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Sigmund Shlesinger Papers

Manuscript Collection No. 130
Collection Summary

**Title**  Sigmund Shlesinger Papers, 1868-1975
**Collection Number**  MS-130
**Repository**  The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
**Creator**  Shlesinger, Sigmund, 1848-1928
**Extent**  0.41 linear feet (1 Hollinger box and 1 oversize folder)
**Language of the Material**  English

Administrative Information

**Scope and Content**  Correspondence, diary, publications, clippings, and other materials relating to Shlesinger's military career, Indians, the Battle of Beecher Island (1868), and his later years in Cleveland, Ohio.

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Index Terms

**Subjects**  Beecher Island, Battle of, 1868 / Indians of North America -- Wars -- 1868-1869 / Jews -- Ohio -- Cleveland
**Personal Names**  Shlesinger, Sigmund, 1848-1928
**Media**  Diaries / Marriage records

Series A. General, 1868-1975

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1. Folder 1. "The Beecher Island Annual", 1917,1930
Box 1. Folder 2. Biographical sketch (written by daughter), 1967
Box 1. Folder 3. Clippings (Beecher's Island, Schlesinger), 1893-1928, 1975
Box 1. Folder 4. Correspondence, A-W, 1895-1942
Box 1. Folder 5. Death notices, 1928
Box 1. Folder 6. Diary, battle of Beecher's Island, 1868
Box 1. Folder 7. Marriage license [Copy. Original in FF:C4/D10], 1874
Box 1. Folder 8. Memorial booklet [Jewish Social Service Bureau], undated
Box 1. Folder 9. Pension materials, 1911-1917
Box 1. Folder 10. Photographs, 1922-1926, undated
Box 1. Folder 11. Publications (Beecher's Island), 1895-1959
Box 1. Folder 12. Publications (Beecher's Island), undated
Box 1. Folder 13. Social welfare activities, 1919, 1923, 1953
Box 1. Folder 14. War Department records, 1868-1869, 1925