

# Ray M. Lawless Collection

AFC 1970/003

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## Collection Summary

**Collection Number:** AFC 1970/003

**Title:** Ray M. Lawless Collection

**Inclusive Dates:** 1952-1965

**Location:** Archive of Folk Culture, American Folklife Center, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

**Extent:** 6 boxes

**Extent:** 2.5 linear feet

**Extent:** 224 folders

**Creator:** Lawless, Ray McKinley, 1896-

**Language:** English

**LC Catalog record:** <https://lccn.loc.gov/2004695188>

**Summary:** Research materials including questionnaires, some correspondence, and photographs of approximately 200 folksingers and singers of folksong (a few of them are performers of art songs and classical music) collected by Ray M. Lawless to illustrate his book, *Folksingers and Folksongs in America* (New York: Duell, Sloan and Pearce, 1960; second edition, 1965).

## Scope and Content

Between 1952 and 1959, Lawless wrote to approximately two hundred "folksingers" and "singers of folksongs," requesting information about their lives and careers in preparation for his book *Folksingers and Folksongs in America*. Lawless contacted both professional and non-professional singers and also wrote to several collectors of folksongs and collectors of folk instruments. The bulk of the collection consists of Lawless's correspondence with the singers, completed questionnaires, and information sent by the singers to Lawless. Most singers also sent one or more photographs.

The collection includes responses to the prepared questionnaire, carbon copies of Lawless's correspondence, the original letters from his correspondents, photographs, newspaper and magazine clippings, concert programs, publicity materials, and other ephemera. It also includes some correspondence with folksingers not strictly related to the preparation of Lawless's book. For example, there is correspondence concerning the arrangement of a concert at the college where Lawless taught.

The second edition of *Folksingers and Folksongs in America* (1965) included a "Special Supplement" with biographical information on the generation of folksingers who became prominent around 1960-64 (e.g. Joan Baez and Odetta). To research this updated edition, Lawless drew on previously published sources and did not contact the singers directly as he had in the 1950s. Few of the 1960s folksingers listed in the "Special Supplement" are represented in this collection, and those represented are documented with black-and-white photographs and clippings, not with correspondence.

The folders contain many more black-and-white photographs than appear in *Folksingers and Folksongs in America*. The book included two kinds of illustrations: black-and-white photographs of artworks depicting folklife, and black-and-white photographs of musicians. The black-and-white photographs of artwork are in folder 2, "Artwork illustrations." The photograph(s) of each musician are under the name of each musician or musician group.

## Biographical History

Ray McKinley Lawless was born in Wellington, Kansas in 1896 and died March 11, 1968. A veteran of World War I, Lawless received his master's degree from the University of Chicago in 1924 and completed his doctoral studies with the same institution in 1940. For over 35 years, Lawless taught as a professor of English at Hendrix College (1924-1928), Dakota Wesleyan University (1928-1931), and Junior College of Kansas City (1932-1962), later known as Metropolitan Junior College. A lifelong scholar of American literature and folksongs, he published many articles in addition to the influential and authoritative *Folksingers and Folksongs in America*.

## Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

## People

Lawless, Ray McKinley, 1896-

## Subjects

Folk music--United States.

Folk singers--Ireland.

Folk singers--Scotland.

Folk singers--United States--Correspondence.

Folk singers--United States--Photographs.

Folk songs, English--United States.

Popular music--1951-1960.

Popular music--1961-1970.

## Form/Genre

Clippings.

Correspondence.

Manuscripts.

Photographic prints.

Programs.

## Arrangement

Biographical materials of performing artists in the collection are organized alphabetically by the correspondent's last name.

## Access

Viewing access to the collection is unrestricted. Duplication of collection materials may be governed by copyright and other restrictions. For specific questions, researchers should consult with the American Folklife Center reference staff.

## Acquisition

The collection was donated to the Folklife Center Archive by Mrs. Hazel K. Lawless in 1970. Photographic negatives created from prints for reference purposes have been added to the collection. The number of negatives may increase over time as photoprints from this collection are requested.

## Preferred Citation

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## Collection Concordance by Format

Quantity	Physical Extent (original)	Location	Item Numbers
<b>Manuscript Materials</b>			
224	folders	AFC	Box 1-6
<b>Graphic Images</b>			
142	black-and-white photographs	AFC	n/a

## Description of Series

### Container

### Series

#### Series I: Correspondence

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BOX 1 FOLDER 1	Administrative materials regarding the collection Collection guide and correspondence. Correspondence arranged chronologically (1956-70) between the Archive of Folk Song, Exchange and Gift Division, and Mrs. Lawless.
BOX 1 FOLDER 2	Artwork--Illustrations 18 photoprints including 17 illustrations and 1 of unknown musicians. One negative of the illustration "WRECK OF THE '97." Each illustration is identified by title, artist, donor, and photographer, but undated.
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