

Jerome Becker papers, 1924-1982

Overview of the Collection

Creator	Becker, Jerome
Title	Jerome Becker papers
Dates	1924-1982 (inclusive) 1924 1982
Quantity	.66 cubic foot plus 3 cassettes and 1 transcript
Collection Number	3210
Summary	Administrative papers, including merger papers of a businessman, grocer of Seattle, Washington and interview
Repository	University of Washington Libraries, Special Collections Special Collections University of Washington Libraries Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900 Telephone: 206-543-1929 Fax: 206-543-1931 speccoll@uw.edu
Access Restrictions	Consult the access restrictions information for each of the accessions listed below.
Languages	English

Biographical Note

Jerome Becker was the son of Sol Becker who immigrated to America and settled in Seattle in 1914. In 1919 Jerome and two brothers opened a grocery store at 84th and Greenwood which was very successful. In the late 1940s, Sol Becker was the Secretary of the Herzl Conservative Congregation. Jerome Becker was a Board member and secretary of the Herzl Congregation in the 1950s-1960s.

Content Description

Consult the scope and content information for each of the accessions listed below.

Use of the Collection

Restrictions on Use

Consult the restrictions governing reproduction and use for each of the accessions listed below.

Administrative Information

Detailed Description of the Collection

Accession No. 3210-001: Jerome Becker papers, 1924-1970 (bulk 1956-1969)

.42 cubic foot

Scope and Content: Correspondence, bylaws, minutes, financial records, yearbooks, newsletters.

The entire accession concerns Herzl Ner Tamid, including merger negotiations between Herzl, Ner Tamid, and Beth Shalom, ca. 1968. Herzl and Ner Tamid ultimately signed agreements and merged; Beth Shalom did not.

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Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

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Acquisition Info: Donated by Jerome Becker, 10/1/1981.

Description

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Accession No. 3210-002: Jerome Becker interview, 1981-1982

3 cassettes; 51 page transcript

Scope and Content: Tape recorded interview by Howard Droker, Dec. 10, 1981 and Jan. 28, 1982; transcript.

Digital Content/Other Formats: [Listen to the audio recording and view the transcript](#) of this interview on the Libraries Digital Collections site.

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

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Acquisition Info: Donated by Jerome Becker.

Description

Jerome Becker interview

Accession No. 3210-003: Jerome Becker papers, 1965-1970 (bulk 1968)

.21 cubic foot

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<http://archiveswest.orbiscascade.org/ark:/80444/xv30499>

Scope and Content: Articles of incorporation, financial statements, newsletters, ephemera.

Regarding merger between Herzl and Ner Tamid, ca. 1968.

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

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Acquisition Info: Donated by Jerome Becker, 9/7/1982.

Description

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Accession No. 3210-004: Jerome Becker papers, 1955-1957

.03 cubic foot

Scope and Content: 2 Herzl Congregation Yearbooks, 1955 and 1957.

Restrictions on Access: Open to all users.

Restrictions on Use: Creator's literary rights transferred to the University of Washington Libraries.

Acquisition Info: Donated by Dorothy Becker, 6/1/1995.

Processing Info: Minimally Processed

Description

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Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Jews--Washington (State)--Seattle

Jews--Washington (State)--Seattle--Interviews

Personal Names :

Becker, Jerome--Archives

Corporate Names :

Congregation Beth Shalom (Seattle, Wash)

Titles within the Collection :

Jewish Chronicle (Seattle, Wash.)

Other Creators :

Corporate Names :

Congregation Ner Tamid of Bellevue (Bellevue, Wash.)
(creator)

Herzl Conservative Congregation (Seattle, Wash.)
(creator)

Herzl-Ner Tamid Conservative Congregation (Mercer Island, Wash.)
(creator)

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Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Personal Papers/Corporate Records (University of Washington)

Other Creators :

Corporate Names :

Washington State Jewish Archives (University of Washington)

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