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Subseries 1. Correspondence with Former Students and Colleagues, 1958-2004, n.d.

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Anderson, David L., 1986
Cheney, Margaret, 1997
Colley, Susan, 1990-2004
Dye, Nancy, 1997
Goldberg, Sam, 1985-1988
Holladay, Larry, 1978-1979
Miscellaneous Correspondence w/ Students, 1960-1992, (5f)
Molnar, Peter, 1969-1996
Moyer, Albert, 1968-1997
Oberlin College Library (Eric Carpenter), 1991
Oberlin Review, 1960-1975, n.d.
Renfrow, William, 1994-1996, n.d.
Scofield, John, 2003
Spear, Athena Tacha, 1973, n.d.
Starr, S. Frederick, 1983, 1986, 1990 (restricted)
Subcommittee on Writing, 1982
Vance, E.P., 1958-59

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Bork/Principia, 1979-1982
Comment, 1983
Principia/American Journal of Physics, 1981-1982, 1987, 1991
Principia: Solid Sphere, 1983-1985

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Name Files (A-Z)

American Journal of Physics, 1964-1974
Anicin, Bozidar, 1987-1992
Biswas, T. and Edward Kiess, 1988-1989
Bohan, Bill, 1991-1997
Clark, Clifton Bob 1964-1997
Cohen, Bernard, 1980-2001
Cornell, David, 1992-2004
Cushing, James, 1980-2001
Dalitz, Richard, 1997-2000, n.d.
Drake, Ellen, 1992-2003
Flynn, John 1968, 1971, 1979
Gardner, Martin, 1974
Gjertsen, Derek, 1983-2001

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Greenberg, John, 1980-2004 (2f)
Greenler, Robert, 1976, 1985, 1992, 2003
Griffiths, Graham, 1997, n.d.
Journal of American Physics, 1968
Leff, Harvey, 1997-2001
Macklin, Philip, 1984-1992
MacMillan Publishing Company, 1994
Mallinckrodt, John, 1996-2002

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Miscellaneous correspondence, 1957-1994, n.d. (11f)

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Oxford University Press, 1967-1969
Pappas, Richard, 1984
The Physics Teacher, 1992, n.d.
Pourciau, Bruce, 1990-1999

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Rainwaiter, James C., 1976-1996
Rayner, Margaret (I.B.), 1977-1979
Romer, Robert H., 1982-2000 (2f)
Sokal, Alan, 1996, n.d.
Swartz, Cliff, 1979-2004

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American Monthly Magazine: Monthly Problem Solution, 1976
Baierlein, 1944, 1978-1979, 1989
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Boyle's Law, Gas, 1961-1963
Brewster's Law, Huygen's Principle, 1962, 1965
"Calculus of Variations," 1973-2003
Commission on College Physics Monograph Review, 1966-1967
Dalomp, 1995-96, n.d.
Disturbprop on One-Dimensional Lattice, 1970
Dover Reviews, 1977-1991
Ewing, John, American Mathematical Monthly, 1992
Feynman "Proof," 1997-2003
"Gibb's Paradox," n.d.
Harmonic Oscillator, 1961-1962

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Hauser-Lang, 2003-2004, n.d.
Heat Capacity of an Ideal Free-Electron Gas, 1969-1970, 1996
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Hooke, Robert, 1954-2003, n.d.
Human Discharge Chain, 1999-2000
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Leibniz Rule, 1975-1980

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Topic Files (A-Z) (cont.)

“Long Buried Dismantling of a Centuries-old Myth”

(Rosenberger), 1988-90

Mathematics Magazine, 1978

Math Reprint Requests, 1954-1963

Michels, Walter—Foundation of Physics, 1968-1969

Mitvalsky, 1966-1967

Monthly Problems, 1957-2003

Motz Criticism, 1975-1977

Novel Method for Solving a Class of Differential Equations,
1988-1991

Ohio Section of American Physical Society, Nominating Committee,
1965-1967

Particle on Spring Having Mass, 1978-1979

Publications: Physics Series (i.e., Relativity), 1965-1967

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Reproduction of Published-Work Controversy, 1975

Romer, Halley, Twain, Newton, 1984-1985

Sears Problem, 1966-71

Special Relativity Without the Lorentz Transformation,
1964

Spring-Mass Correction (Rotation), 1963-1964, 1990

Symmetry Discovered (Rosen), 1976

Time Variation of a Vector Attached to a Moving Frame,
1971, 1979-1980

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Yes, What *Is* Happening to Calculus?, 1962-1968, 1982

Series III. Files relating to the Oberlin College Department of Physics, 1961-65, 1980-81, 1991, n.d.

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Department, 1980-1981, 1991

Oberlin College Physics Songbook, n.d.

Physics Lecture Series, Oberlin College, 1961-1965

Physics Library Books and Periodicals, incl. Heckert Fund, 1961-1964

Series IV. Grant Files, 1961-64

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National Science Foundation Grant: Apparatus Grant, 1961-1964

National Science Foundation Grant: Special Relativity and High Permeability
Alloy Strips, 1963

National Science Foundation Grant: Student Research and Independent Study,
1962

Series V. Talks and Speeches, 1962, 1964, 1971, 1994

Box 12

"Two Kinds of Truth," Oberlin College Senior Assembly Address, 1962

"An Elementary Approach to Special Relativity," Southern Methodist University,
1964

"A Case for Irrelevance," Annual Sigma Xi Initiation Banquet, 1971

"Wherefrom Springeth the Monstrous Discrepancy?" Principia College, 1994

Series VI. Teaching and Fellowship Files, 1943, 1954-1990, n.d.

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Classroom anecdotes, 1975, 1980, n.d.

Elementary Optics, 1943

Examinations, 1960-1963, 1967, 1980, n.d.

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Mathematics Competition, Notre Dame, 1958-59

National Science Foundation Fellowship, 1964-1965

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National Science Foundation Fellowship, Oxford, 1966-1967

Notebook, equations, n.d.

Number Theory, 1983

Problems in Number Theory, 1960

Prospective Students: Interview Process, 1971-1985

Sabbatical Leave in Oxford, England, 1971-1977 (3f)

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Teaching Appointment, 1976-1977, 1986

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William Lowell Putnam Mathematical Competition (blank), 1978

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Series VII. Topical Files, 1942, c. 1952, 1961-74, 1977-78, 1980-82, 1985, 1987-93, n.d.

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American Association for the Advancement of Science, Program, 1970

American Association of Physics Teachers Committee on Resource Letters,
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American Institute of Physics Visiting Scientist Program, 1967-1971

American Physical Society Annual Meeting Program, 1942

Ann Arbor Conference on Undergraduate Physics-Major Curriculum, 1962

Antioch, 1968

Astrology Class, 1985

Cook List, 1980-1982

Denver Conference on Undergraduate Physics—Major Curriculum, 1961

Guest Lecture and Symposia Publicity, 1942, 1981-82, 1987, n.d.

McGill Conference, 1977-1978

McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc., announcement, Robert Weinstock's *Calculus
of Variations*, c. 1952

Ohio Academy, 1973-1974

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Ohio Academy of Science Visiting Scientists Program, 1961-1971 (3f)
Petry/Hagel, 1987-1993
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Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2004 (span)**Subseries 1. Articles and Letters to the Editor (published), 1942-2004 (span)
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(Reprints):

Theory of the Continuous X-Ray Spectrum, reprinted from *The Physical Review*, Vol. 61, Nos. 9 and 10, pp. 584-590, May 1 and 15, 1942.

Theory of the Continuous X-Ray Spectrum: Short Wave Limit, reprinted from *The Physical Review*, Vol. 64, Nos. 9 and 10, pp. 276-278, November 1 and 15, 1943.

Inelastic Scattering of Slow Neutrons, reprinted from *The Physical Review*, Vol. 65, Nos. 1 and 2, pp. 1-20, January 1 and 15, 1944.

Continuous X-Ray Spectrum: Note to Experimenters, reprinted from *The Physical Review*, Vol. 65, Nos. 3 and 4, p. 150, February 1 and 15, 1944.

Inequalities for a Classical Eigenvalue Problem: Technical Report 37, Prepared Under Contract for the Office of Naval Research, Department of Mathematics, Stanford University, Stanford California, May 17, 1954.

Inequalities for a Classical Eigenvalue Problem, reprinted for the *Journal of Rational Mechanics and Analysis*, Vol. 3, No. 6, pp. 745-53, November 1954.

Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2002, 2004 (cont.)

Subseries 1. Articles and Letters to the Editor (published) (cont.)

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On Continuous Differentiability, reprinted from the *American Mathematical Monthly*, Vol. LXIV, No. 7, August-September 1957

A Note on the Base of Natural Logarithms, reprinted from the *American Mathematical Monthly*, Vol. 67(4), April 1960.

Greatest Common Divisor of Several Integers and an Associated Linear Diophantine Equation, reprinted from the *American Mathematical Monthly*, Vol. 67(7), August-September 1960.

A Proof of the Euler-Fermat Theorem, reprinted from the *American Mathematical Monthly*, Vol. 68(3), March 1961.

Laws of Classical Motion: What's F? What's m? What's a?, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 29(10), 698-702, October 1961.

An Unusual Method of Solving the Harmonic-Oscillator Equation, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 29(12), pp. 830-831, December 1961.

Kepler's Third Law for Elliptical Orbits, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 30(11), pp. 813-814, November 1962.

Yes, What Is Happening to Calculus? reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 31(2), pp. 108-112, February 1963.

Internal Energy and Specific Heats of a Boyle's-Law Gas, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 31, No. 5, pp. 336-341, May 1963.

Kepler's Third Law "Without Calculus": Comments on a Note by Chapman, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 31(9), p. 728, September 1963.

Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2002, 2004 (cont.)**Subseries 1. Articles and Letters to the Editor (published) (cont.)**

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Derivation of the Lorentz-Transformation Equations without a Linearity Assumption, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 32(4), pp. 260-264, April 1964.

Spring-Mass Correction in Uniform Circular Motion, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 32(5), pp. 370-76, May 1964.

Kepler's Third Law "without Calculus": a Reply to Professor Freeman, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 32(8), pp. 644-45, August 1964.

New Approach to Special Relativity, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 33(8), pp. 640-645, August 1965.

Honors List, Oberlin Class of 1965

Correspondence: On Introducing the Boltzmann Distribution, reprinted from *Contemporary Physics*, Vol. 17(3), p. 234, February 1966.

Entropy and Temperature in Equilibrium Statistical Mechanics, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 35(7), pp. 566-573, July 1967.

New Approach to Statistical Mechanics, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 35(8), pp. 710-727, August 1967.

Comment of "Special Relativity without the Postulate of Constancy of Light", reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 35(9), pp. 892-893, September 1967.

Heat Capacity of an Ideal Free-Election Gas: A Rigorous Derivation, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 37(12), pp. 1273-1279, December 1969.

Correspondence with Greg Maurer, June 1970

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Propagation of a Longitudinal Disturbance on a One-Dimensional Lattice, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 38(11), pp. 1289-1298, November 1970.

Normal-Mode Frequencies of Finite One-Dimensional Lattices with Single Mass Defect: Exact Solutions, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 39(5), pp. 484-502, May 1971.

Inverse-Square Gravitation from Kepler's First Two Laws: Extension of a Macklin Idea, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 40, pp. 357-358, February 1972.

Correspondence with Donna Wilkening, Aug 30, 1972

Faculty Report Annual Evaluation, January 1973

Correspondence with Joseph Palmieri, October 1973

Faculty Report Annual Evaluation, January 1975

Correspondence with Oberlin Student Honor Committee, January 23rd, 1975

Booker Peck Tenure Evaluation, March 1975

Correspondence with Robert Longworth, October 1975

Satisfaction without Compensation, in *The Physics Teacher*, April 1975.

On a fallacious proof of Earnshaw's theorem, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 44(4), pp. 392-393, April 1976.

Correspondence with James Lubetkin, May 1976

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Comment on "The conservation principles and Kepler's laws of planetary motion", reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 44(11), p. 1119, November 1976.

With James C. Rainwater. *Inverse-square orbits: A geometric approach*, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 47(3), pp. 223-227, March 1979.

Oscillations of a particle attached to a heavy spring: An application of the Stieltjes integral, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 47(6), pp. 508-514, June 1979.

Time variation of a vector attached to a moving frame, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 46(12), pp. 1060-1062, December 1979.

Approach to teaching thermodynamic equilibrium, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 47(12), p. 1088, December 1979.

Temperature, in *Encyclopedia of Physics*, 1st edition, eds. Lerner and Trigg. Addison-Wesley, 1980. pp. 1020-1021.

Dismantling a centuries-old myth: Newton's Principia and inverse-square orbits, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 50(7), pp. 610-616, July 1982.

A Diatribe in Defense of Beauty, in the *Oberlin Alumni Magazine*, pp. 9-10, Winter 1982.

Course/Professor Evaluation, Physics 104, 1982

Response to a Comment of an Objection to Newton's Logic, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 51(7), p. 583, July 1983.

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Correspondence: *Newton's Principia and Inverse-Square Orbits*, reprinted from *Contemporary Physics*, Vol. 24(6), pp. 623-625, 1983.

Emeritus Professor Robert Weinstock Continues Teaching, *The Observer*, February 2nd, 1984

Newton's Principia and the external gravitational field of a spherically symmetric mass distribution, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 52(10), pp. 883-890, October 1984.

Babe Ruth and the Judgement of Brancazio, *American Journal of Physics*, Vol 54 (2), February 1986

Report on Spring 1986 Cases, Oberlin Honor Committee, December 15th 1986

Mostly Matrices: A Locally Produced Text, 1988.

Long-buried dismantling of a centuries-old myth: Newton's Principia and inverse-square orbits, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 57(9), pp. 846-849, September 1989.

A novel method for solving a class of differential equations, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 57(12), pp. 1144-1147, December 1989.

Temperature, in *Encyclopedia of Physics*, 2nd edition, VCH Publishers, 1991. P. 1246-1248.

Problem in Two Unknowns: Robert Hooke and a Worm in Newton's Apple, reprinted from *The Physics Teacher*, Vol. 30, pp. 282-288, May 1992.

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Inverse-square orbits: Three little-known solutions and a novel integration technique, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 60(7), pp. 615-619, July 1992.

Newton's Principia and Inverse-Square Orbits: The Flaw Reexamined, reprinted from *Historia Mathematica*, Vol. 19, pp. 60-70, 1992.

A Worm in Newton's Apple, 1993 Kluwer Academic Publishers. Printed in the Netherlands.

The Heavier They Are, the Faster They Fall--An Elementary Rigorous Proof, reprinted from *The Physics Teacher*, Vol. 31, pp. 56-57, January 1993.

Letter: *Mythology and Physics*, in *Wooster College Alumni Magazine*, Summer 1994.

Update on Isaac Newton, Spectrum Talk, March 13th 1996

Newton's Principia and Inverse-Square Orbits in a Resisting Medium: A Spiral of Twisted Logic, reprinted from *Historia Mathematica*, Vol. 25, pp. 281-289, 1998.

Electric Field of a Two-Charge Dipole: A Graphical Approach Extended, reprinted from *The Physics Teacher*, Vol. 38, pp. 430-431, October 2000.

Inverse Square Orbits in Newton's Principia and Twentieth-Century Commentary Thereon, reprinted from *Arch. Hist. Exact Sci.*, Vol. 55, pp. 137-162, 2000.

Two-Charge Dipole Revisited, reprinted from *The Physics Teacher*, Vol. 39, pg. 9, April 2001.

Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2004 (cont.)**Subseries 1. Articles and Letters to the Editor (published) (cont.)**

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A Cannon's Recoil Against a Tree: How the Range Increases, reprinted from *The Physics Teacher*, Vol. 40, pp. 12-14, April 2002.

Letters to Journal Editors, 1975, 1985, 1988, 1993, 2000, 2004, n.d.

Subseries 2. Book Reviews, Responses, and Comments, 1961-1999 (span)

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Book Review: Halliday, David and Robert Resnick, *Physics for Students of Science and Engineering* (1960). Review in *American Journal of Physics*, October 1961.

Book Review: Michels, Walter C. and Correll, Malcom, and Patterson, A.L. *Foundations of Physics* (1968). Review in *American Journal of Physics*, February 1970.

Book Review: Rosen, Joe, *Symmetry Discovered* (1975). Review in *The Physics Teacher*, April 1976.

Response to "Note to the American Journal of Physics" by Alfred Bork, reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 47(12), p. 1093, December 1979.

Book Review: Pierce, John R., *An Introduction to Information Theory* (1980), n.d.

Book review: Heisenberg, Elisabeth, *Inner Exile: Recollections of a Life with Werner Heisenberg* (1984). Review in *Isis*, 76: 2: 282, 1985.

Book Review: Goldberg, Stanley, *Understanding Relativity*. Reprinted from *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 53 (4), pp. 378-379, April 1985.

Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2004 (span) (cont.)**Subseries 2. Book Reviews, Responses, and Comments (cont.)**

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Book Review: Calkin, Melvin G., *Lagrangian and Hamiltonian Mechanics* (1996). Review in *American Journal of Physics*, Vol. 66 (3), pp. 261-262, March 1998.

Book Review: Lemons, Don S., *Perfect Form: Variational Principles, Methods, and Applications in Elementary Physics* (1997). Review in *American Journal of Physics*, Vol 66 (10), p. 935, October 1998.

Book Review: Goodstein, David L. and Judith R. Goodstein, *Feynman's Lost Lecture; The Motion of Planets Around the Sun*, Review in *The Mathematical Intelligencer*, Vol. 21, No. 3, pp. 71-73, 1999.

Miscellaneous book reviews, unpublished manuscripts, responses, and comments, 1971-75, n.d.

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Conics and the Equal-Angles Property: Whispering-Gallery Phenomenon Unique to the Ellipse, n.d.

Darwin and Evolution, n.d.

Dickens, Scott, and Thackeray, n.d.

Electric and Magnetic Dipoles: A Rigorous Treatment, April 1972.

Faster and Neater: Pythagoras Solves a Differential Equation.

Series VIII. Writings Files, 1942-2004, n.d. (span) (cont.)**Subseries 3. Manuscripts (unpublished) (cont.)**

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Generating Functions for Harmonic-Oscillator Eigenfunctions in One and Two Dimensions: A New Derivation, n.d.

Gravity: A Product of the Masses, n.d.

Human Discharge Chain" Revisited: Exact Solution, n.d.

Human Discharge Chain" Revisited: Solution in Closed Form, n.d.

Linear Homogeneous Differential Equation with Constant Coefficients: A Friendly Matrix Route to the General Solution, n.d.

Newton's Principia and the Laws of Classical Motion: A Nonperfunctory Examination, n.d.

A Problem in Three Unknowns: What's F ? What's m ? What's a ? n.d.

Rigorous Justification of the Canonical and Grand Canonical Distributions in Equilibrium Statistical Mechanics, February 1968.

Special Relativity without the Lorentz Transformation, n.d.

Uniform Circular Motion: Demolition of A Spurious Derivation of $a=(v^2/r)$, n.d.

Untitled paper, includes prelude, chapter 9, chapter 10, n.d.

Untitled paper, n.d.

Series IX. Photographs, 1968

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Calvin College, Grand Rapids, Michigan, 1968

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