

JOHN COWPER POWYS CONTRIBUTIONS TO PUBLICATIONS AND BOOKS

Note: put in alphabetical order for ease of access. Ordered by name of magazine or by author if a book.

Note: Some of these are complete periodicals; others tear sheets. Smaller items in clam.

Abolitionist. 1, XLV (Jan/Feb 1944): p2. "Vivisection and Fascism."

Abolitionist. 1, XLV (Jan/Feb 1944): p2. "Vivisection and Fascism." Note: second copy - one sheet torn out of magazine.

American Mercury. 39, X (Mar 1927): pp306-309. "Elusive America."

Aryan Path. (no indication of vol or series) (Oct 1933): pp659-663. "The Magic of Detachment."
Note: Sheets only.

Aylesford Review. 2, V (Spring 1963): pp81-83. "T.F. Powys."

Note: This is a short piece on his brother, T.F. Reads like a very old man but of some interest for that reason.

Note: This is a literary quarterly sponsored by the English Carmelites. A number of articles by or about the Powyses and their circle were published in this quarterly.

Between Worlds: An International Magazine of Creativity. 2, 1 (1961): pp205-213. "Shillyshally."

Note: This short story/fantasy has subtitle "A Fairytale For Children 88 Years Old."

Note: Contributors blurb at back has "John Cowper Powys continued to write with all the vitality of the Master he is to his present age of 88."

Note: The Collection has the typescript of this and a letter from the editor transferring rights back to author.

Bodleian. A Journal of Books at the Bodley Head. (Christmas 1935): pp21-22. Contains "A passage from Powys's new study of 'The Art of Happiness': Man with Woman"

British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection London: Whitehall, n.d. offprint "Anti-Vivisection"

British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection London: Whitehall, n.d. offprint "Vivisection and Moral Evolution." Archive has the manuscript

Century Magazine, The. 5,110 (September, 1925): pp553-560 "Four Brothers: A Family Confession."

Note: John Cowper Powys on brothers Llewelyn, Bertie, Theodore, himself.

Note: An American publication.

Century Magazine, The. 5, 110 (September 1925): pp 553- 560 "Four Brothers: A Family Confession".

Note: Second copy. Torn sheets only.

Century Magazine, The. Dec 1927: pp176-184 "The American Scene and Character."

Note: This was republished in *Elusive America*; The Uncollected Essays of John Cowper Powys by Paul Roberts. London: Cecil Woolf, 1994. P40-50.

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Conrad Memorial Library: The Collection of George Keating

Article about Conrad- *Chance* - by JCP,

New York: Doubleday, Doran & Co. Inc, 1929. L6

Contains: Essay by T.F.P. Also essays by JCP, LLP. Photocopy from M. Pouillard from Mrs Eaton.

Current Opinion. (Nov 1917): p344. "3 Poems."

Note: These are stated as from *Mandragora* - 'They Say'; 'A Question'; 'Exiles'.

Dial, The. 5, LXXXV (Nov 1923): pp. 430-434. "The Philosopher Kwang".

Dial, The. 5, LXXXVI (May, 1924): p444. "Lullaby". (poem)

Dial, The 2, LXXX (Feb 1926): p119. "The Ailanthus"

Note: This poem was printed on p105 of Langridge's bibliography..

The Ailanthus is my tree. Her buds are jets
Of greenish fire that float upon the air.
They set my feet upon a Fosse-way, where
Old Mills turn mossy wheels and wide sunsets
Redden the outstretched wings the heron wets
In old ponds that the day and darkness share.
Candles they are, that on a wayside bare
Re-gather what the human heart forgets.
Green lamps they are, whose life-sap sweet and strong
Brim from most brittle and most tender wood.
They leave their dusty branches. They float over
The houses and the roofs, a wild-goose throng.
High up they fly, a thin, free multitude,
Leaving their earth, their roots, their twigs, their lover!

Dial, The. 4, LXXX (April 1926): pp 331-338. 'An American Tragedy'.

Note: A review article by JCP of *An American Tragedy* by Theodore Dreiser.

Dial, The. 5, LXXXV (May 1927): pp403-406. "Children of Adam."

Note: a review article by J.C.P. of *Arabia Deserta* by Charles M. Doughty. A new edition.

Note: in same magazine a review, "A Poet's Novel" by Alyse Gregory of H.D.'s novel *Palimpsest*.

Also a woodcut of Edvard Munch's "The Scream" which was painted in 1913. This copy is filed in the JCP box instead of AG box.

Dial, The. 5, LXXXV (Nov 1928): pp416-419. "The God of Time."

Note: a review article by J.C.P. of *Time and Western Man* by Wyndham Lewis.

Dial, The. 2, LXXXVI (Feb 1929): pp155-159. "The Tragic Nineties."

Note: a review article by J.C.P. of *A Variety of Things* by Max Beerbohm.

English Scene, The. 3rd ed. London: B.T. Batsford, 1947: pp96-98 & 126-127. Two separate extracts from *Wolf Solent*.

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Fortean Society Magazine no 6 (Jan 1942): p7. "John Cowper Powys on Charles Fort"

Note: this is the title - it is a short piece.

Fortnightly Magazine. vol 1, no 3, Oct 9, 1931. 2 poems.

Note: See under manuscripts.

Freeman, The. (July 11, 1923): pp420-422. "The Book of Genesis."

Note: An article. Pages torn out of magazine.

Intercommunication. S z -Sha: The Fellowship of Creativity (Nov 1963, first and last issue): pp38-41. "Life and Culture."

Note: editor indicates this was originally written as the preface to *The Meaning of Culture*, 1957 edition.

Note: this is a small pamphlet put together by Ichiro Hara. Intro. Explains why only one issue - ill health of Ichiro Hara. However, "foreign friends" had already sent in their contributions so he published one edition.

Note: see A. Head's notes on Letters to Ichiro Hara for more details of this publication.

Le Gallienne Book of American Verse. New York: Boni & Liverwright, Oct 1925: pp281-282
"Candle Light." (Poem)

Lilliput. 5, 20 (May, 1947): pp414-415. "The Birth of Pantagruel" by Francois Rabelais. A new translation by John Cowper Powys.

Note: arises out of his translation of Rabelais, published by Bodley Head in 1948.

Manchester Evening News. Friday, Dec 2 1938: "The Inhumanity of Vivisection." Boxed

Note: full page article by John Cowper Powys. James Hanley got this in for him when his finances were particularly low. See entry for 17 Nov, 1938 in *Petrushka and the Dancer*. Phyllis typed it for him and thought it carelessly written.

Marcel Proust: Reviews and Estimates ed. G. D. Lindner. Stanford: Stanford University Press, 1942: pp248-256 "Proust" from *Enjoyment of Literature*. (1938)

Note: Also in this book an essay by Henry Miller 'The Cosmological Eye'.

Mark Twain Quarterly. (Winter 1952). "My First Publication."

Inscribed: to Desmond MacCarthy from Cyril Clemens.

The Millennium Guild. Offprint "John Cowper Powys on Vivisection in Autobiography." No date but address is New York.

Menorah Journal: A Modern Mystery Play by JCP (no date)

Pp 361-365

Modern Reading. 7 (1943): pp75-88. "Finnegan's Wake."

Note: an article on Joyce and his *Finnegan's Wake* (1939).

Note: in a letter to Littleton dated Jan 27th 1945, he notes he got 6 guineas for this article. See photocopy of letter and letter from Reginald Moore lodged with this magazine.

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Occult Observer. 1, 1 (May 1949): pp5-13 “The Unconscious.” (Article)

Occult Review. 1, III (Jan 1906): p31. “The Occult Madonna” (Poem)

Note: this magazine was edited by Ralph Shirley, cousin to J.C.P. Published by Wm Rider.

Peninsula. An Anthology of Verse from the West Country. Ed Charles Causley. London: Macdonald, 1957. pp83-84 “The Recruit” and “Duality.”

Note: also in this edition a poem by Valentine Ackland.

PBM: Poetry from Wales no 5, vol 6 (Fall 1954): p29 Contains “Yr Wyddfa: The Tomb.” Note: subtitle is ‘The Peak of Eryri called by the English Snowdon’ Note: edition collated and introduced by Raymond Garlick.

Note: this edition also includes 5 poems of Huw Menai.

University Review: Edgar Lee Masters’ Recent Poetry

Wales no 1 (July 1943): pp60-69 “Welsh Aborigines (or The Real Welsh)”.

Note: *Wales* magazine was edited by Keidrych Rhys. See notes by G. Beale.

Note: see also Letters to Littleton.

Wales 2, VI (June 1946): pp20-41 “‘Pair Dadeni’ or The Cauldron of Rebirth.”

Wales 4 (Summer 1944): pp66-77 “Wales and America.”

Note: see above for information.

Note: also in this edition a story by Roland Mathias ‘Digression into Miracle’. This piece is unrelated to Powys, but later Mathias wrote an unflattering article on *Owen Glendower*.

Wind and the Rain: An Easter Book for 1962. Ed Neville Braybrook. London: Secker & Warburg, 1962. P281 “Corfe Castle. A Poem”.

Note: in brackets after title ‘aged 12’. Bissell has pencilled in ‘aged 10. See Auto p63 & 484’

World Review New Series 17 (July 1950). “Letters to Clifford Tolchard from John Cowper Powys” with a short intro and notes by Tolchard. (2 copies)

July 16, 1942; Aug 28, 1942; Sept 10, 1942; Feb 1, 1943; Mar 2, 1943; June 27, 1943; Sept, 1948; Dec.22, 1949.

Note: these letters with additional ones were later published as a book by Village Press.

Note: Also a holograph 2 pp letter from Clifford Tolchard to Alyse Gregory, dated 20.12.50.

World League Against Vivisection: “Crime” by JCP