

Paul Green Foundation

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Talk on Paul Green

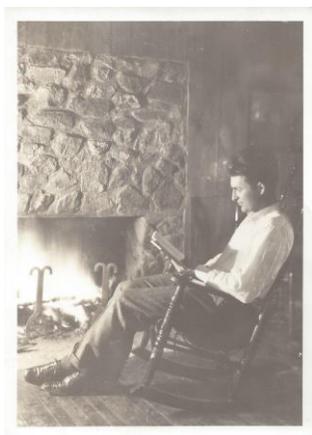


In February, PGF Director, Marsha Warren gave a PowerPoint presentation at the First Baptist Church in Raleigh. This is the 3rd time she's

given this talk. It was very well received by the group called the "39ers" (you need to have been 39 for 17 years)! Previous talks were given for the Lumberton Friends of the Library and the prestigious Carolina Country Club in Raleigh.

Green's "outbuildings"

I've enquired about the structures Paul Green "escaped to," in order to be able to write, when the four children were growing up, because recently, I saw that on the back of this picture, Paul writes that it was from The Glen (off Franklin St. – 1925 1936). I was surprised because this picture hangs in the Greenwood Road cabin now at the North Carolina Botanical Garden – the cabin Paul had brought "log by log" from north Orange County in 1939. Paul and Elizabeth left Greenwood in 1965 and moved farther out of town to Old Lystra Road, where he wrote in what had been a barn.



*Paul Green
before his cabin
fire, just back of
his house in the
Glen, Chapel Hill,
about 1925.*

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The Big Move

As of March 30th, the Paul Green Archives will no longer be all together in the spacious closet at the former Chapel Hill Museum – where the materials have resided for over 15 years. The files, books, artifacts, materials and lots of memorabilia will be, as it were, "scattered to the winds." But, mind you, all safe and sound mainly in the Triangle, but also as far away as Harnett County – at Campbell University, formerly Paul Green's alma mater, Buies Creek Academy.

Many previous Chapel Hill Museum Paul Green Exhibit pieces such as the bust, desk, typewriter, books, overstuffed chair, plaques, awards, etc., are now happily housed at the NC Collection Gallery in Wilson Library at UNC-Chapel Hill.

Two of the file cabinets came to the Office – to join the other Foundation files and bookcases of books; a third cabinet of files and various boxes went to Jim Clark's. The archive remainder, a valuable set of 1 or 2 of each Paul Green title, is in a climate-controlled storage unit in Carrboro.

Some of the books have been sold at The Bookshop in Chapel Hill, others donated to the Chapel Hill Public Library, the Harnett County Public Library, Campbell University Library and in Southern Pines to the Weymouth Center for the Arts & Humanities' Paul Green Room.



Here are our three amazing UNC-Library Science Interns L to R: Anna Loewenthal, Ashleigh Lumpkin and Matt Cresson

who have worked diligently and closely with me on the deaccessioning of our archives. Next they'll begin digitizing the many photos and videos/DVDs with originals going to UNC. Thanks to our talented interns. – MW