

Emma Ginsberg Nelson oral history interviews and papers, 1971

Overview of the Collection

Creator	Nelson, Emma Ginsberg
Title	Emma Ginsberg Nelson oral history interviews and papers
Dates	1971 (inclusive) 1971 1971
Quantity	3 vertical files plus 2 sound cassettes
Collection Number	1757, 1762
Summary	Oral history interviews and documents relating to Emma Ginsberg Nelson, part of the Jewish community in Seattle
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	Open to all users.
Languages	English

Content Description

Two tape recorded interviews with Emma Ginsberg Nelson (and corresponding transcripts) regarding events that span the years 1890 to 1925. Documents include correspondence and marriage contracts in Yiddish.

Other Descriptive Information

Forms part of the Washington State Jewish Archives

Use of the Collection

Restrictions on Use

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

Administrative Information

Arrangement

Organized into 3 accessions.

Accession No. 1757-001, Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers, 1971

Accession No. 1757-004, Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers

Accession No. 1762-001, Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers, 1971

Detailed Description of the Collection

Accession No. 1757-001: Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers, 1971

1 sound cassette (60 minutes); transcript.

Scope and Content: Tape recorded interview conducted on 23 Nov 1971, covering the years 1890-1908.

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Acquisition Info: Emma G. Nelson, 1971-11-23

Description

Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers

Accession No. 1757-004: Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers, [Information not available]

8 items

Scope and Content: Letters and marriage contracts (in Yiddish, all xerox copies)

The letters are addressed to Sara Nelson.

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Acquisition Info: Unknown, 1975-07-01

Description

Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers

Accession No. 1762-001: Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers, 1971

1 sound tape (60 minutes); transcript.

Scope and Content: Tape recorded interview conducted by K. Winn and M. Kaplan on 30 Nov 1971, covering the years 1909-1925.

This second interview discusses Mrs. Nelson's coming to Seattle in 1909 and her husband's business efforts, first as a peddler, then as a wholesaler in the junk business, and finally in the second-hand auto parts business. She also describes her life in Seattle at that time. "Mrs. Nelson later recalled that the home in which the first chapter of Hadassah in Seattle was formed belonged to Mr. and Mrs. Harris Waxman" added 2 Dec. 1971.

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Acquisition Info: Emma Nelson, 1971-11-30

Description

Emma Ginsberg Nelson papers

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Businesspeople--Washington (State)--Seattle
Housewives--Washington (State)--Seattle
Jewish marriage customs and rites
Jewish women--Washington (State)--Seattle
Jews--Washington (State)--Seattle

Personal Names :

Nelson, Emma Ginsberg--Archives
Nelson, Emma Ginsberg--Interviews
Nelson, Sara--Correspondence
Russak, Harry

Form or Genre Terms :

Oral histories
Personal correspondence
Sound recordings

Other Creators :

Personal Names :

Bloom, Meta Buttnick, 1913-
(interviewer)
Winn, Karyl, 1942-
(interviewer)

Corporate Names :

Washington State Jewish Archives (University of Washington)
(creator)

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Personal Papers/Corporate Records (University of Washington)

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