A Finding Aid to the Carl E. Pritz Papers

Manuscript Collection No. 217

Collection Summary

Title Carl E. Pritz Papers

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Creator Pritz, Carl E., 1878-1948

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Language of the Material English

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch Carl E. Pritz was born in Cincinnati in 1878 to Solomon and Caroline Williams Pritz. He was a businessman

and a philanthropist. After work as a clerk, salesman, and later, partner, in the Pritz family distillery business Stauss, Pritz & Co., he retired and became active in various Jewish welfare and communal organizations. He served on the Board of Governors of Hebrew Union College and as president of United

Jewish Social Agencies in Cincinnati.

In 1907, Carl Pritz married Dora Wertheimer. Pritz died in 1948.

Scope and Content Correspondence, lists, minutes, and reports of a Cincinnati businessman. Included are letters from Paul

Baerwald, Israel Bettan, Jacob Billikopf, Boris D. Bogen, Barnett R. Brickner, Louis Finkelstein, James Heller, Henry Hurwitz, Alvin Johnson, Herbert Lehman, Maurice Levine, Ralph Mack, Judah Magnes, Adolph S. Ochs, Lessing Rosenwald, Murray Seasongood, Max Senior, Charles and Robert Taft, Ludwig Vogelstein, Felix Warburg, Jonah B. Wise, and Louis Wolsey. The collection also includes correspondence and reports

on various committees, organizations, and societies concerning the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, the United Jewish Social Agencies. Hebrew Union College, the B'nai B'rith Hillel Foundation, the Joint Distribution Committee, the New School for Social Research, the Menorah

Association, and topics such as Jewish welfare organizations and immigration.

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Corporate Names Hebrew Union College / United Jewish Social Agencies (Cincinnati, Ohio)

Media Minutes

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Box 1. Folder 4. Graduate School for Jewish Social Work [correspondence and reports], 1927, 1933, 1937-1939

- Box 1. Folder 5. Graduate School for Jewish Social Work [correspondence and reports], 1940-1941
- Box 1. Folder 6. Graduate School for Jewish Social Work [correspondence and reports], 1944-1947, undated
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