

# RECENT ARCHIVAL ACQUISITIONS

## 2007

### **Adath Israel Congregation (Cincinnati, OH)**

Opinion rendered by a Cincinnati Beit Din concerning a seating controversy at Adath Israel Congregation. 1954.

*Received from the Peerless family, Cincinnati, OH*

### **Beth El Cemetery (Oak Ridge, TN)**

Cemetery lists, photos of grave markers, and a brief history of the cemetery compiled by Melvin S. Sturm. 2007.

*Received from Melvin S. Sturm, Knoxville, TN*

### **Brill, Muriel Mosler**

“Through the Keyhole: The Diaries and Memoirs of Muriel Mosler Brill,” compiled and excerpted by Arlene Mosler Schuster. 2007.

*Received from Arlene Mosler Schuster, Bellevue, WA*

### **Camp Kalsman (Arlington, WA)**

Records and clippings on the formation and opening of Camp Kalsman. 2003–2007.

*Received from David Fine, Seattle, WA*

### **Central Conference of American Rabbis**

Working papers and videos of the Task Force on Lay Involvement in the Development of Liturgy. 2002–2006.

*Received from the Central Conference of American Rabbis, New York, NY*

### **Cohen, Henry**

Memoir and other material of Rabbi Henry Cohen, Rabbi Emeritus of Beth David Reform Congregation (Gladwyne, PA) and grandson of Rabbi Henry Cohen of Galveston, TX. 2007.

*Received from Henry Cohen, Wynnewood, PA*

### **Dann, H. E.**

Contract between Rabbi Dann and Congregation Beth Abraham, Boston, MA. 1876.

*Received from Kenneth J. Weiss, Boston, MA*

### **Davis, Marni**

“On the Side of Liquor: American Jews and the Politics of Alcohol, 1870–1936.” Doctoral dissertation submitted by Davis to Emory University. 2006.

*Received from Marni Davis, Atlanta, GA*

## Feinberg, Louis

Collection consisting of correspondence, sermons, prayers, articles, and documentation of a trip to eastern Europe and Palestine. Louis Feinberg was the rabbi at Adath Israel Congregation in Cincinnati for thirty-one years. 1909–1948.

*Received from the Peerless family, Cincinnati, OH*

## Fishman, Philip M.

“A Sukkah is Burning—A Memoir of 1950s Williamsburg.” A memoir of Fishman’s youth in and among the Brooklyn, NY, Orthodox Jewish community. 2007.

*Received from Jonathan D. Sarna, Waltham, MA*

## Folb, Ann Blitzstein

Correspondence from officials at the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion concerning Ann Blitzstein’s interest in enrolling in the College-Institute’s rabbinic program. April–June, 1963.

*Received from Ann Blitzstein Folb, Cincinnati, OH*

## Goldstein, Isaac

Acrostic poem written by Goldstein, in Hebrew, in tribute to Abraham Lincoln following Lincoln’s assassination. 1865.

*Received from Arnold Kaplan, Allentown, PA*

## Hebrew Union College

Basketball uniform worn by student members of the HUC basketball team. 1920s.

*Received from Harry Rosenfeld, Buffalo, NY*

## Hebrew Union College (Institute on Aspects of Religion and Psychiatry)

Addresses given at HUC by rabbis and mental health professionals under the auspices of the Institute on Aspects of Religion and Psychiatry. 1948.

*Received from Alfred Gottschalk, New York, NY*

## Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion (Los Angeles, CA)

Records of the Los Angeles campus of HUC-JIR, dating back to the founding of the campus in 1954. Includes records of the dean’s office as well as its various departments. 1954–2003.

*Received from Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, Los Angeles, CA*

## Herscovici, Iuliu

“The Jews of Vicksburg, Mississippi,” written by Iuliu Herscovici. 2007.

*Received from Iuliu Herscovici, Vicksburg, MS*

## Jewish Cemetery (Falmouth, Jamaica)

Inventories, with images, containing detailed information on the Jewish cemeteries of Falmouth and Montego Bay, Jamaica. 2007.

*Received from Anne Hersh, Corning, NY*

## **Jewish Institute of Religion**

Copy of the first number of the JIR's official publication, *The Annual*, coinciding with the graduation of the Institute's first ordination class. 1926.

*Received from Gary Simms, Washington, DC*

## **Joseph, Samuel**

Papers relating to Rabbi Joseph's work in education and as a Professor of Jewish Education and Leadership Development on the Cincinnati campus of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion. 2000–2007.

*Received from Samuel Joseph, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Kaber, Nathan**

Oral history interview with Rabbi Kaber, Rabbi Emeritus of Temple Beth Israel (Altoona, PA), conducted by Rabbi Geri Newburge. 2007.

*Received from Geri Newburge, Cherry Hill, NJ*

## **Kassin, Saul J.**

Published statement, with letter from Chief Rabbi Saul J. Kassin, issued and signed by members of the Syrian and Near Eastern Sephardic Communities of Greater New York, New Jersey, and other U.S. cities, reaffirming the "Edict of 1935" prohibiting the acceptance of converts into their community. 2007.

*Received from Joel B. Wolowelsky, New York, NY*

## **Klein, Chuck**

Klein family history, including the Auer and Henle families, 1771–2006, written by Chuck Klein. 2007.

*Received from Chuck Klein, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Koussewitsky, Helen Rossi**

Correspondence together with an oral history interview with Helen Rossi Koussewitsky concerning her family, her work with *The Jerusalem Post*, her relationship with her sister, Zelda Popkin, and her work in the Zionist movement, 1940–1970.

*Received from Jeremy D. Popkin, Lexington, KY*

## **Kuper, Barbara Meryn**

Memories of Kuper's childhood and wartime experiences in Nazi Germany, as well as her subsequent resettlement in Canada. 2007.

*Received from Leigh Lerner, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

## **Leeser, Selma**

"Growing up Jewish in Delphos," a memoir, with interview, of Leeser's life growing up in Delphos, OH. 2007.

*Received from Selma Leeser, San Diego, CA*

## **Meyers, Brian L.**

“Four Color Jacket: The American Israelite Story,” by Brian L. Meyers. 2005.

*Received from Brian L. Meyers, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Mincer, Charles**

Papers concerning Mincer’s father, Simon Mincer, and his mother’s maternal grandfather, Solomon Samuel Dreifus. 1915–2007.

*Received from Charles Mincer, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Moses, Raphael J.**

Copies of letters and other papers by and about Raphael J. Moses, a Confederate major and Southern statesman, together with other Civil War and Moses family items gathered and compiled by Melvin A. Young. 1812–1893.

*Received from Melvin A. Young, Chattanooga, TN*

## **National Council of Jewish Women (Teaneck, NJ)**

Records of the Teaneck section of the NCJW, including minutes, correspondence, and by-laws, 1973–1997, as well as papers of the section president, Rosetta Standig.

*Received from Jeffrey R. Portman, Iowa City, IA*

## **Paper, Herbert H.**

Personal papers and research materials pertaining to Dr. Paper’s scholarly career, primarily as Professor of Linguistics and Near Eastern Languages on the Cincinnati campus of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion. 1950–2006.

*Received from Herbert H. Paper, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Peerless, Sidney**

Eulogy for Dr. Sidney Peerless, delivered by his son, Louis Peerless. 2007.

*Received from Louis Peerless, Cincinnati, OH*

## **Perelmuter, Bernard**

Interview of Rabbi Perelmuter, with summary notes, conducted by Rabbi Rav Soloff. 2007.

*Received from Rav Soloff, Lansdale, PA*

## **Perelmuter, Danka**

Memoir recounting Perelmuter’s experiences in Czechoslovakia during the Holocaust as well as her immigration to Canada in 1959.

*Received from Leigh Lerner, Montreal, Quebec, Canada*

## **Prinz, Deborah and Hurvitz, Mark**

Personal, professional, and family papers of Rabbi Mark Hurvitz and Rabbi Deborah Prinz, including papers of Rabbi Prinz’s work at Temple Adat Shalom, Poway, CA. 1995–2005.

*Received from Deborah Prinz and Mark Hurvitz, Poway, CA*

## Remus, Ina Maria

A brief history of the youth programs of Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion, written by Ina Remus. 2005.

*Received from Ina Remus, Cincinnati, OH*

## Robinson, James J.

Papers, affidavits, and documents collected by Robinson pertaining to the prosecution of Nazi war criminals, specifically relating to crimes at the Belsen concentration camp, 1944–1946. Robinson was an officer in the U.S. Navy and a member of the Judge Advocate General's Office.

*Received from Jonathan D. Rosenthal, Cincinnati, OH*

## Rocker, William B.

Diaries kept by William Rocker while a prisoner of war in Germany during World War II. December 1944–May 1945.

*Received from Clifford Kulwin, Livingston, NJ*

## Rosett, Louis Kenneth

Papers of Louis K. Rosett, including his work on the National Commission on Rabbinic-Congregational Relations of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations; together with material on his work with the World Zionist Congress, the Association of Reform Zionists of America, and the Jewish Agency. 1980–1985.

*Received from Nancy Rosett, Norwalk, CT*

## Rudin, A. James

Correspondence and papers with Ellis Rivkin and others concerning an American Jewish Committee consultation on black-Jewish relations, held at Fisk University in Nashville, TN. June, 1974.

*Received from A. James Rudin, New York, NY*

## Salton, George Lucius

“The 23rd Psalm: A Holocaust Memoir,” relating Salton’s experiences as a Holocaust survivor, together with a video recording of an interview of him broadcast on CNN. 2007.

*Received from George L. Salton, Palm Beach Gardens, FL*

## Samuelson, Norbert

Autobiography of Rabbi Samuelson, the Grossman Chair of Jewish Studies at Arizona State University and a renowned scholar of Jewish philosophy who has authored twelve books and more than two hundred articles. 1996.

*Received from Norbert Samuelson, Tempe, AZ*

## Saperstein, Harold

Personal papers concerning Saperstein’s work as a congregational rabbi, chaplain, and leader of the international Reform movement. 1935–1980.

*Received from David Saperstein, Washington, DC*

## Shalett, Sidney

Collection of letters and autographs, including Albert Einstein's, collected by Shallet. 1903–1960.

*Received from Edward Paul Cohn, New Orleans, LA*

## Shapiro, Max A.

Oral history interview with Rabbi Shapiro conducted by Lynn Goldsmith. 2006.

*Received from Lynn Goldsmith, Cincinnati, OH*

## Temple Beth Israel (Pomona, CA)

Recording of the congregation's seventy-fifth anniversary celebration (2007), together with the temple's articles of incorporation (1931) and other miscellaneous items.

*Received from Arthur Beckerman, Pomona, CA*

## Waxman, David J.

Report on a trip to the Soviet Union. June, 1981.

*Received from Jonathan D. Sarna, Waltham, MA*

## Wise, James Waterman

Scrapbook on James W. Wise, the son of Stephen S. Wise. 1933–1940.

*Received from Stephen A. Wise, New Canaan, CT*

## Wolf Family

Postcards from Marion, Ruth, and William Wolf, the children of Joe and Celia Wolf of Savannah, GA, written to a family friend sending best wishes on the friend's impending marriage. 1910.

*Received from Joseph W. Hirschhorn, Cincinnati, OH*