A Finding Aid to the
Anti-Semitism Collection

Manuscript Collection No. 290
Collection Summary

**Title**
Anti-Semitism Collection

**Dates**
1954-1964

**Collection Number**
MS-290

**Repository**
The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives

**Extent**
5.6 linear feet (14 Hollinger boxes)

**Language of the Material**
English

Administrative Information

**Scope and Content**
The Anti-Semitism Collection contains anti-Semitic newspapers, pamphlets, articles and magazines published by numerous organizations and individuals. This collection was compiled by an anonymous Cincinnati, Ohio, resident who joined and infiltrated many anti-Semitic and fascist groups during the 1950s and 1960s in order to collect their literature and stay abreast of their activities. For personal and security reasons the compiler and donor of this collection has chosen to remain anonymous and donated the material to the American Jewish Archives on the condition of remaining anonymous in perpetuity.

These items are especially important as evidence of the propaganda produced by many organizations in the 1950s and 1960s. Under the guise of innocuous patriotic or religious sounding names these groups attempted to reach mainstream America with their message of anti-Semitism. Especially interesting are the publications intended for a national audience such as The Cross and the Flag. Much can be gleaned from this collection regarding Jewish-Christian relations, the rise of fascist, right wing and neo-Nazi organizations in America during this period.

**Arrangement**
The collection is organized alphabetically in one series by either the name of the publication, group or person.

**Terms of Access**
The collection is open for use; no restrictions apply.

**Preferred Citation**
Footnotes and bibliographic references should refer to the Anti-Semitism Collection and the American Jewish Archives. A suggestion for at least the first citation is as follows:

[Description], [Date], Box #, Folder #. MS-290. Anti-Semitism Collection. American Jewish Archives, Cincinnati, Ohio.

**Provenance**
Received from an anonymous donor, Cincinnati, Ohio.

**Processing Information**
Processed by Christine A. Crandall, October 2002.

**Subjects**
Antisemitism / Hate speech / National socialism

Series A. General, 1954-1964

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1. Folder 1. Allen, Marilyn R., 1957, undated
Box 1. Folder 2. Alliance, Inc., 1959, undated
Box 1. Folder 3. America's Future, Inc. correspondence, 1958-1962, undated
Box 1. Folder 5. America's Future, Inc. publications, undated
Box 4. Folder 9. The Defender, 1959
Box 5. Folder 1. The Defender, 1960
Box 5. Folder 2. The Defender, 1961
Box 5. Folder 3. Defenders of State Sovereignty and Individual Liberties, 1958
Box 5. Folder 4. Dilling, Elizabeth, 1958-1959
Box 5. Folder 5. Dilling, Elizabeth, 1960
Box 5. Folder 7. Edmundson, Robert Edward, 1959
Box 5. Folder 8. Essig, Edith. Keeping the Record Straight, 1956-1959
Box 6. Folder 2. For America, 1954-1960
Box 6. Folder 6. The Freeman, 1954-1955
Box 6. Folder 7. Freethinkers of America, 1956
Box 6. Folder 9. Goff, Kenneth, undated
Box 7. Folder 3. Humanitarian Society, 1961
Box 7. Folder 6. Intelligence Digest, 1959-1960
Box 7. Folder 8. Knights of the White Camellia, 1958, undated
Box 7. Folder 12. Lovell, J.A. Kingdom Digest, 1957-1958 April
Box 7. Folder 13. Lovell, J.A. Kingdom Digest, 1958 May-September
Box 8. Folder 1. Lovell, J.A. Kingdom Digest, 1958 October-1959 February
Box 8. Folder 2. Lovell, J.A. Kingdom Digest, 1959 March-July
Box 8. Folder 3. Lovell, J.A. Kingdom Digest, 1959 August-October
Box 12. Folder 1. Polzin Publications, 1960
Box 12. Folder 2. Prophetic Herald, undated
Box 12. Folder 3. Protect America League, 1954
Box 12. Folder 5. Republican Committee of One Hundred, 1960
Box 12. Folder 7. Right Brigade, 1962
Box 13. Folder 1. United Society of Methodist Laymen, 1961
Box 13. Folder 3. The Virginian, 1958-1959
Box 13. Folder 6. Western Voice, 1959, undated
Box 14. Folder 4. Women for Law and Order, 1960
Box 14. Folder 6. Young Americans for Freedom, 1961