

## Note Regarding Frequently Cited Works

Throughout this book, the frequently cited scholarly editions of Poe's writings will be abbreviated as follows:

*H* *The Complete Works of Edgar Allan Poe*, ed. James A. Harrison, 17 vols. (New York: Thomas Y. Crowell, 1902; rpt., New York: AMS Press, 1965, 1979).

*M* *Collected Works of Edgar Allan Poe*, ed. Thomas Ollive Mabbott, 3 vols. (Cambridge, Mass.: Harvard University Press, 1969–1978).

*P* *Collected Writings of Edgar Allan Poe*, ed. Burton R. Pollin, 4 vols. to date (Boston: Twayne Publishers, 1981; New York: Gordian Press, 1985–).

*O* *The Letters of Edgar Allan Poe*, rev. ed., ed. John Ward Ostrom, 2 vols. (New York: Gordian Press, 1966).