embossed "Athenaeum Club, Pall Mall S.W."; 4

pp. text Sound

Publication record

Type Reference

Condition

JNKeynes 1/59

Previous number

Keynes 2(93)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Jevons, William Stanley Name

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, University College, London

Person

Role

Name

Keynes, John Neville Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 25.3.1881

Place [London] Hampstead N.W., West Heath, 2 The Chestnuts

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Understands Keynes's withdrawal from competition for

University College London professorship, given commitments

in Cambridge.

Free field **Person**

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/60/1 **Identity code**

Previous number None

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Jevons, William Stanley **Name Descriptor**

Professor of Political Economy, University College, London, in

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science

Date 17.2.1882

Place [London] Hampstead N.W., West Heath, 2 The Chestnuts

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Encloses a testimonial about Keynes [see JNKeynes 1/60/2]. Summary

Has given somewhat similar statement for W.H.Brewer, just appointed examiner at Victoria University [subsequently Manchester University], and who was formerly his substitute lecturer at Owens College, Manchester.

Summary Was puzzled what to do, came to conclusion that it was best

to state what he knew of each.

Free field Person

Address

Brewer, W.H. Name

JNKeynes - career prospects Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/60/2

Previous number

Keynes 2(94)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Jevons, William Stanley **Name Descriptor**

Professor of Political Economy, University College London, in

retirement

Person

Role Recipient

London University, the Senate of Name

Descriptor Date

Place [London] Hampstead N.W., Branch Hill, 2 The Chestnuts

Document form

Correspondence **Record type Testimonial** Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Well known that J.N.Keynes holds distinguished position in

philosophy and political economy. Cites past distinctions. Having recently been co-examiner with him for scholarship exam in political economy at University College London, can testify to "his intensive and accurate knowledge of economics, to his soundness of judgment and his general efficiency as an

examiner."

Sure he would be very able and efficient examiner if appointed **Summary**

to vacant examinership in political economy [at University

College, London].

Free field Attachment to JNKeynes 1/60/1

Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as examiner Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/61 **Identity code**

Previous number None

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Johnson, William Ernest **Name Descriptor**

Fellow of King's College, Cambridge and Lecturer in Moral

Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 19.8.1894

Place Cambridge, Llandaff House

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Found loose in box 5 of Marshall Library Archives on

14.10.1996.

Content

Is grateful to Keynes for looking through his article so quickly. Summary

Refers to letter from Dodgson to Keynes about distinction between hypotheticals and conditionals, referring to specific equation in Keynes' work [third edition of 'Formal Logic']. Johnson thinks Dodgson may be mistaken in his interpretation of the problem, which relates to Euclid Book I.6. Has given problem to his brother George, as he is not a logician, and

therefore unbiased.

Free field Person

Carroll, Lewis, see Dodgson, Charles L. & Dodgson, Charles Name

L., Rev. & Johnson, George

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as logician

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets lined paper torn from notebook; 4 pp. text Both sheets torn on right edge centre fold, creased Condition

Publication record

Previous number

Description level

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

JNKeynes 1/62/1

Keynes 3(1-13)

4

Correspondence Envelope English

Deposited by Mrs. J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Originally contained 13 letters from and an agreement with Macmillan and Co., publishers, now numbered 1/62-1/75, about publication of J.N. Keynes's 'Studies and Exercises in

Formal Logic' (first and second editions). Envelope addressed in typescript to Mrs Keynes, annotated in

ink in her hand "Correspondence with Macmillans in connection with publication of Logic by J.N.K." and in pencil, in another hand, "Keynes 3(1-13)"

Macmillan and Company JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

Brown manila envelope, 232 mm x 153 mm.

Sound

JNKeynes 1/62/2

Previous number

Keynes 3(1)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 16.7.1883

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Prepared to publish 'Exercises' ['Studies and Exercises in **Summary**

Formal Logic'] at Keynes's expense, but not prepared to take

risk themselves.

Free field Person

Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/63

Previous number

Keynes 3(2)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Person

Role Name

Descriptor

Date

Place

Record type Specific type Language

Document form

Acquisition **Summary**

Content **Summary**

> Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

Publication record Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

18.7.1883

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Asks Keynes to send manuscript [of 'Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic'] to [Cambridge] University Press and let Mr Clay [printer] know about form and type, and they will instruct Clay to go on with printing. Prefer that business arrangements be

left to them.

Clay, [-]

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

1 sheet; 1 p. text

Sound

JNKeynes 1/64

Previous number

Keynes 3(3)

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

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record

Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

30.1.1884

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Clay [printer at Cambridge University Press] sending them statement on cost of printing, enabling them to advise on sale price. They will also fix publication date, as early as possible. Note that Keynes wants book bound like [John] Venn's 'Symbolic Logic' [1881]. Request list of persons to receive

presentation copies.

Venn. John

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

1 sheet; 1 p. text

Sound

JNKeynes 1/65/1

Previous number

Keynes 3(4)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company
Descriptor Publishers

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 5.2.1884

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Price of book ['Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic' (1884)]

ought not to be less than half a guinea, suggest 12 shillings. Price high because expected demand limited. If Keynes

agrees they can publish next week.

Summary Enclosing formal memorandum of agreement [see JNKeynes

1/256/2], request he return one signed copy.

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/65/2 **Identity code** None **Previous number Description level** 4

Record creation

Macmillan and Company

Organisation Role Writer 5.2.1884 **Date Place**

Document form

Record type Memorandum of Agreement Publishing and copyright agreement Specific type

Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Agreement between Macmillan and Company and J.N.Keynes

to publish 750 copies of 'Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic', Keynes to bear risk.

Summary Specifies financial details and accounting schedule. Free field Signed "Macmillan Co." in ink. Attachment to JNKeynes

1/65/1.

Person Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Authority Authority

Summary 1 sheet foolscap; 1-page printed form with ink insertions,

imprinted on reverse "Memorandum of Agreement

Dated_ _between _ _and Macmillan and Co. for the

publication of_

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/66

Previous number

Keynes 3(5)

Publishers

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Macmillan and Company

Name **Descriptor**

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 7.2.1884

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Think it mistake to price book at less than 10/6, which is price **Summary**

of [John] Venn's 'Symbolic Logic' (1881). Price is nominal since anybody buying the book from a bookseller for cash would get at least 2 pence in the shilling discount, bringing

price down to 8/9.

Free field Person

Name Venn, John

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

Physical descript

Condition

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/67

Previous number

Keynes 3(6)

Recipient

1.4.1884

English

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Descriptor Macmillan and Company **Publishers**

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

in London University Calendar but have sent one to Edinburgh University Calendar and will use similar opportunities of

Re. his query about sales of [John] Venn's book [presumably

'Symbolic Logic' (1881)] and book by [William Stanley] Jevons [unspecified], they can tell him confidentially that about 300 of

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor

Date **Place**

Document form Record type Correspondence Letter

Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

making book known.

former and 1500 of latter were sold.

Venn, John & Jevons, William Stanley

Content

Summary

Sent him yesterday 6 copies of his book ['Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic' [1884] and despatched complimentary copies. Regret too late to insert advertisement

Summary

Free field Person

Name **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Reference

Publication record Type

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Identity code JNKeynes 1/68

Previous number Keynes 3(7)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company

4

Descriptor Publishers

Person Role

Role Recipient
Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 30.9.1886

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Enclose statement of account up to June 30, showing 85

copies on hand. Demand larger than usual, stock now almost

exhausted.

Summary Presume Keynes will publish second edition, important to put

revised copy into printer's hands soonest.

Summary If more convenient to Keynes not to pay for printing, they will

be happy to publish new edition at their expense, dividing

profits with Keynes.

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/69 **Identity code Previous number** None **Description level** 4 **Record creation** Organisation Macmillan and Company 1.10.1886 Date **Place Document form Record type** Memorandum of Agreement Specific type Publishing agreement English Language **Acquisition** Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes **Summary** Content Agreement between Macmillan and Company and J.N.Keynes **Summary** that former will publish at their own risk and expense second edition of not less than 1250 copies of 'Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic' by John Neville Keynes, profits to be divided 50/50. Corrections exceeding 20/- per sheet of 32 pages to be at expense of author. Specifies method of accounting for sales and schedule of **Summary** payments. Free field Signed "Macmillan Co." in ink. Person Name **Subject keywords** JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed. **Physical descript** Summary 1 sheet foolscap; 1 page text, handwritten, imprinted on reverse "Memorandum of Agreement dated _ _ between and Macmillan & Co for the publication of **Condition** Sound

Publication record Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/70

Previous number

Keynes 3(8)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 2.10.1886

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary When publishing a book on half-profit system, they debit

account with actual cost of printing, binding, etc. without any commission, and do not charge interest on payments made up

to time at which sales of book meet expenses.

Summary Would allow reasonable number of presentation copies, say 10 or 12, and copies given to teachers or others likely to

promote sales would be charged to common account.

If he wants to publish second edition on half profits, they would stipulate that it should consist of not less than 1250 copies, particularly if price reduced. Would not advise

reduction of price without careful consideration: lower price may stimulate sales but does not always compensate the loss

of profit per copy.

Summary Willing to make arrangement for second edition only, though

usually it lasts until expiration of copyright.

Summary Unable to say how many copies went to Melbourne.

Free field

Person

Summary

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/71

Previous number

Keynes 3(9)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name **Descriptor**

Publishers

Person

Recipient Role Keynes, John Neville Name

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

4.11.1886 Date

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street **Place**

Macmillan and Company

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Should have replied sooner to letter of 27 October with signed **Summary**

agreement.

Present edition of book ['Studies and Exercises in Formal **Summary**

Logic' (1884)] almost exhausted, but should not hurry revision,

important to make book as perfect as possible.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/72

Previous number

Keynes 3(10)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Macmillan and Company Name **Descriptor Publishers**

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

25.1.1887

Date [London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Glad he will shortly be returning some sheets of ['Studies and Exercises in] Formal Logic' to printer. They have instructed **Summary**

him to proceed at once with printing.

Free field Person Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed. **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/73

Previous number

Keynes 3(11)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 13.7.1887

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary When new edition of [Studies and Exercises in] Formal Logic'

ready, they will gladly send out complimentary copies, and bear in mind suggestion as to provincial and colonial colleges. Fear second edition unlikely to be reviewed, but will let him

know.

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/74

Previous number

Keynes 3(12)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Name **Descriptor**

Person

Role

Name Descriptor

Date **Place**

Document form Record type Specific type

Acquisition **Summary**

Language

Content **Summary**

> **Summary** Free field Person

Name **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company **Publishers**

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

14.6.1887

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Ready to publish new edition [of 'Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic'] but must consult on price. Since second edition

is larger book, would be mistake to reduce price. Already received order for 50 copies from Melbourne.

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/75

Previous number

Keynes 3(13)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 18.11.1942

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, 29 and 30 Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Regret under war conditions, unable to reprint either [Studies **Summary**

and Exercises in] Formal Logic' or 'Scope and Method [of Political Economy']. Sales of both small lately.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Previous number

JNKeynes 1/76

Keynes 3(14-36)

4

Description level Document form

Record type **Specific type** Language

Correspondence Envelope English

Acquisition

Summary

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Previously contained letters from Macmillan and Company now numbered 1/77/1 - 1/100.

Free field

Envelope annotated in ink, in J.N.Keynes's hand, "Macmillan & Co." Also annotated in pencil, in unidentified hand, "Keynes 3(14-36)".

Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record

Type Reference Cream coloured envelope, 236 mm x 159 mm Tears at both top corners, somewhat dirty

JNKeynes 1/77/1

Previous number

Keynes 3(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**

Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record

Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

22.10.1888

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Glad to publish "Scope and Method of Political Economy" and divide profits. Please say when ready to begin printing.

This is the reply to Keynes' draft letter attached [JNKeynes

1/77/2]

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/77/2

Previous number

None

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Descriptor Keynes, John Neville Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Macmillan and Company

DescriptorPublishersDate19.10.1888Place[Cambridge]

Document form

Record type Correspondence
Specific type Draft letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks if Macmillan willing to publish book on Scope and

Method of Political Economy, on commission or otherwise. About 350pp., post octavo. Probably cannot go to press until next February or March. Would like it printed at Cambridge University Press, uniform with his ['Studies and Exercises in]

Formal Logic'.

Free field Draft of letter to which JNKeynes 1/77/1 is reply.

Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/78

Previous number

Keynes 3(15)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor Publishers Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

27.7.1889

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Glad that 'Scope and Method of Political Economy' now ready **Summary** for press, have instructed Cambridge University Press to set

up specimen pages according to Keynes's instructions. Paper and binding will be dealt with later, do not anticipate difficulty

meeting Keynes's views.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/79

Previous number

Keynes 3(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

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

Summary Condition

Physical descript

Publication record Type Reference Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

1.8.1890

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Mr Clay [printer, Cambridge University Press] has sent first sheet of book ['Scope and Method of Political Economy]'] as marked for press by Keynes. Have instructed him to print 750 copies. Small edition, but no advantage in printing more

unless needed.

Clay, [-]

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/80

Previous number

Keynes 3(17)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor

Person

Role

Recipient **Name**

Keynes, John Neville Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor**

24.12.1890 Date

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Publishers

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Awaiting printer's account before fixing price of book ['Scope and Method of Political Economy'] and before decided whether to accept Keynes's offer to bear part of cost of

corrections.

Summary Have warned advertising clerk not to repeat error of

announcing book as second edition.

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/81

Previous number

Keynes 3(18)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company **Name**

Descriptor

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 1.1.1891

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Publishers

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Suggest 8/6p as fair price for 'Scope and Method of Political **Summary**

Economy'. Had thought of making it 7/- 'nett' but as none of his other books are on this basis, perhaps best to keep to ordinary system. Once price fixed, publication will take place

Postscript: Have received Keynes's list of names for **Summary**

presentation copies, approve but suggest adding Edinburgh and Quarterly Reviews. No objection to giving him details of production cost in form requested, but await more detail from

printer.

Addressed to Keynes c/o Rev. Dr Brown, The Manse, Free field

Bedford.

Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/82

Previous number

Keynes 3(19)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Publishers

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Agree to fix price of book ['Scope and Method of Political **Summary**

Economy'] at 7/6 net. Copies sent to America will be charged at 3/6 to enable "our American House" to offer book at moderate price after paying import duty. Also advertising cost in England will be charged to book, whereas in America it is

charged to New York House.

Specimen case sent for his approval.

Summary

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary

Condition

1 sheet; 1 p. text Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/83

Previous number

Keynes 3(20)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Macmillan and Company

Name **Descriptor**

Publishers

Person Role

Recipient **Name**

Descriptor

Keynes, John Neville Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date

7.1.1891 [London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Price of book ['Scope and Method of Political Economy'] will **Summary**

be 7/- net (price to trade 5/10 less 5%) and copies for America priced at 3/6 as already agreed. Final pricing in America is left to local manager, whose general instruction is to price it as

close to English price as possible.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/84

Previous number

Keynes 3(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 **Person** Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary

Condition

Publication record Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

4.7.1891

English

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Correspondence Letter

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Present stock of ['Studies and Exercises in Formal] Logic' is

198, and since 290 sold in last year, probably need new edition before November 1893.

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/85

Previous number

Keynes 3(22)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name

Macmillan and Company **Descriptor Publishers**

Person

Recipient Role Keynes, John Neville

Name

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University **Descriptor** 2.2.1893 Date

Place

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Stock of ['Studies and Exercises in Formal] Logic' now **Summary**

reduced to 80, should print new edition as soon as possible to avoid hiatus. Printed 2000 copies in l887, think same number could be printed now. Please inform when prepared to send

revised text to [Cambridge] University press.

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/86

Previous number

Keynes 3(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

Summary

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary Condition

Publication record

Type Reference

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

8.2.1893

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Think present stock of ['Studies and Exercises in] Formal Logic' will last until October, wished to give him plenty of

notice to avoid book being long out of print.

Unnecessary to change page size or type. Might use thinner paper so that addition of 50 pages would not increase bulk of

book.

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/87

Previous number

Keynes 3(24)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Macmillan and Company Name **Descriptor Publishers**

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 28.7.1893

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

No objection to increasing page size to octavo, in fact if **Summary**

Keynes adding 100 pages, page size must be increased to avoid clumsy volume. Advising printer about change.

Free field Person Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed. **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/88

Previous number

Keynes 3(25)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Name

Macmillan and Company **Descriptor Publishers**

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 1.12.1893

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Printed 2000 copies of last edition of ['Studies and Exercises **Summary**

in Formal] Logic', inclined to print same number now if Keynes

approves.

Free field **Person** Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed. **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/89

Previous number

Keynes 3(26)

Publishers

Recipient

Letter English

Keynes, John Neville

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor

Person Role

Name

Descriptor

Place

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University Date 22.6.1894 [London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form Record type Correspondence

Specific type Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Glad to hear new edition of ['Studies and Exercises in] Formal **Summary** Logic' ready for publication in early autumn. Think price should not be finally fixed until have printer's account. Agree it should

not be more than 12/- or better still 10/- net. If appendices are not important, think it better to omit them,

given size of book.

Free field Person Name

Summary

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed.

Physical descript

Summary Condition 1 sheet; 1 p. text Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/90

Previous number

Keynes 3(27)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 18.8.1894

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Glad that all of ['Studies and Exercises in] Formal Logic' now **Summary**

gone to press. Can agree price of 12/- ordinary rather than 10/- net. Will bind it uniform with two earlier editions and show

him specimen of binding.

Free field **Person**

Name

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed. **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/91/1

Previous number

Keynes 3(27A)

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

Writer

Macmillan and Company

Publishers

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

20.9.1894

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Correspondence

Letter English

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Have received list of names for presentation copies which will

be despatched immediately.

Encloses formal memorandum of agreement for signature.

JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed.

1 sheet; 1 p. text

JNKeynes 1/91/2 **Identity code Previous number** None **Description level** 4 Record creation Organisation Macmillan and Company 20.9.1894 Date **Place Document form** Record type Memorandum of Agreement Specific type Publishing and copyright agreement English Language Acquisition Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes **Summary** Content Agreement between Macmillan and Company and John **Summary** Neville Keynes concerning "Studies and Exercises in Formal Logic". After printing expenses, profits from every edition that may be printed during term of legal copyright are to be divided 50/50 between author and publisher. Specifies method of accounting for sales and schedule of **Summary** payments. Signed "Macmillan Co." in ink. Free field Person Name Subject keywords JNKeynes - Studies and Exercises..., 3rd ed.

Sound

1 double sheet foolscap, folded; 2 pp. printed text with insertions in black ink and deletions in red ink; imprinted on reverse "Memorandum of Agreement Dated _____ between ____ and Macmillan and Co. for the publication of -----".

Physical descript Summary

Condition

Publication record Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/92/1

Previous number

Keynes 3(28)

Publishers

Recipient

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Macmillan and Company

Name

Descriptor Person

Role

Name Descriptor

Date **Place**

Keynes, John Neville Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

3.10.1895 [London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Content

Summary

Summary

Summary Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

Condition **Publication record**

Type Reference Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Asks Keynes if interested in preparing elementary text book on logic primarily for use of students in Indian universities. Believe textbook needed for students for Intermediate or First Arts Examinations. Currently used texts are by [William Stanley] Jevons and Dr Ray, neither of which ideally suited for

purpose.

If he is interested, they will send further particulars.

Jevons, William Stanley & Ray, Dr JNKeynes - as author JNKeynes - as logician

1 sheet; 3 pp. text

JNKeynes 1/92/2

Previous number

None

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Name

Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Recipient Role

Macmillan and Company **Name**

Publisher **Descriptor** 4.10.1895 Date

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence Specific type Draft letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Appreciates their letter but cannot accept. **Summary**

Summary Would like to write elementary treatise on logic but not quite

on lines they suggest, and the one would interfere with the

other. Also unwilling to be tied to fixed deadlines.

Summary May approach them in future on somewhat different project. Free field Draft reply to Macmillans' letter of 3 October 1895 [JNKeynes

1/92/1].

Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - as author JNKeynes - as logician

Physical descript

Summary

1 sheet ruled paper; 4 pp. text Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/93

Previous number

Keynes 3(29)

Writer

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 5.10.1895

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Sorry Keynes cannot undertake to write book they wanted

[see JNKeynes 1/92/1 and 1/92/2] but will be glad to consider

project to which he refers.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - as author
JNKeynes - as logician

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/94

Previous number

Keynes 3(30)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor

Person

Role

Name

Descriptor Date **Place**

Recipient Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

15.6.1896

Publishers

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Stock of Keynes's 'Scope and Method of Political Economy' is under 50 copies. Although this is about a year's sales, he might think of preparing new edition during Long Vacation.

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary

1 sheet black-bordered paper; 2 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/95

Previous number

Keynes 3(31)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 1.1.1897

Place [London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary When will Keynes have new edition of 'Scope and Method of

Political Economy' ready for printing? Present edition completely exhausted, numerous requests coming in.

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/96

Previous number

Keynes 3(32)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Macmillan and Company

Name **Descriptor**

Person

Role

Name Descriptor

Date **Place** Recipient Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

6.1.1897

Publishers

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Since it would be pity for 'Scope and Method of Political Economy' to be out of print for long time, suggest Keynes adopt second of his two alternatives, i.e. reprint book with only essential slight changes. As soon as he is ready to send material to printer, they will communicate with [Cambridge] University Press.

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method..., 2nd ed. revised

Physical descript

Summary Condition 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/97

Previous number

Keynes 3(33)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor

Publishers

Person

Role **Name** Recipient Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor

Date

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

14.1.1897

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Sorry to learn that even slight revision [of 'Scope and Method of Political Economy'] will take longer than earlier foreseen. Can only ask him to send them instalment of copy as early as

possible.

Free field **Person**

Summary

Name

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method..., 2nd ed.

Physical descript

Summary

1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/98

Previous number

Keynes 3(34)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 5.2.1897

[London] W.C., Covent Garden, Bedford Street **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

If Keynes will send revised copy of 'Scope and Method of Political Economy' to [Cambridge University] Press they will **Summary**

instruct Press to proceed with printing.

Free field **Person** Name

JNKeynes - Scope and Method..., 2nd ed. **Subject keywords**

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

JNKeynes 1/99

Previous number

Keynes 3(35)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Macmillan and Company Name

Descriptor Publishers

Person

Recipient Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Cambridge University Registrary and Honorary Fellow of

Pembroke College

Date 6.5.1912

Place London, W.C., St. Martin's Street

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes Summary

Content

Summary Understand from J[ohn] M[aynard] Keynes that J.N.Keynes

thinking about writing elementary textbook on logic. If so, they

would be delighted to publish it.

Free field **Person**

Keynes, John Maynard Name **Subject keywords** JNKeynes - as author Subject keywords JNKeynes - as logician

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. typescript Condition

Sound

Publication record

Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/100

Previous number

Keynes 3(36)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Macmillan and Company

Descriptor Publishers

Person Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Former Cambridge University Registrary, in retirement, and

Honorary Fellow, Pembroke College

Date 14.7.1927

Place London, W.C.2, St. Martin's Street

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Regret that by mistake they wrote to [John] Maynard Keynes

instead of his father about proposed Japanese translation of 'Scope and Method of Political Economy'. Note that he is agreeable to translation. Will try to arrange best terms possible but experience indicates hard to get more than a few pounds. Will ask translator to send 2 copies of translation once published, and make it clear that John Neville Keynes is

still alive.

Free field Person

Name Keynes, John Maynard

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. typescript

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/101

Previous number

Keynes 1(46)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Markby, William, Sir **Name**

Descriptor Fellow of Balliol College, Oxford and Reader in Indian Law,

Oxford University

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

Date 2.1.1885

Place Oxford, Headington Hill

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Geoffrey Keynes, 1958.

Content

Summary Resumes a previous effort to persuade Keynes to take the

Oxford post vacated by [Alfred] Marshall [who has departed for Bristol]. Given that Keynes does not want to give up his Cambridge work, would he give two courses of lectures over two terms on Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays, returning to Cambridge for the rest of the week? He could have rooms in

Balliol, or stay in lodgings.

The arrangement would be purely provisional, to be **Summary**

reconsidered at the beginning of the Long Vacation.

Summary Encloses a list of the lectures which Marshall had intended to

give [not attached].

Free field Person

Name Marshall, Alfred

Balliol - lectureship offered to JNKeynes Subject keywords

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

2 sheets; 5 pp. text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Reference **Type**

Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Reference Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), vol. 1,

pp.195-6, note 3

Previous number Keynes 1(47)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Markby, William, Sir

Descriptor Fellow of Balliol College, Oxford and Reader in Indian Law,

Oxford University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 15.2.1885

Place Oxford, Balliol College

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Geoffrey Keynes, 1958.

Content

Summary [Alfred] Marshall has conveyed Keynes's willingness to assist

in teaching Political Economy to the higher class of Indian Civil Service students next term. The former also told Markby that Keynes has at present no intention of leaving Cambridge permanently, and Markby accepts that this is a provisional

arrangement only.

Summary Lecture list should be announced this term. Marshall planned

to lecture at noon; this seems to be suitable hour.

Free field Person

Name Marshall, Alfred

Subject keywords Oxford - Balliol lectureship

Subject keywords Balliol - lectureship offered to JNKeynes

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference

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

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), vol. 1, pp.

195-6, note 3

Previous number Keynes 1(75)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Principal of University College, Bristol

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

Fellow of Pembroke College, Cambridge and University **Descriptor**

Lecturer in Moral Science 8.2.1881 (attributed)

Place [Bristol] Clifton, 31 Apsley Road

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks if Keynes has any comment to make on Marshall's

testimonial [supporting Keynes's application for Chair of Political Economy, University College London]. [Herbert Somerton] Foxwell has not yet asked Marshall for a

testimonial.

Summary

Foxwell reports Keynes is helping Sidgwick with "his economics book". "Sidgwick and I differ on some questions of

literary morality for one thing we could not agree in a

discussion as to the use which he (not you) would be at liberty to make of your notes of my lectures: and on hearing that he had asked you to help him with his book I asked Foxwell to give you my views on the subject. I don't know whether he has

had an opportunity of doing so."

Free field Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary

for 9 February 1881, which quotes this letter.

Person

Name Foxwell, Herbert Somerton & Sidgwick, Henry Subject keywords Marshall - on literary morality (borrowing ideas)

Marshall - on Sidgwick Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 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. 90 Type

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Reference Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol 1, pp. 23-4

JNKeynes 1/104

Previous number

Keynes 1(74)

Description level

1

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Principal of University College, Bristol

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 30.4.1883 (year attributed)
Place [Bristol] Clifton, 31 Apsley Road

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Delighted that Keynes is examining for London. Describes how moved he [Marshall] and his wife were by the warmth

now moved ne [Marshall] and his wife were by the warmth with which Keynes urged their return to Cambridge [after Bristol] even if it risked narrowing "the already far too narrow room that you have for your economic work." They have decided to go to Oxford where he will give the lectures which Toynbee used to give. "We had a yearning to be with our old friends at Cambridge and to try to help on the Cambridge Tripos, which we like better than any exam: at Oxford. But after all Oxford is a wide and nearly empty field for economic work: and we are sure we are right in making our choice."

Free field Person

Name Marshall, Mary Paley & Toynbee, Arnold

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - as examiner
JNKeynes - career

Subject keywords Marshall - on his move to Oxford

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 14 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

124 Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 22

Type Reference

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

Previous number Keynes 1(71)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

28.12.1884 (year attributed) **Date**

[Devon] Sidmouth, 1 Beacon Terrace **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958.

Content

Would be personally grieved if Keynes went to Oxford, but has Summary

concluded firstly that if Keynes applied, he would be elected and secondly that if elected he would be glad to go. But Marshall wishes he had thought to suggest to [Sir William] Markby [at Balliol] that Keynes take the job on trial for 6 months, to keep the door open in case he did not like Oxford.

Thinks there is still time to suggest this.

Summary Believes Keynes is just the right man for the job, and that he

would probably become Professor in 3 years. Is sorry if he expressed himself badly to Mrs. Keynes when she talked about Keynes's deficiencies in "public speaking". Does not

think this would be any handicap.

Is writing to Markby and to the Master of Balliol repeating what Summary

he is writing to Keynes.

Summary "If you do go to Oxford you will have the formation of a very

considerable part of the thought and feeling of the English

people in your own hands."

Closing: "Yours, more unselfishly than you know". Free field

Free field Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary.

Mentions this letter 30 Dec.

Person Markby, William, Sir & Keynes, Florence Ada [Mrs. J.N.] Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords Oxford - Balliol lectureship

Balliol - lectureship offered to JNKeynes

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

2 sheets on paper embossed "46 Woodstock Road, Oxford", Summary

the Marshalls' previous address; 8 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.

149

Excerpt **Type**

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 29

JNKeynes 1/106 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(64) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

16.1.1885 (year attributed) Date

Cambridge, Chesterton Road, Firenze **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has found the abstract of his last term's lectures at Oxford on

Economic Theory, gives the heads on another sheet [not

attached].

Summary Comments on attendance at lectures, and on what he had

intended to cover in his advanced course.

Free field

Person

Name Pennell, Aubrey Percival

Subject keywords Marshall - on his Oxford lectures on ec. theory

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Marshall's lectures at

Physical descript

1 sheet; 4 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.

155

Excerpt Type

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

Keynes 1(58) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

2.1887 (attributed)

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Free field

Summary

"My wife and I find it very hard to see Laughlin's points, and perhaps we underrate the strength of his attack." Asks Keynes to read enclosed letter [not attached] and see if it answers.

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence, see nos. 196 and 197. Signed Alfred

Marshall whereas usually uses initials.

Laughlin writing in 'Quarterly Journal of Economics' Free field

Person in January 1887 had criticized Marshall's theory of value and

distribution as reflected in 'Economics of Industry'. Marshall's rejoinder appeared in March 1887 issue as letter to editor.

Laughlin, J. Laurence

Subject keywords Marshall - Economics of Industry

Subject keywords Value - theory of Distribution - theory of Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type

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

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

JNKeynes 1/108

Previous number

Keynes 1(63)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 12.1889 (attributed)
Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thinks Keynes's paper excellent, better than he could do

himself. One suggestion: "You say, as I should "agricultural rent is the excess of the value [previous word underlined]" etc: therefore analogy as well as my own preference would merely lead you to express consumer's rent not "in kind" but in value

or money."

Free field Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence. Letter refers to Keynes's entry on 'consumer's rent' for Palgrave's Dictionary and evidently responds to the revised article referred to by Keynes in his draft letter to Marshall of 2 December I889 [JNKeynes

1/150a].

Person

Name

Subject keywords

Consumer's surplus or rent

Subject keywords Rent - agricultural

Subject keywords Rent - consumer's SEE Consumer's surplus or rent

Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

JNKeynes 1/109 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(49) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

17.1.1889 (year attributed)

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

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Discusses place of inductive logic in Moral Science tripos. Will **Summary**

not get much writing done this term, lectures are taking up time "and though quite well I have rather a jaded feeling."

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence.

Person

Free field

Name

Moral Science Tripos **Subject keywords** Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - health Logic - inductive

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 pp. text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference Excerpt

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

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

257, note 2

JNKeynes 1/110 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(60) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

10.1887 (attributed) Date

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks Keynes to make any comments on Marshall's slips in

pencil to avoid confusing the printer. Discusses minor amendments. Mentions columns 38-44 of proofs. Mentions 2nd edition Gustav Schonberg's "Handbucher politischen

Oekonomie", 1885-6.
Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence.

Person

Schonberg, Gustav & Scheel, Hans von & Ingram, John Kells Name Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type

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

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

221

Reference **Type**

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

JNKeynes 1/111

Previous number

Keynes 3(68)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

10.1887 (attributed)

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary "Many thanks: the more directly and dogmatically you speak

the greater your kindness."

Does not understand what Keynes says about measurability. **Summary**

Cites examples of circumstances in which e.g. marriage and suicide have measurable aspects and to that extent are fit for

economic calculus.

Cites further example of voting by shareholders. Summary "Tell me frankly if you consider this defense valid." Summary

Mentions members of his class, Nathan, Napier, Gillend [sic]. Summarv

Moreland, Wilkinson. "My class is not very large, but of higher

average quality than usual.'

Summary

Postscript: Sends back [proofs?], together with column 38 in which he had referred to [John Stuart] Mill on motives. Has made no change in "measurability" pending Keynes's reaction,

but in any case will explain more clearly.

Asks Keynes to use pencil and not red ink in making changes **Summary**

[to Marshall's proofs] and to use a line scale when making

references.

Free field Names of students are those given in Marshall 2/3 as I.C.S.

2nd year students in Michaelmas Term 1887.

Person Mill, John Stuart & Napier, Alan Bertram & Gillan, Robert Name

Woodburn & Moreland, William Harrison & Wilkinson, Richard

D. & Nathan, ? Arthur Edward

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - editing methods

Marshall - on quality of his students Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 7 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.

Type

JNKeynes 1/112 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(66) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

3.4.1889 (year attributed) Date

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

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Cannot find his copy of 'Leipzig Jahrbuch 1883' containing [Gustav] Schmoller's 'Methodologie' to lend to Keynes.

Postscript: Asks Keynes to dine with him in London at Political **Summary**

Economy Club meeting.

Annotation at top of first page: "Read Postcript first" Free field

[underlined]. Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of

Marshall's correspondence.

Person

Name Schmoller, Gustav

Political Economy Club, London Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp.text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference Verbatim transcript

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

JNKeynes 1/113

Previous number

Keynes 1(73)

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

Free field Person

Name Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary

Condition

Publication record

Type Reference Writer

Marshall, Alfred

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Recipient

Keynes, John Neville

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

8.12.1888 (year attributed) Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Correspondence Letter

English

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Transmits to Keynes a paper [not attached] received from

[Davis Rich] Dewey which Keynes can keep until he has finished his chapter on Statistics [probably in 'Scope and

Method of Political Economy'].

Has found a repetition between two Books of 'Principles of

Economics,' asks Keynes to look at marked passage. "It's a

bore."

Dewey, Davis Rich

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

JNKeynes - as author

1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Sound

JNKeynes 1/114

Previous number

Keynes 1(57)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

26.1.1888 (attributed)

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content

Has to write to [Sir William] Markby on Balliol College matters **Summary**

and will tell him about Keynes [as a candidate for the Oxford professorship]. Will only write to [Benjamin] Jowett [Master of Balliol] when he can send him some proofs of Keynes's book. Understands confidentially that Keynes's chances at Oxford

are good.

Asks Keynes to return proofs of Marshall's Book III [of **Summary**

'Principles of Economics'] so he can get it into better shape

before Keynes goes over it.

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence.

Markby, William, Sir & Jowett, Benjamin & Creighton, Mandell Name

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles Subject keywords

JNKeynes - career prospects

Subject keywords Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Physical descript

Person

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.

JNKeynes 1/115

Previous number

Keynes 1(76)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

13.1.1888 Date

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Very glad to hear Keynes applying for Oxford professorship,

though sorry "on patriotic and personal grounds."

Sends him proofs of Book III [of 'Principles of Economics']. **Summary**

Has sent some to the printers, but was too full of "gold and

silver" to prepare it properly.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career

Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy Subject keywords Commissions, Royal - Gold and Silver Commission, 1887-88

Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 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.

Previous number Keynes 1(61)

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

3.1888 (attributed)

[Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft inferred] **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thinks Keynes would like to see "these testimonials of

Palgrave wh[ich] I have just got."

Continues discussion of prospects of candidates for Oxford **Summary**

Summary

professorship of political economy.

Has got "entangled" in Book IV [of 'Principles'] so is returning to Keynes an unaltered copy of Book III, asks him to look it over for substantive comments, ignoring misprints etc. "as

Price and my wife have looked out for them.

Free field Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence.

Person Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis & Price, Langford Lovell F.R. & **Name**

Marshall, Mary Paley

Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - editing methods

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Physical descript

1 sheet; 2 pp. text **Summary**

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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Reference **Type**

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 255, 408, 410 note,

Previous number Keynes 1(55a)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

2.2.1888=18.2.1888 (attributed)

Place Not given

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content

Summary Encloses a testimonial [not attached] which he has written

about Keynes, asks Keynes if there is anything in it he would like changed. Marshall's chief difficulty was "to account for the

fact that you had not yet written more.

Summary [This and the next para. are from a half-page found with this letter which may not belong here] There are 4 more chapters

in type which he could send to Keynes, but because they need polishing he cannot decide whether or not to send them to him.

Is writing to [Henry] Sidgwick to convey his objection to the **Summary**

latter's scheme [for the Moral Science tripos].

Free field Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary.

The Oxford vacancy was announced on 2 Feb and Keynes sent his application on 18 Feb, therefore this letter dates from

between the two.

Person

Sidgwick, Henry Name

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles Subject keywords

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy Subject keywords

Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - on Moral Science Tripos

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet and 1 half-sheet; 3 pp. text Condition

Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Reference

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

Previous number Keynes 1(77)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 7.2.1888

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has glanced rapidly at Keynes's proofs, thinks them excellent.

Suggests references of a controversial nature to the opinions of individuals be relegated to footnotes. Is going to Oxford to stay with Master of Balliol (Jowitt), would like Keynes's authorization to show proofs. Assumes Keynes will send copies to the electors [to Chair of Political Economy at

Oxford].

Summary Is behind with his Memorandum for the [Gold and Silver]

Commission because has had to expand its scope. Once

that's done, will read Keynes's proofs carefully.

Summary Speculates on chances of alternative candidates for Oxford

chair, including Foxwell.

Free field Person

Name Jowett, Benjamin

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy
Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - career prospects

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Summary Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript
Reference Whitaker, John K.,

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

JNKeynes 1/119

Previous number

Keynes 1(56)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Place

Role Recipien

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University
14.2.1888 (attributed) Tuesday morning

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content Summary

Summary

Free field

Person

Refers to a recent visit to Oxford and the pending election to Drummond Chair of Political Economy there. Still thinks [Lancelot Ridley] Phelps "is the most likely of the Oxford menbar [James Edwin Thorold] Rogers. But I think his chance is less and Rogers' much greater than I did before going. I am rather reverting to my original copinion that the odds are slightly.

Is sending a message to the Historical Board instead of going.

less and Rogers' much greater than I did before going. I am rather reverting to my original opinion that the odds are slightly in favour of him as against the field. I spoke always in his favour. But I managed to get out a good strong sentence or two about you to anyone to whom I spoke on the subject." "The Master [Jowett] seemed pleased to have a copy of your proofs: and I have sent the second copy to [Robert] Giffen."

Dated by external evidence. Special Board for History and Archaeology met on 14 Feb. J.N.Keynes reported this letter in

his diary on 18 Feb. Information from Phyllis Deane.

Name Phelps, Lancelot Ridley & Rogers, James Edwin Thorold &

Jowett, Benjamin & Giffen, Robert

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript
Reference Whitaker, John K.,

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

Keynes 1(65) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

18.2.1888 (year attributed) Date

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

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Discusses possible reorganisation of Moral Science Tripos,

attaches an outline "which represents my present opinions as far as I have any." Keynes can show it to Sidgwick or any

other member of the Board if he wishes.

Free field Suggested by Phyllis Deane that this may be from 1888 as

there was a Board meeting to discuss Tripos reform on 29

Feb that year.

Person

Sidawick, Henry Name

Marshall - on Moral Science Tripos Subject keywords

Physical descript

2 sheets; 8 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.

231 Excerpt

Type

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

Keynes 1(78) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

24.2.1888 **Date**

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thinks Keynes's testimonials [supporting his application for

the Chair of Political Economy at Oxford] are "few but vigorous". Wishes Keynes had described Marshall as

"sometime Fellow of Balliol College".

Summary Has read some of Keynes's proofs more carefully, thinks them

extremely good, but will make two suggestions "especially as

to your references to the Germans."

Free field Person

Name

Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy Subject keywords

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

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Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

232

Type Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 90

JNKeynes 1/122

Previous number

Keynes 1(79)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipien

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 1.3.1888

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Is ashamed to trouble Keynes with his [Marshall's] proofs [of

'Principles of Economics'], but takes him at his word. Sends 2 chapters on Agriculture which had been typed earlier to get

Bullock Hall's criticism on purely technical parts.

Summary

Book VI chapter I, a short introductory chapter on supply in

general, will be in type soon. Is currently working on Chapter on Capital. "I have completely rewritten it for about the eighth time, reintroducing a great part of what I had in it some time ago. It has a historical Note, the only one which I am at present inclined to introduce. It will contain implicitly suggestions as to the way of handling German definitions which it may be interesting to you to consider with reference to your own book, though very likely you may not think I have

chosen the right plan."

Free field Person

Name

Bullock Hall, William Henry

Subject keywords

Bullock Hall, William Henry

Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles
Subject keywords

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Reference

Type Reference

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

233 Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 90

Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

Previous number Keynes 1(55b)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

2.3.1888 = 17.3.1888 (attributed)

Place Not given

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Sir Geoffrey Keynes, 1958

Content

Person

Summary Asks Keynes not to bother reading his [Marshall's] proofs if

not in the mood. Sends revised chapter on Capital. Will try to get Book IV [of 'Principles of Economics'] ready for the press,

then return to Books II and III.

Summary "I am getting very excited about Oxford." Mentions Keynes's

trip.

Summary Discusses his objections to [Henry] Sidgwick's scheme for the

Moral Science tripos.

Free field Date attributed by mention of Oxford Chair and Keynes's trip,

probably that to Stuttgart, where he heard that Rogers had

been elected to the Oxford chair.

Name Sidgwick, Henry

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Subject keywords

JNKeynes - career prospects
Subject keywords

Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

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 Reference Groenewe

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

JNKeynes 1/124 **Identity** code

Keynes 1(80) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

17.3.1888

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

4

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

"You will have heard that [James Edwin Thorold] Rogers is **Summary**

elected" [to Chair of Political Economy at Oxford]. Urges Keynes to edit the proposed economic quarterly **Summary** ['Economic Journal'] at salary of £100, which would get him

into habit of writing on economic subjects and thereby earn a

good sum.

Free field Person

Name Rogers, James Edwin Thorold

Oxford Univ - Drummond Professorship in Political Economy Subject keywords

JNKeynes - career prospects Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - as author Subject keywords Economic Journal

Physical descript

1 sheet; 3 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.

236

Reference **Type**

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

JNKeynes 1/125

Previous number

Keynes 1(53)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

26.4.1888 (attributed)

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

Writer

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Card English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary "My wife will look over the letter I have written to you, and

send it on with her own comments tomorrow or Saturday. The more I look at your proofs the more do I think that they are

excellent, but that they can be made better.'

Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary. Free field

He received the letter referred to on 28 Apr.

Person

Name Marshall, Mary Paley

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Grey card, 116 mm x 92 mm 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.

Previous number Keynes 1(67)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred & Marshall, Mary Paley

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University &

Lecturer in Economics, Newnham College, Cambridge

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 26.4.1888 (year attributed)

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Comments on 2 chapters of Keynes's book ['The Scope and

Method of Political Economy'], suggests Keynes come and talk once he has digested comments. Refers to his wife's

notes enclosed.

Free field Associated with this letter are two sheets of paper with

pencilled notes, the first in Alfred Marshall's hand and the second in Mary Paley Marshall's hand. The first is written on sheet bearing imprint "THE SCOPE AND METHOD OF POLITICAL ECONOMY", a page proof of Keynes's title page.

Person

Name Marshall, Mary Paley

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as author

Physical descript

Summary 4 sheets, 12 pp. text

Condition F.1 torn at bottom of crease. F.3 and F.4 have torn left

margins

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

Previous number Keynes 1(51)

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipien

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 8.5.1888 (attributed)

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Adds to what he said yesterday, "that I have no intention of

making an attack on Sidgwick's method of conducting Moral

Science Board business, unless I can not help it.
"Also all my indignation against him is confined to a rather

Summary

"Also all my indignation against him is confined to a rather narrow area. It is Sidgwick as a university politician and to some extent as a writer on economics that I quarrel with. All

some extent as a writer on economics that I quarret with. All the rest of Sidgwick, I expect I think as highly of as you do."

Free field Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary Person

Name Sidgwick, Henry

Subject keywords Moral Science Tripos

Subject keywords Sidgwick - as university politician

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

JNKeynes 1/128

Marshall, Alfred

Keynes, John Neville

Previous number

Keynes 1(68)

Description level

4

Writer

Record creation

Person

Role Name

Descriptor

Person

Role Name

Descriptor

Date

Place

16.5.1888 (year attributed)

Letter English

Correspondence

Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type

Specific type Language

Acquisition **Summary**

Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Summary Free field

Person Name

Subject keywords Subject keywords

Physical descript Summary Condition

Publication record Type

Reference

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Continues discussion of composition of Moral Science Tripos. Comments on inconclusive vote on the Whewell Scholarship. Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary. There was a fraught meeting of Moral Science Board 15 May which failed to reach agreement and was adjourned.

Moral Science Tripos Whewell Scholarships

1 sheet; 3 pp. text Sound

JNKeynes 1/129

Previous number

Keynes 1(69)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipien

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 23.6.1888 (year attributed)

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Asks Keynes to look at paper by [Joseph Shield] Nicholson

relating to Gold and Silver Commission and Marshall's draft reply, and make any comments in pencil on the draft. [George Herbert] Murray wants a short answer from Marshall printed for private circulation among the Commission. Marshall proposes to come and see Keynes next Monday to discuss

this and other papers.

Free field

Person

Name Nicholson, Joseph Shield & Murray, George Herbert

Subject keywords Commissions, Royal - Gold and Silver Commission, 1887-88

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser to Marshall

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Reference

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

Previous number Keynes 1(70)

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

20.8.1888 (year attributed) **Date Place** [Yorkshire, N. Riding] Fylingdales

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Sends Keynes the first four of a batch of chapters on

"Industrial Organization", will ask printer to send him proof of a

fifth chapter on "Business Management".

Summary "There remains in Book IV a final chapter summing up the conditions of Supply. Then comes Book V short and hasty; on

the "General Theory of the Equilibrium of Demand and Supply": and then Book VI which is to be very much like Book

II of 'Economics of Industry'.

"Up to the beginning of "Organization of Industry" is 300 **Summary**

pages, from there to the end of the Volume I think 300 more.

It's a long job."

Asks whether he or his wife can be of service to Keynes, and Summary

sends him their address in Yorkshire.

Wonders what Keynes thinks of Marshall's and [Charles] Summary

Booth's "Census Memorandum". The Times contains an untrue report that Marshall intends to read a paper on the

Census at the British Association.

Free field Person

Booth, Charles Name

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet paper with embossed address "Balliol Croft,

Madingley Road, Cambridge" stricken and "Fylingdales"

added in ink; 4 pp. text.

Slightly discoloured at edges and central fold Condition

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

Excerpt **Type**

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, pp. 90-1

JNKeynes 1/131 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(81) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 27.8.1888

Yorkshire, Staithes R.S.O., Cliffgrove **Place**

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thanks for looking over proofs. Has given up hope of bringing

out Vol. I [of 'Principles of Economics'] in January, now hoping for March. All but 200 pages now with printer. Half of rest is in good condition, but other 100 have either to be written or

Summary Now busy with diagrams "which swarm in the latter half of

Book V.

Free field Person

Name

Subject keywords

Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Sound Condition

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

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

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Type Extract

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 91

Previous number Keynes 1(82)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 29.9.1888

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

SummaryTo get more time for writing, he wants to change his lecture

timetable, asks Keynes when revising Moral Science lecture list to make shifts between Lent and Easter Terms. Number of

lectures is unaffected.

Summary Postscript: sends Keynes slips containing corrections or

clarifications of text, probably of Book V of 'Principles of

Economics'. Is making hardly any progress.

Free field See JNKeynes 1/135 for later change to lecture plans

Person Name

Subject keywords Marshall - lecture schedules

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 7 pp. text

Condition Streak of dirt along upper edge of sheet

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

Reference

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

JNKeynes 1/133

Previous number

Keynes 1(52)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

24.10.1888 (attributed) **Date**

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Card English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

"Private. A-D [parts of Palgrave's Dictionary of Economics] **Summary**

have come. I don't much like them. The sample article on Value is, I think, very unsatisfactory. I am inclined to hold as much aloof as possible. I now understand what you said about it. We must have a talk before R.H.I.P. [Palgrave] appears on the scene. If there is not some change, I fear R.I.P. may be

the end of all."

Postscript: "Low barometer and Moral Science Board together **Summary**

have done me up."

Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary. Free field

Keynes read specimen article on 12 Oct, Moral Science Board met 24 Oct and Palgrave arrived to stay with Keynes 17 Nov.

Person

Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis **Name**

Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy

Marshall - health Subject keywords

Physical descript

Grey card, 116 mm x 92 mm **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.

JNKeynes 1/134

Previous number

Keynes 1(83)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Marshall, Alfred

Name **Descriptor**

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

26.10.1888 **Date**

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

"I intended to tell you that I acted deliberately in applying the curves only to problems of Normal Values and not to Market Values. Market curves can be drawn: but I would agree with Wicksteed that they could never have a shape that would correspond to the Law of Increasing Return. And I don't think they would be of much practical use. I considered whether I would introduce "market" curves, and explain the difference between them and Normal Curves: but thought I should only bother the reader.

Summary

Summary

Summary Summary

"And now I want to ask your kind advice on a difficult point. "What I say about Derived [word underlined] Demand and Summary Supply Book V chapter V paragraphs 1 2 and 4 is in my own

conceited opinion, new and important: but the exposition gave me a great deal of trouble and is I fear unsatisfactory yet. In particular I have taken an illustration in the text (not in the footnote) about plasterers which I knew at the time was not in perfect logical harmony with the assumption that the curves apply only to periods sufficiently long to allow free action to the normal forces of supply (in this case the growth of plasterers). "I took that particular illustration partly because it is a striking one, partly because I shall want it a good deal in Book VI: and I thought that if I apologized for and explained away this logical change of point of view, I should bother the readers:

and that if I said nothing about it probably no-one would find it out. Also I took care to say nothing of the possibility of the supply curves sloping downwards towards the right. (I have suppressed hundreds of possible queer cases of that sort for fear of overburdening the book by statements of the conditions by which they had to be safeguarded.)

"Now the question I want to ask is: - would it be best a. to explain the change of venue involved by the plasterers'

illustration or

b. to destroy it ruthlessly or

Summary c. run the risk of detection by lynx-eyed (or minded) readers. Summary **Summary** "I send papers on Monopolies. There is something wrong with the supply curve in Fig 37 (as also in Figs 20 and 29): and

argument.'

Free field See JNKeynes 1/212 for later typed copy, with error of

transcription in last sentence, which reads "But the curves don't affect the argument." This error is repeated in Whitaker,

they must be redrawn. But the errors don't affect the

letter no. 251.

Person Name

Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords

Methodology - diagrams

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Demand and supply Subject keywords Subject keywords Increasing returns Subject keywords Normal and market values

Previous number Keynes 1(84)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

14.11.1888

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Finds he cannot bring out Vol I before Easter, so wants

shamed-facedly to change back and lecture in the Lent term. [See JNKeynes 1/132]. Will also somewhat alter lecture subjects to make them suit the historical men "if you are in any doubt as to whether you would like to give a special set of

lectures for them."

"On this plan I shall get the Easter Term free for my Book VI Summary

and my address on Cooperation, which will be very much on

the subject of Book VI. will almost write itself."

Summary

Discusses alternative lecture plans depending on whether Keynes intends to lecture to "the Historical men." Asks Keynes to dine in hall with him later in the month.

Postscript: Discusses an equation he has found in looking

over old notes.

Free field

Summary

Person Name

Subject keywords Marshall - lecture schedules Methodology - mathematical Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords Cooperation/cooperatives - Marshall on

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

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Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type

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

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

Excerpt **Type**

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 91

Type Excernt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 2, p. 302

Previous number Keynes 1(85)

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

8.12.1888 **Date**

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Apologises for asking Keynes to spend time on Marshall's MS when Keynes ought to be working on his own, but badly wants

advice on how to present his views on value. Cites

argumentation written in early 1870's but omitted from current draft of Book V [of 'Principles of Economics'], wonders

whether he should not include it.

Pencilled annotation on first page, in Rita McWilliams Free field

Tullberg's hand: "See typed copy Keynes 1(141)." The correct reference is to JNKeynes 1/213.

Person Name

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Subject keywords Value - theory of

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Small inkblot at left margin of first page

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

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

Verbatim transcript Type

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

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

119-20

Excerpt **Type**

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

1842-1924' (Aldershot, 1995), p. 155

Type

Reference Guillebaud, C.W., ed., 'Alfred Marshall Principles of

Economics', ninth (variorum) edition, 2 vols, (London, 1961),

vol. 2, p. 365

JNKeynes 1/137

Previous number

Keynes 1(86)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

20.12.1888 **Date**

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thanks Keynes greatly for stating certain propositions, [in

commenting on Marshall's draft] since fact that he felt it necessary to do so shows that Marshall's formulation of his own arguments about production costs is faulty. Thinks he will leave Book V as it is, but follow it by a separate short Book on Cost of Production before the long Book on "Distribution and

Exchange".

Summary Thinks however they disagree about Cunynghame's position. Summarv

Is convinced that difficulties of investigation which actually occur in real life should have larger place in logical papers

than semi-scholastic questions.

Free field Person

Cunynghame, Henry Hardinge Name Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles Subject keywords

Subject keywords Production costs

Physical descript

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

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

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

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Type Reference Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 91

Type

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

Previous number Keynes 3(69)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

JNKeynes 1/138

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

8.1889 (attributed)

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

Document form

Date

Correspondence Record type

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

He and Keynes do not disagree about method, but about Summary

people. Marshall holds "classical" economists knew their facts but only put abstract of them in their "shopfront". Also thinks them less abstract than Keynes does. In writing his earlier chapters, has altered his own views somewhat after carefully

studying what they say about wages.

Convinced that when Irishman [Thomas Edward] Cliffe Leslie Summary

tried to correct English economists about facts of English life, "he was wrong in consequence of the paucity of the facts at

his disposal".

Wishes he had spare copy of his earlier chapters handy, but **Summary** they are much on same lines as 'The Present Position of

Economics' as far as this point goes, "a little kinder to Ricardo & Co, though as I have said not quite so kind as I am inclined

[Attached to this letter are 3 numbered sheets of comments **Summary**

on or proposed rewordings of parts of Keynes's manuscript; not all are clear in absence of latter's original text. Specific

references follow.]

[Sheet 1] Includes comment on similarity of intellectual Summary

character between [Nassau] Senior and [Walter] Bagehot.

[Sheet 2] Numerous short comments. Summary

[Sheet 3] "You know von Thunen's Metier [word underlined] Summary was that of an agricultural reformer. His abstract economics comes in by the way. He was up to his eyes in facts about rye

and manure and so on."

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence.

Person Leslie, Thomas Edward Cliffe & Ricardo, David & Senior, Name Nassau William & Bagehot, Walter & Thunen, Johann

Heinrich von

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy, drafting Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser to JNKeynes

Subject keywords Marshall - on earlier English economists

Physical descript

4 sheets; 13 pp. text Summary

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Publication record

Type

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Reference

Verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

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

Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no. 268

Excerpt

Reference

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 98

Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

Previous number Keynes 3(70)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writers Role

Name Marshall, Alfred & Marshall, Mary Paley

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

8.1889 (attributed)

Date Place Not given

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Summary

Has had to rewrite what was meant to be first chapter of Book Summary

VII [of 'Principles'], but is now going on.

Finds he differs with Keynes more than he thought. Objects in **Summary** toto to "distinction between German and English [schools of economics]". Thinks this, started by [Francis Amasa] Walker

"who is without any special knowledge and cant read German" is utterly inappropriate.

Summary Accuses Keynes of confusing what is fundamentally a

difference of time with one of geography. Minor differences have been exaggerated by heat of controversy.

Thinks Keynes "most harsh and unfair to your own

countrymen. What German has had one half of the knowledge of the facts of life possessed by McCulloch the bete-noire of

those who call the "English" school abstract."

Summary Thinks picture Keynes gives is a libel on England. Cites list of

English authorities and statistical sources to refute his claims. Postscript: "I dont deny that the aggregate economic activity in Germany at present is three times that in England, and the

trained economic ability even greater in proportion.

Encloses "a paper of notes by my wife. We agree on almost Summary

every point."

Has sent first 2 chapters of Book VII to printers. Note on **Summary**

Ricardo was to have gone at end of Book VII, has just decided

to put it at end of Book VI.

Summary Mary Paley Marshall's pencilled comments, on small separate

sheet: Considers account of English exposition of method is rather extreme, and that [John Stuart] Mill would only have subscribed to it in his earlier days. Thinks German school has written much more about method than the English, and the small output of the latter "i. doesnt represent the views of English Economists as a whole on the subject of method and ii. doesnt at all represent the methods which have been adopted by English economists; the best work in England has been done by the best available methods without troubling to

say what the method is."

Another comment, subsequently deleted, remarks that most of **Summary**

English writing on method has been done by "anti-Mill Ricardo

side - e.g. Cliffe Leslie etc."

Free field Valediction: "Yours most frankly. But with great admiration on

all points bar this. A.M." Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition

of Marshall's correspondence.

Person Name Walker, Francis Amasa & McCulloch, John Ramsey &

Marshall, Mary Paley & Mill, John Stuart & Ricardo, David &

Leslie, Thomas Edward Cliffe

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy, drafting Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - on methodology of other economists

Subject keywords Marshall - on German economists

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of Subject keywords

Political Economy

JNKeynes 1/140

Previous number

Keynes 1(54)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

4.1888 (attributed)

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Mary Paley Marshall is reading his chapters, Marshall will read Summary

them tomorrow. Thought Keynes still had his notes on Ricardo. Is writing to Caldecot[t] "to say I wish he would work out his original plan for putting the four subjects i. Psychology ii. Logic iii. Philosophy (Mental and Moral) and iv. P[olitical] E[conomy] on an equal footing; and that I would rather see P.E. turned out of the M[oral] Sc[ience] Tripos altogether, than have the Tripos so manipulated as to cause the greater part of the students for it to give their third year - the only time when they are at all fit to see the bearing of economic questions exclusively to Philosophy. In my opinion there would be less harm in putting Philosophy exclusively into the first and second years than in giving it the monopoly of the third: but of

course I don't advocate that.'

Free field Caldecott was a member of Moral Sciences Board Jan

1893-Dec 1895, therefore letter may date from this period, but mention of Keynes's chapters would appear to place it earlier, during the writing of "The Scope and Method of Political Economy". Date attributed according to John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's correspondence.

Person

Caldecott, Alfred, Rev.

Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Marshall, Mary Paley - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Subject keywords

Method of Political Economy Marshall - on Moral Science Tripos

Physical descript

Subject keywords

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Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type Reference

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Previous number Keynes 1(88)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

15.1.1889 **Date**

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary In Keynes's list of examination questions, Marshall has ticked

those within scope of proposed paper on logic, probability and

statistics.

Summary Has decided to renumber old Book VI [of 'Principles of

Economics] on Distribution and Exchange as Book VII and insert new Book VI on Cost of Production. Sees no need to change anything he had said about unstable equilibrium but

will give fuller explanations.

"I think I spoke to you some time ago of Pantaleoni as **Summary**

seeming to me to have much truer mathematical instincts than Jevons, Walras, Launhardt and Co., and I may now add

Wicksteed. But I have not told him that."

Free field Person **Name**

Pantaleoni, Maffeo & Jevons, William Stanley & Walras,

Marie-Esprit Leon & Launhardt, Carl Friedrich Wilhelm &

Wicksteed, Philip Henry JNKeynes - as examiner

Subject keywords Marshall - assessment of other economists as

mathematicians

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type

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

Type Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, pp. 91-2,

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Reference **Type**

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

Previous number Keynes 1(95)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 1.1890 (attributed)
Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Complains of sore throat, lack of progress on book ['Principles of Economics']. Agrees about correspondence in The Times

[on bimetallism]. Admires [Robert] Giffen despite "his conspicuous faults", disapproves of that part of "H.S.F's [Herbert Somerton Foxwell's] letter imputing to Giffen a half-dishonest desire to stifle discussion. I regard that

suggestion as absurd as well as unkind."

Summary Discusses his disagreement with Foxwell about the 15 1/2

ratio [between silver and gold].

Free field

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's correspondence. Annotated in pencil on first page, in

unidentified hand, "1890?" Correspondence in The Times was

Dec 1889-Jan 1890.

Person
Name
Giffen, Robert & Foxwell, Herbert Somerton

Subject keywords Marshall - health Subject keywords Bimetallism

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
Marshall - on Foxwell
Marshall - on Giffen

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript
Reference Whitaker, John K.,

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

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Keynes 1(89) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 7.2.1889

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence Specific type Note card English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Makes last effort to persuade Keynes to accept editorship of 'Economic Journal'. "Everyone [word underlined] would very much [two words underlined twice] prefer you" to Edgeworth

or Price.

Free field Person

Edgeworth, Francis Ysidro & Price, Langford Lovell F.R. Name

Subject keywords Economic Journal

Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects

Physical descript

Summary Buff card, 114 mm x 89 mm

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

260

Type Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 464, note Reference

Keynes 1(90) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

27.5.1889

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Discusses distribution of lecture topics between himself,

Keynes and [Herbert Somerton] Foxwell for forthcoming

academic year.

Summary Book goes slowly, at present he is not working on it at all.

Cooperation will fill his mind until Term is over. Expects to get

his Vol.I out by Christmas

Free field

Person

Name Foxwell. Herbert Somerton Marshall - lecture topics Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, drafting of Subject keywords

Subject keywords Cooperation/cooperatives - Marshall on

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 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.

263

Excerpt **Type**

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 92

Type Excerpt

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p.409, 410, 471

Previous number Keynes 1(91)

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

23.7.1889 (year attributed) **Date**

Channel Islands, Guernsey, St Magloire **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Sends rest of Book VI [of 'Principles of Economics'] on Cost of

Production for Keynes to vet, L.L.F.R. Price having made his

suggestions. Book VII limps.

Summary Reports that [Rudolf] Auspitz is dead.

Summary Will shortly send [Lujo] Brentano's latest attack on "the

orthodox school". His "illogicalisms are noteworthy."

Embossed address "Balliol Croft Cambridge" crossed through, Free field

St Magloire inserted in ink.

Person

Price, Langford Lovell F.R. & Auspitz, Rudolf & Brentano, Lujo Name

Marshall - Principles, drafting of **Subject keywords**

Subject keywords Marshall - on Brentano

Subject keywords Price, L.L.R.F. - as adviser to Marshall

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 92

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Previous number Keynes 3(72)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

27.8.1889 (year attributed) **Date**

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[Channel Islands, Guernsey] St Magloire **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Expects Keynes's plan is best: short note on Consumer's Rent

and "then anything you like to say later on about Rent -

Consumer's.

Summary Comments on spelling of "show" versus "shew".

Summary Troubled by Keynes's reference to [Walter] Bagehot's

'Postulates'. Had met Mrs Bagehot at dinner and "more with a view to being polite than of set purpose" asked if she thought of publishing "the two chief essays separately." She then wrote saying she intended to, and asked him to write preface. Since not in sympathy with Bagehot intellectually but unwilling to tell Mrs Bagehot so, and since also short of time, he had produced "short and utterly empty preface; and to speak quite frankly I am a little ashamed of having special attention called

to it by your kindness."

Summary Postscript: [Cambridge University] Press has been longer than

usual in setting up his Book VII ch. I.

The date '1889' at head of letter added in pencil in unidentified Free field

hand.

Person

Bagehot, Walter & Bagehot, Mrs Walter Name

Consumer's surplus or rent Subject keywords Subject keywords Subject keywords Marshall - on Bagehot Marshall - Principles

Physical descript

1 sheet; 4 pp. text Summary

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

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

270 Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 31

Excerpt **Type**

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp.406/7, note

JNKeynes 1/147

Previous number

Keynes 3(67)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role Marshall, Alfred

Name **Descriptor**

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

4.9.1889 (attributed)

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

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

"I think your Chap I is excellent now. I do not mean that on any point I should say exactly what you have. But I think it represents excellently your point of view, and my own differences from it are never more than half the breadth of a hair. And it is not useful to hair-split. There is however one point on which I think you might be a little clearer: The sentence on slip 12 "It will be observed .." should I think come in some form or other at an earlier stage. In fact you have tacitly implied that these characteristics are all entirely dependent, are in fact different sides of the same thing. Now it is true that if you are ethical you must be realistic. But if you were to strike out about a dozen pages from Booth's 'Life and Labour' (as some people - not I - think he would have been well advised to do) you would have a very realistic piece of economic work, but not at all an ethical one.

Summary

Summary

Summary

heading of para. 3 and introduce the connection between ethics and realism later on. "I don't think Bohm-Bawerk has written anything on method:

Summary

but I regard him as more important than Sax, though less original and (but don't repeat this) less genuine than Menger." Discusses travel plans, and says he will send Keynes some

"I am not sure that I should not strike out "ethical" from the

more slips of his own before he leaves.

"The last time my wife read your proofs first: this time, I have

read them first.

Summary Postcript: "The discussion is about method [previous word underlined. Now is there an ethical [previous word underlined]

method? There is an ethical tone and an ethical scope [previous word underlined]. Do you not rather run method and scope together in what you say about "ethical"?"

Annotated on the last page in ink in Mary Paley Marshall's

hand, beside the last sentence before the postcript, "(I have

now read them and cannot find any faualt. MPM) Dated by Phyllis Deane from evidence in J.N. Keynes's diary,

which cites this letter on 5 Sep.

Person Name

Free field

Free field

Booth, Charles & Bohm-Bawerk, Eugen von & Sax, Emil & Menger, Carl & Marshall, Mary Paley

Marshall - on German economists Subject keywords Subject keywords

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Marshall, Mary Paley - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and

Method of Political Economy Marshall - on ethical method

JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy, drafting Subject keywords

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Subject keywords

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound Publication record Type Reference

Verbatim transcript Whitaker, John K., ed., 'The Correspondence of Alfred Marshall, Economist', 3 vols, (Cambridge, 1996), letter no. 271

JNKeynes 1/148 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(92) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

11.10.1889 Date

Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Since Keynes had drawn his attention to [William] **Summary**

Cunningham's paper, Marshall sends him "the enclosed correspondence" [not attached]. Objects to Cunningham ascribing to him an opinion which he told him he did not hold,

but proposes to do nothing further.

Free field Person

Cunningham, William Name Subject keywords Marshall - on Cunningham

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 2 pp. text Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

Type Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p.469 Summary

JNKeynes 1/149

Previous number

Keynes 3(73)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Date

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

17.11.1889

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Summary Returns Keynes's proofs at last. Agrees generally with latter

half but differs with former half on 2 points.

I. Thinks [John Stuart] Mill held views which Keynes holds and not that study of economic affairs can be isolated. 2."I now differ from you both in holding (what I did not always hold) that the economic man does so little good service and causes so much trouble that on practical and tactical (not theoretical)

grounds, it is best to do without him."

Summary Considers Keynes concedes too much to "popular opponents"

of economics. Important to make clear that narrowness of which economists are charged is based on writings not of economists but of those who had dabbled in the literature enough to quote out of context passages "that would serve them a good turn [for] their own dirty ends by their own mean

and cruel narrowness."

Summary Thinks first part perhaps too long and prominent. How about

putting second part first? Likes second part very much, first

only moderately.

Person
Name
Mill, John Stuart

Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser to JNKeynes

Subject keywords JNKeynes - Scope and Method of Political Economy, drafting

of

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Torn at both ends of central crease

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 Groenewe

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

Previous number Keynes 1(72)

Description level

Record creation

Person Role

Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

26.11.1889 (year attributed) **Date Place** Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Regards Consumer's Rent as a sum of money not as an Summary

amount of utility. Holds that Jevons's great error was applying to utility, propositions only true of price. "It was here that he thought himself most profound: and it is because I think he was wrong in this one point in which he differed from his predecessors [Johann Heinrich] Von Thunen and [Antoine Augustin] Cournot that I consider his claims to greatness do not to any considerable extent rest on his Theory of Pol[itical]

Econfomvl."

Sees no connection between loss of Consumer's Rent and **Summary**

loss of Total Utility resulting from a tax, unless it is known whether the commodity taxed is consumed by the rich, by the

poor or by all classes.

If Keynes thinks it best to include [in his entry on subject in Summary

Palgrave's Dictionary] a full account of Consumer's Rent at once, "I should be very glad that you should make any use you like by quotation, or otherwise, of the enclosed sheet."

[Sheet missing].

Summary If Keynes makes any references at all it should be to the

privately printed papers of I879 [Marshall's 'Pure Theory of Domestic Values', printed privately, 1879] "and to [Book III ch IV and Book V ch VII and VIII (Qe)] of 'Principles of

Economics'." Keynes should follow his own judgement, which

will be best.

Postscript: "Perhaps you might introduce something about the **Summary**

matters discussed in my Book III Ch IV para.2 [figure

underlined twice] on your page 5.

Keynes 1/214 and Marshall 1/325 are typed copies of parts of Free field

this letter and of JNKeynes 1/151 and 1/196.

Annotated in pencil on first page, in an unknown hand, "1889"

after date.

Free field Keynes had been asked by Robert Harry Inglis Palgrave to

prepare a number of entries for his 'Dictionary of Political Economy', then under preparation. See Palgrave's letters to Keynes of 22 August I889 [JNKeynes 1/247] and 24 August 1889 [JNKeynes 1/248] for references to Marshall and consumer's rent. See also Marshall's letter of 2 December

1889 [JKeynes 1/151].

Name Jevons, William Stanley & Thunen, Johann Heinrich von &

Cournot, Antoine Augustin Consumer's surplus or rent

Marshall - Pure Theory of Domestic Values

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles

Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy Subject keywords

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Free field

Person

Summary 2 sheets; 6 pp. text

Condition Sound **Publication record**

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

Type Reference

Type Reference

Excerpt
Guillebaud, C.W., ed., 'Alfred Marshall Principles of
Economics', ninth (variorum) edition, 2 vols, (London, 1961),
vol.2, pp. 260, 832
Excerpts
Consequence Peter 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 161

Type Reference Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall 1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 161, 425, 684

Previous number None

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Person

Role Marshall, Alfred Name

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

2.12.1889 **Date Place** Cambridge

Document form

Correspondence Record type Draft letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Unknown. Found in file of stray, uncatalogued items in

archives room May 1997, within a sheet listing library

accessions of works published up to 1967.

Content Summary

Keynes has never overlooked difficulties involved in comparing the satisfaction given by a given expenditure to different purchasers. He had not realized that Marshall attached such fundamental importance to defining

Consumer's Rent as a sum of money and not as an amount of utility. Keynes's view was that because money does not accurately measure the utility it was better not to introduce the idea of measurement into the definition. Discusses specific section of the article he is writing for Palgrave's "Dictionary of Economics" relating to purchase of £7 of coal and how to

show different effects on his accompanying figure.

"However I will rewrite the article and if I am not boring you too Summary much send it to you again. It is your views I want to expound

and of course would not consent to send anything to Palgrave which you did not regard as rightly representing you." Keynes is not accusing Marshall of any confusion, but that "the other order of procedure is equally free from confusion". Thinks

Wicksteed's exposition of Jevons is very clear.

Free field Draft letter with substantial amendments. Headed "letter to

Marshall 2 Dec/89"

Palgrave, Robert Harry Inglis & Wicksteed, Philip Henry & Name

Jevons, William Stanley Consumer's surplus or rent

Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy Subject keywords

Physical descript

Person

5 sheets; 5 pp text. Ink with pencil amendments **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Transcript, omitting some substantial amendments Type Reference

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

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

280

Type Reference

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

JNKeynes 1/151

Previous number

Keynes 1(93)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

2.12.1889 **Date**

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Did not in any way wish to suggest that Keynes confused Summary

hedonics and economics. Because of [William Stanley] Jevons's systematic confusion between the two, Marshall anxious that his Consumer's Rent should not be "sewn up into" Jevons's Total Utility. He had this prominently in mind when writing on tax burden in his "old Treatise on Foreign Trade" ['Pure Theory of Foreign Trade', privately printed 1879]. Wished to make it clear that economic statistics have nothing to do with Utility, only with its rough money measure. His protest against Jevons has been a deliberately silent one.

Summary In light of Keynes's query, discusses adding further

explanation on Consumer's Rent to Mathematical Appendix, sends Keynes text for his comment. His solution to the difficulty seems to be different to Keynes, not opposed to it. "I think however that if you pursued the matter far, you might be

compelled to adopt my hypothesis.'

Postscript "My book do grow: Oh! it do [underlined] grow! **Summary**

B.B.Bother it!!!" Mary Marshall cannot find the passage he

cites above, but feels sure he wrote it.

Keynes 1/214 and Marshall 1/325 are typed copies of parts of Free field

this letter and of JNKeynes 1/150 and 1/196.

Free field See JNKeynes 1/108, 1/146, 1/150, 1/150a, 1/247 and 1/248

for further references to Consumer's Rent.

Person Name Jevons, William Stanley & Marshall, Mary Paley

Subject keywords Consumer's surplus or rent Subject keywords

Marshall - on Jevons, W.S.

Marshall - Pure Theory of Foreign Trade Subject keywords Subject keywords Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 2 sheets; 8 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type

Reference

Verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

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

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

281 Excerpt

Type Reference Guillebaud, C.W., ed., 'Alfred Marshall Principles of

Economics', ninth (variorum) edition, 2 vols, (London, 1961),

vol. 2, pp. 261-2

Reference and excerpt

Whitaker, J.K., ed., 'The Early Economic Writings of Alfred Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 34,

note 87 and p. 92, vol. 2, p. 185

Type Reference

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

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 161, 255, 410 second note,

425

Previous number Keynes 1(94)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 20.12.1889 (postmark)

Place Cambridge, Madingley Road, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence
Specific type Postcard
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Thanks Keynes for his careful criticisms, which will make him

"round off the edges of what I say about Mill etc.: though I still think his Book IV is the best thing for its size there is on the

subject."

Free field Person

Name Mill, John Stuart

Subject keywords Marshall - on John Stuart Mill

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary Grey card, 121 mm x 75 mm

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

283

Previous number Keynes 3(66)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

9.1889 (attributed) **Date** Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

"I take an extreme position as to the methods [previous word Summary underlined] and scope [previous word underlined] of

economics. In my new book I say of methods simply that economics has to use every method known to science. And as to scope, I say "Economics is a study of man's actions in the ordinary business of life it inquires how he gets his income

and how he uses it."

Summary "I extend "income" so as to include non-exchangeable

"goods"; and generally I never discuss any line of division or demarcation except to say that nature has drawn no hard and fast lines, and that any lines man draws are merely for the convenience of the occasion: and should never be treated as

though they were rigid.

"So I am not a good judge of the views expressed by your Summary

more orderly nature. I have simply indicated where we differ. But I don't think it will do for you to pay much attention to what I say. What [Joseph Shield] Nicholson says is likely to be far

more helpful to you.

Summary "If I had to write on this subject I should keep the chapters and

notes of about the same length as you have. But I should ignore almost all opinions which [seemed?] to me clearly wrong, and I should spend the space saved on a history of the broader movements and changes in attitude of this science with regard to the topics under discussion, trying to bring out the correlation between the history of economic science and

of economic conditions.

Postscript: "The chapter seems to me good. But the point of view is too different from mine to enable me to say quite Summary

confidentally how good.

Summary "I doubt whether you had better bother yourself more about

my views on these subjects. But if you want to know them more in detail the best way perhaps would be for me to lend

you my Book I over again.

Free field Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence. Marshall refers to his "new book", ? 2nd

edition of Principles.

Name Nicholson, Joseph Shield

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Physical descript

Subject keywords

Person

1 sheet; 4 pp. text Summarv

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type** Reference

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

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

272

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

1842-1924, (Aldershot, 1995), pp. 414, 684

Keynes 1(96) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

6.1890 (attributed) **Date** Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Summary Sends first half of his last chapter [of 'Principles of

Economics']. Asks if Keynes has copy of Table of Contents, if

so would like it back as he has spoiled his only copy. Asks Keynes's views on functions and scope of proposed

economic organization [which became Royal Economic

Society].

Summary Postscript: Transmits Ashley's and Nicholson's [comments?]. Free field

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's correspondence. Annotated in pencil on first page, in

unidentified hand, "1890?"

Person Ashley, William James & Nicholson, Joseph Shield **Name** Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Subject keywords Royal Economic Society

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type

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

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

Reference Type

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

Keynes 1(59) **Previous number**

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer **Role**

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Name Keynes, John Neville

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

5.3.1887 (attributed) **Date**

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

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

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Person

Summary Discusses proposed editorial practices and timing of issues of

'Economic Journal,' [obviously still encouraging Keynes to consider being editor]. [George] Croom Robertson wants several proof readings for uniformity, Marshall disagrees. This week's 'Economist' attacks him "for proposing that

Government should publish an ideally perfect unit. I want to write to say that while discussing the conditions of a perfect unit, I proposed that Government should start with a rough

and simple method."

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence.

Robertson, George Croom Name

Economic Journal Subject keywords

Subject keywords Subject keywords JNKeynes - career prospects Purchasing power - ideal unit of

Subject keywords Economist, The

Physical descript

1 sheet; 3 pp text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

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

198 Reference

Type Reference

Groenewegen, Peter, 'A Soaring Eagle: Alfred Marshall

1842-1924', (Aldershot, 1995), p. 464, note

Previous number Keynes 1(97)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 2.4.1890

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter
Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Has finally finished discussion of Demand and Supply in

relation to Capital Business Power. Will send the last part in a couple of days. Thinks he had influenza November - January, when "my work was so flabby that I destroyed most of it, and am ashamed of what is left; and at the end though I was a little brighter I wrote so fast that I dont like these chapters. They seem to me too long winded: and as space is becoming very valuable I should be glad of suggestions as to parts that

you think should be cut out or curtailed."

Summary Sends Table of Contents as far as printed, to show the

geography. Still to come: a chapter on Demand and Supply in relation to Land and one or two winding up chapters.

Asks how Keynes's book is coming on. If it is not out before

September, could Keynes read part of it as a paper at the

British Association?

Summary Has some more books on Statistics which Keynes might like

to look through.

Free field Person

Summary

Name

Subject keywords

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
Subject keywords

JNKeynes - as author
Marshall - health

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

291

Type Excerpt

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

Marshall 1867-1890', 2 vols, (London, 1975), vol. 1, p. 92

Type Reference

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

JNKeynes 1/157

Previous number

Keynes 3(71)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name

Marshall, Alfred & Marshall, Mary Paley **Descriptor**

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University & Lecturer, Newnham College, Cambridge and wife of Alfred

Marshall

Person

Role Recipient

Keynes, John Neville Name

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

15.7.1890 (attributed) Tuesday **Date**

[Scotland] N[orth] B[ritain], Dalmally, Blair **Place**

Document form

Correspondence **Record type**

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Describes the situation of holiday house on the moors. Arrived Summary

yesterday. "I read your proofs today." Tomorrow must decide what to say in speech he is giving on 4 September [to British Association, Economic Section at Leeds meeting]. "I have done as I would be done by: sought for passages in which I could find something I did not completely agree with: and expressed my disagreement in the short bark of an

expostulating fox terrier."

Thinks it very good as a whole. First 4 slips seem heavy, rest **Summary**

reads much more easily. His wife is doing her share.

Asks Keynes to note date when Marshall's book ['Principles']

reaches him. "I want to utilize you as a

Macmillan-velocity-meter."

Postscipt in Mary Paley Marshall's hand: Wednesday. Has **Summary**

been through proofs, put her initials to the few substantive remarks she has made. Finds first 2 sections of each chapter rather heavy but the rest very interesting and likes the note at end. Suggests more, shorter sections, considering difficulty of subject. Agrees with all Alfred's comments. Will send The

Economist tomorrow.

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence. However, he wrongly says 14 July was a

Tuesday.

Person

Name

Summary

Subject keywords

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Subject keywords Marshall, Mary Paley - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and

Method of Political Economy

Marshall - Principles

Subject keywords British Association for Advancement of Science 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.

JNKeynes 1/158

Previous number

Keynes 1(50)

Writer

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

6.1890 (attributed) Date Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Glad to have Keynes's news. The Economic Association's

[later the Royal Économic Society] plans are "unanimous" but muddled through haste. "..and now I come to take a general view of my instructions I find them not a well organized whole - to put it mildly!" Plans to ask to be let off lecturing to extension visitors: "This Economic Association business in

July is the last straw that breaks the camel's back." Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's

correspondence.

Person

Free field

Name

Subject keywords Royal Economic Society Subject keywords Marshall - lecture schedules

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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Previous number Keynes 3(64)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role Writer

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role Recipient

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 9.1889 (attributed)
Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Suggests Keynes look at "our" [Alfred and Mary Paley

Marshall's] notes before they talk. Both think chapter is very

good, but "dragging rather" in paras 4 and 5.

Person
Name
Marshall, Mary Paley

Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Subject keywords Marshall, Mary Paley - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and

Method of Political Economy

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 1 p. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Verbatim transcript

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

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

272, note 1

JNKeynes 1/160

Previous number

Keynes 3(65)

Description level

4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

Date 9.1890 (attributed) Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

"We" [he and Mary Paley Marshall] think this is very good and **Summary**

clear. Some instances of diffuseness, suggests a little

pruning.

Summary Agrees generally with substance of Chapter V, but has written

comment which he suggests Keynes study "though as you have already seen it once, I think you will probably consider it

is not worth while to trouble yourself about it."

With regard to the Proofs of his 'Principles of Economics,' "It is

only Chapter I of Book II that is really relevant: but I send a

little more; because Ch. II helps to illustrate Ch. I."

Free field Person

Summary

Name

Marshall, Mary Paley

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of Subject keywords

Political Economy

Marshall, Mary Paley - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Subject keywords

Method of Political Economy

Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text Sound

Condition

Publication record

Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/161

Previous number

Keynes 3(74)

Description level

Record creation

Person Role

Writer Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

23.9.1890

Date Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Summary Thinks "this chapter" excellent, has only 2 comments. One is old comment: Keynes makes his contrasts too sharp. Refers specifically to sections on induction and deduction. "It is more question of arrangement, but I think it is a very

Summary

important one practically."

Keynes continually uses word theory [underlined] where Marshall would use analysis [underlined]. This causes confusion which is increased by fact that later he excludes modern facts from history but does not "boldly say that they are part of theory. If they are then I agree with you that a study of theory should come before a study of history." But he himself would (i) begin with analysis, as essential introduction to all study of facts past or present, then (ii) go on to remind student of economic conditions in which he lives. Show relations in which they severally stand to one another and carry analysis further, making it more concrete. Then (iii) build up general theory or process of reasoning applicable to Value, Money, Foreign Trade etc. with special reference to conditions in which the student lives, pointing out how far it can be made to bear on other conditions. (iv) Give general course of economic history. (v) "Qe. Return to economic theory and carry it further." (vi) Consider economical conditions in relation to other aspects of social life. (vii) Treat economic aspects of practical questions in general and social reform in particular. Comments that point (v) above could come almost anywhere, or for some classes of students may be omitted completely. Postscript: "Yes! I think it is a bad plan for students to have

two consecutive hours teaching on the same subject. They get weary." So approves Keynes changing his lecture hours if

Summary

Summary

feasible. Valediction: "Such are the hobbies of yours very sincerely, Free field Alfred Marshall."

Whitaker reads Marshall's date as 20 Sep. Comparison with Free field other letters leads to conclusion that second digit is an unclear 3. The letter is quoted in JNK's diary entry for 22-24 Sep.

Person Name

Subject keywords Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of

Political Economy

Marshall - on economic theory Subject keywords Marshall - lecture schedules Subject keywords

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 4 pp. text

Condition Partially torn at vertical and horizontal creases

Publication record

Verbatim transcript Type Reference

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

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Type Excerpt

JNKeynes 1/162

Previous number

Keynes 3(75)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

2.10.1890 **Date**

Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Letter Specific type English Language

Acquisition

Summary Deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary

Thinks "this chapter" very interesting for advanced students Summary

but more critical than constructive and thus less suited to beginners than the Notes, which are extremely interesting. But

Thinks Statistics the science of method of reasoning from

some might be developed more, with examples in greater

quantitative data to conclusions, potentially an abstract or universal science; but "in so far as it is this it is a branch of Mathematics, and practically the kinds and the groupings of the difficulties met with in reasoning from quantitative data vary so much with the subject matter of those data, that only a very small part of the complete science of Statistics would consist of its general or introductory chapter." Most would consist of chapters featuring concrete peculiarities of such data, e.g. sanitary statistics, statistics as applied to Biology,

economic statistics etc.

Any one of these, together with general or introductory **Summary**

chapter, may be regarded as a separate science.

Summary Suggests Keynes discuss great use of Statistics in connection

with Concommitant Variation, on which Marshall holds strong views as given in "Jubilee Statistical Number" [Jubilee Volume of 'Journal of Royal Statistical Society', 1885] to which Keynes already referred. Argues that graphic method has special advantages for this use of statistics: but that is not his main

point.

Summary Concluding, congratulates him heartily, is sure book will be

widely read and most useful. Will probably be translated and

"redound to your fame and honour."

Free field Person Name

Subject keywords

Marshall - as adviser on JNKeynes's Scope and Method of Subject keywords

Political Economy

Physical descript

2 sheets; 8 pp. text **Summary**

Condition Sound

Publication record

Reference

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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

JNKeynes 1/163

Previous number

Keynes 1(87)

Description level

Record creation

Person

Role

Writer

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

12.1890 (attributed) Date Cambridge, Balliol Croft **Place**

Document form

Correspondence Record type

Specific type Letter English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Summary Refers to "poor Nicolas", who had been with him on previous

Friday. Hopes University authorities are aware that he does

not get on well with his father.

Summary Discusses resolution on lectures advertised but not delivered. Thanks Keynes for picking up mistaken reference to Ricardo.

Harris Aylwin Nicolas of Trinity College died 22 Dec 1890. Free field

Person Name

Nicolas, Harris Aylwin & Ricardo, David Subject keywords JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Sound Condition

Publication record

Type Partial transcript

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

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Keynes 1(100)

Description level

4

Writer

Record creation

Person

Role

Name Marshall, Alfred

Descriptor

Person
Role Recipie

Name Keynes, John Neville

Descriptor Lecturer in Moral Science, Cambridge University

Date 1891 (attributed)

Place Cambridge, Balliol Croft

Document form

Record type Correspondence

Specific type Letter Language English

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Free field

Summary Thinks Keynes's examination questions excellent. Discusses

quality of students, including a Miss [Annie Hamilla]

Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Blomefield [Newnham] who struck him as attentive and "good in answering questions on points which she had been taught

about: but not as having much original force."

Summary Postscript: Since it involved him in extra work, Keynes should

accept payment for work done on "the Prize".

Annotated in blue pencil on first page, in unidentified hand, "1891". Miss Blomefield gained a First Class in Part I of Moral

Sciences Tripos 1891.

Person Name Blomefield, Annie Hamilla

Subject keywords
Subject keywords
JNKeynes - as examiner
Marshall - on quality of his students

Physical descript

Summary 1 sheet; 3 pp. text

Condition Sound

Publication record

Type Reference

JNKeynes 1/165 **Identity code**

Keynes 1(98) **Previous number**

Description level 4

Record creation

Person

Writer Role

Marshall, Alfred **Name**

Descriptor Professor of Political Economy, Cambridge University

Person

Role

Keynes, John Neville **Name**

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

6.1891 (attributed) Date

Place Not given

Document form

Correspondence Record type Specific type Note card English Language

Acquisition

Summary Probably deposited by Mrs J.N. [Florence Ada] Keynes

Content

Keynes's note on Book VI Chapter XII [of 'Principles of **Summary**

Economics'] "about the lowest grade" was a most important service. Had meant to discuss them and forgot. Also explains a misprint. Has decided to put Preface to second edition of

'Principles' first.

Dated from John K. Whitaker's edition of Marshall's Free field

correspondence. Annotated in blue pencil on first page, in unidentified hand, "1891".

Person

Name

JNKeynes - as adviser on Marshall's Principles Subject keywords

Subject keywords Marshall - Principles, 2nd ed.

Physical descript

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Condition Sound

Publication record

Verbatim transcript **Type**

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