Guide to the Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies Collection of Related Documents and Ephemera

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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 1913

CREATOR: Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies

TITLE: Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies collection of related documents and ephemera

DATES: 1899–2008

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 4.38 linear feet (11 boxes)

LANGUAGE: The materials are in English, Russian, Yiddish, Hebrew, Spanish, and other European languages.

SUMMARY: The collection includes original and facsimile documents, photographs, manuscripts, clippings and other items related to individuals who have given testimony to the Fortunoff Video Archive.

ONLINE FINDING AID: To cite or bookmark this finding aid, please use the following link: http://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/mssa.ms.1913

Requesting Instructions

To request items from this collection for use in the Manuscripts and Archives reading room, please use the request links in the HTML version of this finding aid, available at http://hdl.handle.net/10079/fa/mssa.ms.1913.

To order reproductions from this collection, please go to http://www.library.yale.edu/mssa/ifr_copy_order.html. The information you will need to submit an order includes: the collection call number, collection title, series or accession number, box number, and folder number or name.

Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box  
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Material donated to the Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies. Transferred to Manuscripts and Archives, 2010.
Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Use of these materials will require registration at Yale’s Manuscripts and Archives. As is the case with other materials from the Fortunoff Video Archive, permission to view these materials is not the same as permission to publish or cite from these materials. Any citation of individual items from this collection must use the “cite as” field in the corresponding catalog record (see Associated Materials). Only the first letter of the survivor’s surname is used to protect that person’s anonymity.

Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. Researchers wishing to obtain an additional copy for their personal use should consult Copying Services information on the Manuscripts and Archives web site.

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Preferred Citation

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Associated Materials

Each survivor that contributed materials to this collection has a corresponding video testimony in the Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies. Each testimony is represented in Orbis, Yale’s online public access catalog, with a bibliographic record associated with the testimonies HVT# (Holocaust Video Testimony) -- the unique identifier used to locate testimonies in the Fortunoff Video Archive. These records contain a brief summary of the testimony and several Library of Congress subject headings, both topical and geographic. To locate the corresponding bibliographic record in Orbis, you will need to conduct a keyword search for ”hvt-#” (including the quotation marks), i.e. “hvt 30”.

Scope and Contents

The collection includes original and facsimile documents, photographs, manuscripts, clippings and other items related to individuals who have given testimony to the Fortunoff Video Archive.

Arrangement

The collection is organized in ascending order by HVT #, which is the unique identifier employed by the Fortunoff Video Archive for Holocaust Testimonies.
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<td>b. 1, f. 1</td>
<td>Frank S. Contains narrative concerning Kristallnacht.</td>
<td>Circa 1980</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 2</td>
<td>Selma E. Contains translation of diary; identification cards from United States Holocaust Memorial Museum of Selma E.’s relatives; and clippings.</td>
<td>1943</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 3</td>
<td>Hela S. Contains photographs of Hela S.’s family.</td>
<td>1983</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 4</td>
<td>Walter S. Contains photographs of Walter S. and survivors of Buchenwald; newspaper clippings; photocopy of identification card and certification; letter of verification by H.E. Wortsmith of the 6th A. Div C.I.C.; speech by Walter S.; and a copy of an interview of Walter S. by Donald M. Douglas followed by a copy of a testimony by Walter S.</td>
<td>1945</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 4a</td>
<td>Daniel F. Contains a newspaper article about Daniel F.’s liberation from Dachau and his reuniting with Rainbow Division liberator Morris Eisenstein.</td>
<td>2010</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 5</td>
<td>Karl S. Contains a copy of leaflet included for a conference that has a short biography of Karl S; and a copy of a drawing showing where Karl S. hid for eighteen months as a child in southeast Poland.</td>
<td>2003</td>
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<td>b. 5, f. 14</td>
<td>Baruch G. Contains a letter from Baruch G. to Dana L. Kline on his reflections on the 50th anniversary of the end of WWII, and a bound copy of Baruch G.’s memoir covering his life from 1939-1995.</td>
<td>1994</td>
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<td>b. 1, f. 6</td>
<td>Nadia P. Contains letters from Van Jeffreys Frankel, James Young, John Van Doren, Susan Broockman, Eve Tahmincioglu, Peter Sherm, and family members to Nadia P.; a letter to Joanne Rudof; poetry by Hilan Dov Warshaw; and narratives by Michael P.</td>
<td>1985</td>
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| b. 1, f. 7 | Marion L.  
Call Number: HVT-543  
Contains a program for a memorial celebration of Ilse Johanna Hess. | 2003 |
| b. 6, f. 1 | Lilli K.  
Call Number: HVT-545  
Contains published booklet of six lectures on the Holocaust by Lilli K., Emory University Center for Research in Social Change. | 1982 |
| b. 1, f. 8 | Eric H.  
Call Number: HVT-574  
Contains an English and German copy of an affidavit given in the Office of the Liberated Jews in Munich describing treatment by the Boryslaw Police, and a newspaper clipping. | 1947 |
| b. 1, f. 9 | Nicholas P.  
Call Number: HVT-575  
Contains a poem by Nicholas P., and a narrative about the liberation. | 1985 |
| b. 1, f. 10 | Sydney (Zoltan) S.  
Call Number: HVT-580  
Contains a letter to Hariatte Friedlander; a narrative and autobiography by Sydney S.; copies of maps; photocopies of various identifications and certifications; photocopy of identification booklet cover for Joseph Friedman; brief biography of E. Herschkovits; photocopied photographs of Jews in Hungarian labor camps; 1942 hospital notice forbidding entry of diseased individuals; and a photocopy of a photograph of a mass grave in Bergen-Belsen camp on the day of liberation. | Circa 1940–1942 |
| b. 1, f. 11 | Abraham S.  
Call Number: HVT-615  
Contains newspaper clipping with quotes from Abraham S. about the Fortunoff Archives. | 1985 |
| b. 1, f. 12 | Paul G.  
Call Number: HVT-621  
Contains two copies of physician order issued by the Organization of Physicians of Vienna. | 1938 |
| b. 1, f. 13 | Frieda G.  
Call Number: HVT-627  
Contains narrative by Frieda G. | 1981 |
| b. 1, f. 14 | William K.  
Call Number: HVT-635  
Contains letter written in 1945 by William K. to his parents; poetry by William K.; and two narratives by William K. | 1945 |
| b. 1, f. 15 | Esther A.  
Call Number: HVT-639  
Contains transcript of Esther A.'s testimony given at the Yad Vashem at the gathering of Holocaust survivors in Jerusalem, June 14-18, 1981. | 1981 |
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| b. 1, f. 16 | William F.  
Call Number: HVT-693  
Contains article about William F. written by the Federation of Jewish Philanthropies. |
| b. 1, f. 17 | Meta N.  
Call Number: HVT-696  
Contains clippings; a personal narrative; a newspaper article on Meta N.’s passing; and a copy of a play based on some of Meta N.’s Holocaust experiences. |
| b. 1, f. 18 | Marion P.  
Call Number: HVT-754  
Contains newspaper clippings. |
| b. 2, f. 1-5 | Coen R.  
Call Number: HVT-759  
Contains photo of Coen R.; a newspaper article about Coen R.; and Coen R.’s war report written from 1945 to 1949, in Amsterdam, for the War Documentation Center of the Netherlands. (523 pages). |
| b. 2, f. 6 | Michael J.  
Call Number: HVT-763  
Contains photos; identity card copies; copy of a letter verifying work status; and a copy of address papers. |
| b. 2, f. 7 | Margrit R.  
Call Number: HVT-773  
Contains a personal narrative regarding Margrit R.’s Holocaust experiences in Theresienstadt. |
| b. 2, f. 8 | Julia P.  
Call Number: HVT-774  
Contains an announcement of Julia P.’s photography exhibit at Quinnipiac College in Connecticut; contains newspaper clippings about the exhibit; and a memo suggesting that Joanne Rudof visit the exhibit. |
| b. 2, f. 9 | David P.  
Call Number: HVT-783  
Contains two memoirs by David P. about his experiences in the Holocaust. |
| b. 2, f. 10 | Mary M.  
Call Number: HVT-792  
Contains three personal narratives about Mary M.’s experiences during the Holocaust; two self-reflective works about her memories/experiences; and a letter to Mrs. Schiff regarding “Operation Bowl of Soup” in the Warsaw Ghetto. |
| b. 2, f. 11 | Pierre T.  
Call Number: HVT-836  
Contains presentation speech given by Pierre T. to the United States Holocaust Memorial Council regarding non-Jews who were persecuted by the Nazis. |
| b. 2, f. 12 | Solomon S.  
Call Number: HVT-850  
Contains narrative about Solomon S.’s experiences during the Holocaust as well as family history, including photographs, historical birth record, and a family tree. |
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<td>Gaston S. Call Number: HVT-851 Contains a family history of Gaston S.’s family including a “current residence” list of living family members and relevant narrative information for those family members who were affected by the Holocaust.</td>
<td>1992</td>
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<td>b. 2, f. 14</td>
<td>Jacob W. Call Number: HVT-901 Contains two songs sung in concentration camps (one copy of “Das Judenlied” and two copies of “In Thuringer Land”).</td>
<td>1987</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 1</td>
<td>Konrad B. Call Number: HVT-928 Contains copies of a “Lucie to the Rescue” French underground resistance movement comic; school identification card; correspondence from 1945-1947; a police order dated September 17, 1942; an “Acte De Disparition” for Fanny Ettinger dated 1947; and an interview intake form.</td>
<td>1942–1947</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 2</td>
<td>Henry O. Call Number: HVT-942 Contains English and German copies of a letter to Reichsfuehrer-SS H. Himmler requesting the transfer of the scientific section in Concentration Camp Plaszow to Concentration Camp Flossenbrueck to continue the work of the Institute for the German Eastwork.</td>
<td>1944</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 2</td>
<td>Additional material for HVT-942 Contains copies of published reviews of Henry O.’s book, <em>I Shall Live</em>, copies of German documents related to Henry O.’s experiences and English translations of them, copy of a Ravensbrück registry with the names of Henry O. and his brothers; and comments on his book from educators.</td>
<td>Undated</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 3</td>
<td>Fred O. Call Number: HVT-943 Contains an article from the <em>Washingtonian</em> entitled “When Dad Needed Me,” by Fred O.’s son, J.B., about his father’s life experiences during the Holocaust.</td>
<td>2003</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 4</td>
<td>Manek F. Call Number: HVT-952 Contains Russian language copies of letters and identification cards from October and November of 1945.</td>
<td>1945</td>
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<td>Margarete L. Call Number: HVT-958 Contains a biographical essay by Margarete L.</td>
<td>1983 April</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 4</td>
<td>Frances B. Call Number: HVT-959 Contains Yiddish poetry by Frances B. about her experiences, including some English translations.</td>
<td>Undated</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 5</td>
<td>Murray B. Call Number: HVT-960 Contains English memoir by Murray B. and a copy of an article from the September 7, 1968 <em>Yiddish Forward</em>.</td>
<td>1968 and undated</td>
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<td>Ilse L. Call Number: HVT-967 Contains German language biography of Ilse L.</td>
<td>1987</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 6</td>
<td>Leokadis W. Call Number: HVT-981 Contains a personal narrative/academic paper by Leokadis W. on the Holocaust.</td>
<td>1988</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 7</td>
<td>Stanley O. Call Number: HVT-990 Contains a short biography of Stanley O.; documentation of his time in the Polish military; copies of his false identification papers; and newspaper clippings on Stanley O.</td>
<td>1946</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 8</td>
<td>Luna K. Call Number: HVT-1095 Contains newspaper clipping on Luna K.</td>
<td>1988</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 9</td>
<td>Wolf Z. Call Number: HVT-1096 Contains newspaper clipping on Wolf Z.</td>
<td>1988</td>
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<td>b. 7, f. 1</td>
<td>Marion P. and Anton P. Call Number: HVT-1097, HVT-1098, and HVT-1099 Contains one issue of Windshejmer Lager-Biuletin, a newspaper of Windsheimer Displaced Persons Camp (issue number 10), printed in Yiddish in Roman alphabet.</td>
<td>1947 April 2</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 10</td>
<td>Claire H. Call Number: HVT-1186 Contains police permits for members of Claire H.’s family; statement that Claire H.’s family received information and declaration of property sheets; memos and instructions of the Secret Police regarding the evacuation of Jewish residents; and a brief registry.</td>
<td>1942</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 11</td>
<td>Edmund M. Call Number: HVT-1219 Contains newspaper clippings about Edmund M.</td>
<td>1988</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 6</td>
<td>Isabella L. Call Number: HVT-1270 Contains articles and reviews of book and play based on book, Fragments of Isabella.</td>
<td>Undated</td>
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<td>b. 3, f. 12</td>
<td>Janet R. Call Number: HVT-1279 Contains a narrative by Janet R. (nee Zenia Esienberg), taken from the Ostrog Book, about her family; and a Yiddish writ, published in 1954 in Argentina, by a survivor.</td>
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Call Number: HVT-1283  
Contains various correspondence from World ORT Union; identification papers for Imre Weiser’s employment at the ORT Central Headquarters in Germany; driving certificate for Imre Weiser from the Preparatory Commission for the International Refugee Organization; a recommendation letter for Imre Weiser; Notification of Personnel Action for Imre Weiser; Certificate of Authority for Displaced Persons for Imre Weiser; a copy of the June 26, 1949 Hersey Herald; and a document in Hebrew. |
| 1948–1949 | |
| b. 3, f. 14 | Felix F.  
Call Number: HVT-1287  
Contains Felix F.'s resume, and a copy of the Paparim Dance Ensemble Newsletter which features a piece on Felix F. |
| 1988 | |
| b. 3, f. 15 | Frieda Z.  
Call Number: HVT-1291  
Contains a memoir by Freida Z., titled "Searching for Shadows," about her trip to Warsaw, Birkenau, and Auschwitz. |
| 1989 | |
| b. 3, f. 16 | Sarah W.  
Call Number: HVT-1293  
Contains a portion of the narrative, published as a series by Emunah Women of America, Committee on the Holocaust, by Sarah W. about her experiences in Luxembourg, Marseilles, and Switzerland during the time of Nazi Germany. |
| 1985 | |
| b. 3, f. 17 | John R.  
Call Number: HVT-1295  
Contains a State of New York Legislative Resolution honoring John R., and an opinion piece, written by John R. for The Generation After, on the Holocaust. |
| 1985 | |
| b. 6, f. 6 | Isabella L. and Philip K.  
Call Number: HVT-1319  
Contains articles and reviews of book and play based on book, Fragments of Isabella. |
| Undated | |
| b. 3, f. 18 | Ilse S.  
Call Number: HVT-1380  
Contains newspaper clippings; advertisements for presentations and courses on the Holocaust given by Ilse S.; two poems and two short writs by Ilse S.; an autobiography; photographs of Ilse S.; a map of Judisher Friedhof indicating the locations of family members' graves; correspondence from Congress member Barbara Kennelly, Elie Weiesel of the United States Holocaust Memorial Council, Senator Lowell Weicker, and Sam Goldberger; and a copy of the Congressional Record for October 18, 1988 second session of the 100th Congress in which a poem by Ilse S, in response to President Reagan’s visit to Bitburg Cemetery, is published. |
| 1988 | |
| b. 3, f. 19 | Etta W.  
Call Number: HVT-1482  
Contains photos of Etta W. and her father, and a photocopy of the passport used for her travels to Budapest. |
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Call Number: HVT-1498  
Contains a letter from Henny S. to family members after the liberation, and a memoir about her experiences during the Holocaust. |
| b. 6, f. 7 | Herman B.  
Call Number: HVT-1583  
Contains copies of 1990 correspondence from Herman B. with Museum of Jewish Heritage/A Living Memorial to the Holocaust regarding documents and art donated to the Leo Baeck Institute and an exhibit of those articles as well as a listing of photographs and documents considered for donation to the Museum of Jewish Heritage. Also contains copy of an article in the New York Daily News, September 18, 1945 about Herman B. |
| b. 3, f. 21 | Abraham U.  
Call Number: HVT-1635  
Contains a newspaper clipping on Abraham U.’s experiences during the Holocaust and his return visit to Poland. |
| b. 3, f. 22 | Aranka S.  
Call Number: HVT-1648  
Contains an interview of Aranka S. on writing books for children about the Holocaust; newspaper clipping on Aranka S.’s books; two copies of publisher advertisements for her books; a copy of a January 18, 1992 issue of Newsweek which includes a review of her book *Upon the Head of the Goat*; and a copy of a Fall 1990 Kerlan Collection newsletter that includes an announcement of a public lecture by Aranka S. |
| b. 3, f. 23 | Eva H.  
Call Number: HVT-1713  
Contains a collective memoir written by Eva H., her mother and her father. |
| b. 3, f. 24 | Fred F.  
Call Number: HVT-1717  
Contains a letter from Fred F. to his mother dated May 19, 1945. |
| b. 5, f. 15 | Chiel M.  
Call Number: HVT-1730  
Contains a personal narrative regarding Chiel M.’s Holocaust experiences in Poland. |
| b. 3, f. 25 | Bruno G.  
Call Number: HVT-1764  
Contains handwritten biographical notes. |
| b. 3, f. 26 | Dan G.  
Call Number: HVT-1846  
Contains a narrative by Dan G. about the liberation in Seehaupt; photocopied photos of the Hauptbaustelle Flugzeugwerk Mettenheim of Nazi Germany; a photocopied photo of the liberation of Muhldorf; and current group photos of the survivors of the Muhldorf/Seeshaupt death train. |
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| b. 3, f. 27 | Eugene R.  
Call Number: HVT-1878  
Contains diary and drawings of Eugene R.’s experiences at Barth Concentration Camp.               | 1944    |
| b. 3, f. 28 | Claudine K.  
Call Number: HVT-1971  
Contains letters sent by Armand (Abraham) Kahan from train headed to Auschwitz; letter written after the liberation of Auschwitz; letter sent from Kursk; and a telegram and transport ticket. | 1945    |
| b. 6, f. 8 | Ola S.  
Call Number: HVT-2035  
Contains a one page article from Newsweek written by Ola S.’s daughter.                       | 2003 April 21 |
| b. 3, f. 29 | Sarah M.  
Call Number: HVT-2257  
Contains five personal narratives written by Sarah M. regarding her experiences in Poland, Paris, and Switzerland during the war of 1939-1944. | 1992    |
| b. 3, f. 30 | John W.  
Call Number: HVT-2264  
Contains an advertisement made by Atlantic Union College of a speaking engagement by John W., and newspaper clippings on John W. and his Dutch-Paris underground organization. | 1991    |
| b. 3, f. 31 | John M.  
Call Number: HVT-2271  
Contains John M.’s honorable discharge documents, and photocopies of pages from The Last Offensive, a volume of the series United States Army in World War II, marked to document/validate John M.’s Army experience during WWII. | 1946    |
| b. 3, f. 32 | Abraham B.  
Call Number: HVT-2277  
Contains a personal narrative by Abraham B.                                                        | 1992    |
| b. 3, f. 33 | Matthew T.  
Call Number: HVT-2349  
Contains a letter and drawing of Kulkin’s Courtyard that was sent to Ernest Ratowitz about the Katowiczes and Polish of that area; correspondence between Matthew T. and Joanne Rudof; three versions of a personal narrative by Matthew T. that include photographs and drawings; a photo of artwork by Matthew T., and a thank you card from the Emanuel Synagogue of West Hartford, Connecticut, featuring artwork by Matthew T. entitled “Shabbat and the Tree of Life” and a booklet explaining the details of the artwork. | 1995    |
| b. 6, f. 9  | Madeleine M.  
Call Number: HVT-2354  
Contains copies of articles about Madeleine M.; a map; and The Ravensbrück Prayer.          | 1990 and undated |
| b. 6, f. 10 | Werner H.  
Call Number: HVT-2408  
Contains a photocopy of a New York Times article about the Jewish ghetto in Shanghai during World War II. | Undated |
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Call Number: HVT-2413  
Contains newspaper clippings about Frank S. and his artwork.  
1976 |
| b. 3, f. 35 | Helen S.  
Call Number: HVT-2502  
Contains a narrative by Helen S.’s husband about his experiences in the Oswiecim (Auschwitz) Camp.  
1945 |
| b. 3, f. 36 | Celina H.  
Call Number: HVT-2521  
Contains a copy of the Museum of Jewish Heritage Video History Project Questionnaire; photographs of family members; and a memoir of Celina H.’s wartime experiences as a child.  
1933 |
| b. 5, f. 16 | Thomas H.  
Call Number: HVT-2522  
Contains a bound copy of Thomas H.’s memoir, *Then, Death Was Decreed*, covering his life from 1929 to 1945.  
1993 |
| b. 4, f. 1 | Anita S.  
Call Number: HVT-2556  
Contains letter to Anita S.’s cousin from her father in Oranienburg Camp.  
1899 |
| b. 4, f. 2 | Phillippe P.  
Call Number: HVT-2586  
Contains intake interview sheet for video testimony; correspondence from Joanne Ruf; and copies of wartime letters written by Phillippe P.’s father.  
1940 |
| b. 4, f. 3 | Erika M.  
Call Number: HVT-2617  
Contains newspaper story about Erika M., her husband’s, and her family’s experiences in Slovakia during World War II.  
1994 |
| b. 4, f. 4 | Lisa O.  
Call Number: HVT-2622  
Contains a resume for Lisa O., a German citizen, detailing her guest speaking and authorship experience on the Holocaust. Resume also includes a chronology of Lisa O.’s experiences in Nazi Germany.  
1994 |
| b. 6, f. 11 | Amelia B.  
Call Number: HVT-2740  
Contains an unpublished manuscript of Amelia B.’s life.  
After 1986 |
| b. 4, f. 5 | Kurt L.  
Call Number: HVT-2753  
Contains a newspaper clipping on Kurt L., and an autobiography.  
1988 |
| b. 4, f. 6 | Irena D.  
Call Number: HVT-2756  
Contains an autobiography of Irena D.’s experiences from 1939 to 1945.  
1948 |
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| 14   | b. 4, 7| Henry K.  
Call Number: HVT-2826  
Contains a letter in Polish and a translated copy sent from the National Museum in Auschwitz to Joseph Kahn regarding documentation on Kokotek Pesla and her imprisonment in Concentration Camp Oswiecim-Brzezinka (Auschwitz-Birkenau).  
Herbert L.  
Call Number: HVT-2830 |
| 14   | b. 4, 8| “About the Holocaust, Christian Guilt and Related Issues”  
A document/opinion piece written by Herbert L. |
| 14   | b. 9   | “Auschwitz Lies” [commercially produced]  
1 Videocassette (VHS)  
A survivor documentary filmed in Auschwitz by Loebel Prod. Inc.  
Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. |
| 14   | b. 4, 9| Fiszel S.  
Call Number: HVT-2971  
Contains a Spanish booklet entitled “Testimonio” which details Fiszel S.’s experiences during the Holocaust. |
| 14   | b. 4, 10| Pearl P.  
Call Number: HVT-3027  
Contains correspondence sent from the American Gathering of Jewish Holocaust Survivors to Eva Kor; a page from a register book at Auschwitz; a press release from CANDLES (Children of Auschwitz Nazi’s Deadly Lab Experiments Survivors); a memorial pledge by CANDLES; and a list of the surviving Auschwitz/Mengele Twins used in the experiments. |
| 14   | b. 4, 11| Joseph T.  
Call Number: HVT-3128  
Contains a piece written for B’nai B’rith by Joseph T. about his trip back to Poland and his memories of the Holocaust. |
| 14   | b. 4, 12| Idek R.  
Call Number: HVT-3130  
Contains a German letter. |
| 15   | b. 10  | Esther F.  
Call Number: HVY-3383  
1 Videocassette (VHS)  
Tape of a survivor personal narrative entitled “Esther’s Life Story.”  
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| b. 4, f. 13 | Judita K.  
Call Number: HVT-3754  
Contains a special issue of *Borba*, a Serbian newspaper, listing the names of child victims of the Holocaust, and personal narratives of Judita K.’s experiences during the Holocaust. | 1988 |
| b. 11 | Jack T.  
Call Number: HVT-3766  
1 Videocassette (VHS)  
Military footage showing Jack T. as a little boy.  
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| b. 4, f. 14 | Italo S.  
Call Number: HVT-3769  
Contains photocopied photographs of classmates and faculty from a Jewish high school in Milan, Italy. | 1941 |
| b. 4, f. 15 | John F.  
Call Number: HVT-3797  
Contains memoir written by John F.’s sister, Helga Harrison, about her experiences in Vienna, her prewar emigration to England, and her current correspondence with individuals she had known during that time. | 1998 |
| b. 5, f. 17 | Shmuel Z.  
Call Number: HVT-3804  
Contains two bound copies of Shmuel Z.’s memoir, translated from Hebrew to English, covering his life from 1928 to 1996. | 1996 |
| b. 4, f. 16 | Deitrich G.  
Call Number: HVT-4085  
Contains two papers written by Deitrich G. about the Holocaust. | 1988 |
| b. 4, f. 17 | Moses D.  
Call Number: HVT-4098  
Contains newspaper clippings; correspondence written between 1939 and 1944 regarding Moses D.’s legal efforts to remove his siblings from foster care; and copies of identification cards/documents 1932-1950. | 1932–1950 |
| b. 4, f. 18 | Alfred K.  
Call Number: HVT-4111  
Contains a summary of Alfred K.’s job history; a copy of his resume; a business card for Alfred K. at Zooba; an autobiography of his life between 1931 and 1951; a copy of remarks made by Alfred K. at the Matzeva unveiling of Peter Goldring in Miami, Florida; and a copy of remarks made by Alfred K. at his own retirement party. | 1988 |
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<td>b. 4, f. 19</td>
<td>2002</td>
<td>HVT-4240</td>
<td>Contains a spiral-bound pictorial/prose personal message detailing Peter H.’s Jewish heritage including memorial, history, rabbis, Ahlem, Schusters, Wolfes, and Auschwitz sections.</td>
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<td>b. 4, f. 20</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>HVT-4242</td>
<td>Contains a personal memoir entitled “Surviving Lapac: the true story of one man’s escape to freedom,” documenting Theodore M.’s experiences during the Holocaust.</td>
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<td>b. 4, f. 21</td>
<td>1990</td>
<td>HVT-4264</td>
<td>Contains a brief autobiography of Alice F.’s life through 1946, and a Reader’s Digest article on Ted Aplin and the Bergen-Belsen displaced persons camp.</td>
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<td>b. 4, f. 22</td>
<td>2003</td>
<td>HVT-4266</td>
<td>Contains a CD: “Memories and Dreams: A Holocaust Survivor Remembers. The Poetry of Maria Szapszewicz.”</td>
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<td>b. 5, f. 1</td>
<td>2003</td>
<td>HVT-4270</td>
<td>Contains a memoir of Suzanne R.’s experiences through 1950 and her reflections on her trip back to Paris in 2002 and her visiting of locations where she spent time during WWII.</td>
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<td>b. 5, f. 2</td>
<td>1980</td>
<td>HVT-4289</td>
<td>Contains an excerpt from the introductory chapter of Herman L.’s book Mostly in the Line of Duty: Thirty Years with Books, which details his experiences as a prisoner during WWII.</td>
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<td>b. 5, f. 3</td>
<td>1999</td>
<td>HVT-4293</td>
<td>Contains newspaper clipping featuring a photograph of the family business, and correspondence from the Stiftung Dokumentationsarchiv detailing what happened to her mother and sister.</td>
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<td>b. 5, f. 4</td>
<td>1991</td>
<td>HVT-4326</td>
<td>Contains copies of Alex P.’s plays and memoirs regarding his experiences during WWII, and a written work documenting the lives of eighteen family members who died in 1944 in German concentration camps.</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 12</td>
<td>Undated</td>
<td>HVT-4337</td>
<td>Contains DVD of Luna H.’s photographs.</td>
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<td>b. 6, f. 13</td>
<td>Circa 2003</td>
<td>HVT-4367</td>
<td>Contains copies of a biographical essay by Alice R. dated August 24, 2003, and a family history essay by her grandson.</td>
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| b. 5, f. 5 | Ernest K.  
Call Number: HVT-4368  
Contains newspaper clippings; a photocopy of the cover of a 1947-1948 issue of "Who's Who Among North American Esperantists" with a brief biography of Ernest K.'s father; a brief autobiography written in German; and a copy of his father's Maccabi identification. |
| 1941      |             |
| b. 5, f. 6 | Eva G.  
Call Number: HVT-4392  
Contains Eva G.'s Deutsches Reich Arbeitsbuch (work book); and her mother's Deutsches Reich Kennkarte (identity card). |
| 1935      |             |
| b. 5, f. 7 | Fran L.  
Call Number: HVT-4395  
Contains newspaper clippings; program and inserts from the Rivkah Laufer Bikur Cholim Annual Luncheon; and publicity by Fran L. regarding her upcoming book *The Sacred Covenant*. |
| 1991      |             |
| b. 6, f. 14 | Rosa W. (HVT-4397), Samuel W. (HVT-4398)  
Call Number: HVT-4397 and HVT-4398  
Contains notice of an exhibit of photographs of the Bergen-Belsen Displaced Persons Camp at Beth Radom congregation. |
| 2004 September 24 | |
| b. 5, f. 8 | Hyman K.  
Call Number: HVT-4400  
Contains a handwritten, brief autobiography; an edited and updated copy of a transcript of an interview by the Jewish Historical Society of Hartford; and a bound copy of Hyman K.'s personal memoir, entitled "An Unusual Escape to Freedom," documenting his experiences from 1925-1999. |
| 1999      |             |
| b. 5, f. 9 | Claude L.  
Call Number: HVT-4403  
Contains a French document about the experiences of Belgian Jews during WWII, and an English copy of a 1971 speech made in French by Lucien Steinberg about the participation of Jews in the Allied Armies. |
| 1971      |             |
| b. 5, f. 10 | Hannelore H.  
Call Number: HVT-4406  
Contains two copies of a personal memoir regarding Hannelore H.'s family's arrest, in March 1943, by the Nazis. |
| 1988      |             |
| b. 5, f. 11 | Gerald F.  
Call Number: HVT-4407  
Contains printout from Gerald F.'s website featuring his diary entries during WWII, and a copy of an SEPM Foundation publication, *Saxa Loquntur (Rocks Speak): The Life and Times of the Geologist Gerald M. Friedman*. |
| 2006      |             |
| b. 5, f. 12 | Martin S.  
Call Number: HVT-4412  
Contains two copies of a publication by The Manhattan College Holocaust Center entitled, *Reflections of the Soul: Martin Spett's Holocaust Experiences*. |
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| b. 5, f. 13 | Michael S.  
Call Number: HVT-4415  
Contains a copy of the preface and Appendix A from *Franco Modigliani: A Mind That Never Rests*. |
| b. 5, f. 13a | Ben L.  
Call Number: HVT-4431  
Contains a copy of a scanned Westchester Jewish Chronicle newspaper photograph of Jewish partisans from Vilna after the city’s liberation; 3 copies of a scanned photograph of the living quarters of the Jewish Partisans in the Rudnicki Forest south of Vilna. |
| | **Miscellaneous Holocaust-related printed ephemera not associated with specific testimonies** |
| b. 8, f. 1 | *Kampf um’s Dritte Reich: Eine Historische Bilderfolge*, cigarette card album  
Nazi-era propaganda album owned by Gustav Wollschind (?), containing photographs and cigarette cards depicting Adolf Hitler, other National Socialist leaders, and scenes depicting rallies and war preparations. In German. |
| b. 8, f. 2 | Printed ephemera relating to Jews in Nazi-era and post-war Germany  
Contains identification documents from Landsberg Displaced Persons Camp for Josef Wajsman; Deutsches Reich Reisepass (identification paper) for Siegfried Risewz, stamped with a red J to identify the bearer as a Jew; postal receipt document from Bonn. |
| b. 8, f. 3 | Journal or story of emigration to Israel (photocopy), title (stenciled) and handwritten marginalia in Hebrew, text written in Hungarian (32 pages)  
Circa 1940s |
| b. 8, f. 3 | Letters (photocopies) in German dealing with transports and other topics, written to the Raab family  
1941 |
Selected Search Terms

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Subjects

Holocaust, Jewish (1939-1945)