A Finding Aid to the
Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W. Va.)
Records

Manuscript Collection No. 781
Collection Summary

Title: Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W. Va.) Records
Dates: 1913-1994
Collection Number: MS-781
Repository: The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator: Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W. Va.)
Extent: 2 linear feet (2 record cartons)
Language of the Material: English

Administrative Information

Scope and Content: Records of the congregation, consisting primarily of Sisterhood minutes, 1913-1979, together with tribute volumes, birth, marriage, bar mitzvah, and confirmation records, and miscellaneous.

Arrangement: The collection is arranged in one (1) series: A. General.

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

Preferred Citation: Footnotes and bibliographic references should refer to the Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W. Va.) Records and the American Jewish Archives. A suggestion for at least the first citation is as follows:

[Description], [Date], Box #, Folder #. MS-781. Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W. Va.) Records. American Jewish Archives, Cincinnati, Ohio.

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Index Terms

Subjects: Bar mitzvah / Confirmation (Jewish rite) / Jewish women / Jews -- West Virginia -- Williamson / Synagogues -- West Virginia -- Williamson

Corporate Names: Congregation B'nai Israel (Williamson, W.Va.). Sisterhood

Media: Marriage records / Minutes / Registers of births, etc.

Series A. General, 1913-1994

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1. Folder 1. Minutes, 1913-1922
Box 1. Folder 2. Minutes, 1923-1926
Box 1. Folder 3. Minutes, 1926-1928
Box 1. Folder 4. Minutes, 1928-1930
Box 1. Folder 5. Minutes, 1930-1934
Box 1. Folder 6. Minutes, 1934-1936
Box 1. Folder 7. Minutes, 1938-1942
Box 1. Folder 8. Minutes, 1946-1954
Box 1. Folder 10. Minutes, 1960-1968
Box 1. Folder 7. Presidential reports, 1958-1962
Box 2. Folder --. Guest book, Sisterhood tea, 1954 March 16
Box 2. Folder --. "Service to the Blind" [bound volume], 1957-1963
Box 2. Folder --. "OVFTY-CHAI" yearbook [five volumes], 1965-1969
Box 2. Folder --. Marriage records, 1920-1988
Box 2. Folder --. Birth records, 1920-1961
Box 2. Folder --. Bar mitzvah records, 1920-1970
Box 2. Folder --. Confirmation records, 1920-1973
Box 2. Folder --. Scrapbook, West Virginia State Convention, 1946 October 27-28
Box 2. Folder --. B'not mitzvah service of Ashley and Lesley Rosen, 1994 May 21
Box 2. Folder --. Name index.
Box 2. Folder --. "The Golden Book".