

**Box 4.16**

Laughlin, James to Stone

52 letters, February 18, 1965-December 14, 1974

Letters discuss the handling of the Merton collection at Bellarmine College, the Trust, legal matters concerning Merton and his works, and publication of Merton's books/poetry. The official Merton biography, the Merton tapes and publishing Merton's correspondence are also discussed.

**Box 4.17**

Laughlin, James to Stone

58 letters, January 27, 1975-September 13, 1977

Letters discuss the publication of Merton's books, the official Merton biography, the Merton correspondence and the Merton tapes. Other Merton related projects being done by other authors/editors are also mentioned along with Trust business.

**Box 4.18**

Laughlin, James to Stone

47 letters, September 17, 1977-October 28, 1981

Letters talk about the official Merton biography, Merton's "Collected Poems," and other Merton related works. Publication of the Merton correspondence, the Merton tapes and the Bellarmine collection are also discussed.