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Thomas Fleming Biographical Sketch

Thomas James Fleming was born in 1927 in New Jersey. He is from an Irish-American family. He is both a historian and a novelist, and has written many works in both categories. Fleming has won a Pulitzer Prize and has written over 40 publications.

Scope and Content Note

The bulk of this collection is of correspondence between Thomas Fleming and the donor, Maureen Connelly. The books in the collection are all personally inscribed by Fleming to Ms. Connelly.

Box and Folder List

Box 1 Folder

1. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, November 28, 1977
2. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, August 31, 1978
3. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, October 2, 1978
4. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, November 14, 1978
5. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, December 11, 1978
6. Three letters – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, ca. 1978
7. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, January 23, 1979
8. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, August 31, 1979
9. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, December 13, 1979
10. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, March 20, 1980
11. Letter – Thomas Fleming to Maureen Connelly, June 23, 1992
12. Envelope with no matching letter, April 1979
13. Photographs of Fleming for publicity, undated

14. Reviews on Fleming's works written by Maureen Connelly, undated
15. New York Times op-ed and other works by Thomas Fleming, undated
16. Press material for Thomas Fleming publications, 1992, undated

Box 2
Books

1. *The Good Shepherd*. Inscribed. 1974 first edition. Hardcover with dust jacket
2. *Over There*. Inscribed. 1992 first edition. Hardcover with dust jacket
3. *Mysteries of My Father*. Inscribed. 2005 first edition. Hardcover with dust jacket