

GUIDE TO SOURCES
IN THE MILWAUKEE URBAN ARCHIVES
RELATING TO WOMEN'S HISTORY

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THE MILWAUKEE URBAN ARCHIVES

This *Guide* is designed to introduce the reader to the historical source materials in the Milwaukee Urban Archives relating to women. The Archives is located in the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee's Golda Meir Library. The *Guide* is also available in computer format. The Archives consists of three units:

Golda Meir Library University Archives

The Golda Meir Library University Archives is responsible for the preservation of historical resources from UWM's offices and departments. UWM collections are identified by their UWM Archival Collection call number.

Golda Meir Library University Manuscript Collections

The Golda Meir Library University Manuscript Collections is responsible for the preservation of historical resources from non-UWM sources that are owned by the university. UWM manuscript collections are identified by their UWM Manuscript Collection call number.

Milwaukee Area Research Center

The Milwaukee Area Research Center is a cooperative project of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin and UWM to encourage the collection and preservation of historical resources and to make these resources available for research. The Milwaukee Area Research Center is part of a network of thirteen centers throughout the state. The holdings include the records and papers of a variety of businesses, individuals, and organizations. The holdings also include records of county and local governments in Milwaukee, Ozaukee, Sheboygan, Washington, and Waukesha counties, certain state government records created in the region and a few federal records. The collections can be identified by a "Milwaukee" call number.

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ARRANGEMENT OF THE GUIDE

The holdings are arranged alphabetically by the name of the collection. Each citation provides the name, title, span dates, collection number, size, and description of the collection. The descriptions are intended only to provide a general idea of what is in the collection, not a comprehensive listing of the contents. It is noted if a more detailed finding aid to a collection is available in the Archives.

HYPertext LINKS

The computer disk copy of *The Guide to Primary History Sources Relating to Women in the Milwaukee Urban Archives* contains hypertext links. The links [] allow readers to quickly switch between the *Guide* and all available electronic copies of the finding aids. Each finding aid also contains a link back to the *Guide*. The hypertext links speed up the process of searching for specific resources in collections that might be of use to researchers.

The complete *Guide* and all inventories is on a 3.5" disk and can be provided upon request. UWM archival education students Ellen Engseth, Leslie Heinrichs, and Randy Bell created the hypertext links with WordPerfect 6.1.

USE OF THE COLLECTIONS

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All microfilm reels are 35 mm. positive user copies.

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Bibliographic records to the holdings can be found in the national OCLC cataloging database and in Golda Meir Library's online catalog.

Aarons-Jung-Sheuerman family papers, 1850-1992.

UWM Manuscript Collection 44

2.6 cubic ft.

Papers of three related Jewish families, with some information on other extended relatives, mostly from Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The papers were compiled by Matilda Jung. Includes family correspondence, usually discussing personal affairs, of Judge Charles Aarons, Lehman (Buz) Aarons, Louise Aarons Blosten, Matilda Jung, and other relatives; scrapbooks documenting the life of Matilda Aarons Jung and Rose Sheuerman Aarons; family histories for the Aarons, Frankel, Jung, Schram, and Sheuerman families; and photographs and photograph albums of the Aarons and Jung families. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Baer family.

Papers, 1854-1963.

Milwaukee Small Collection 63

.1 cubic ft.

A 1963 interview with Myrtle Baer (b. 1880) regarding her volunteer social work in Milwaukee and with its Jewish community there; passports and citizenship papers of her father, William (1854-66); the marriage license and a clipping about her parents' wedding (1867); and letter from her mother's brother (1867-73). Some materials are in German.

Barnhill, Helen I.

Papers, 1963-1965.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 4

.2 cubic ft.

Papers of an executive secretary of the Milwaukee Citizens for Equal Opportunity, including printed flyers and memoranda of the MCEO and its parent organization, the Foundation for Freedom

and Democracy in Community Life. Collection also contains files concerning equal opportunities and housing, and school curricula and schedules for the 1964 Freedom Day School. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Bergwall, George Edward, 1806-1873.

Bergwall family papers, 1858-1949.

Milwaukee Small Collection 50

.2 cubic ft.

Translations of letters written to relatives in Sweden by George Bergwall and his wife Ebba, residents of New Upsala, Waukesha County, including comments on American public issues and events; and genealogical information on the Bergwall family. Includes letters by Charlotte Bergwall while on an 1889 trip to Sweden, biographical information, and a genealogical chart showing the ancestry of Edward Anton Bergwall and of his wife, Jennie Marie Brown. Also contains letters written by the Bergwall children.

Birkenwald, Sally.

Papers, 1880-1885.

Milwaukee Small Collection 35

.1 cubic ft.

Recitations and two volumes of class notes kept by Sally Birkenwald when she was a student at Milwaukee Normal School, including a photograph of teachers at the college.

Booth, Sherman, 1812-1904.

Booth and Corss family papers, 1818-1908.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection BB

4 cubic ft.

Papers of a 19th-century Wisconsin abolitionist agitator, politician, lecturer and publisher. Includes correspondence concerning Booth family affairs; miscellaneous school and church materials collected by Booth's daughters

while living in Connecticut; Civil War soldiers' medical examination records; family diaries; and school notebooks of Lillian May Booth, one of Sherman Booth's daughters. The majority of the collection concerns the family of Adeline P. Corss, mother of the second Mrs. Booth. The letters written during the Civil War almost completely ignore the conflict; they are instead concerned with the affairs of Booth and his family. Booth wrote only about 145 of the estimated 3,000 letters in the collection; these are mainly to his daughters and to Adeline Corss. Booth's letters have been photocopied, and the originals also remain in the collection. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Brandt, Gerald.
Papers, 1850-1860.

Milwaukee Small Collection 47
.1 cubic ft.

Letters from Gerard and Catherine Brandt of Holland Township in Sheboygan County to relatives and friends, chiefly in Milwaukee and the Netherlands, about personal and religious matters, and life in Wisconsin. Contains the original letters in Dutch, and transcriptions in Dutch and English.

Burke, Virginia M.
Papers, 1938-1977.

UWM Manuscript Collection 37
2.8 cubic ft.

Papers of a female University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee English professor which includes professional and personal correspondence, newspaper clippings, drafts of published works, copies of works that had been submitted for publication, reviews, and notes. The professional correspondence includes thank you letters, letters of inquiry, rejection and acceptance

letters from publishers, and routine correspondence with colleagues. The personal correspondence deals primarily with Burke's battle against heart disease.

A large portion of the collection focuses on Burke's involvement with professional organizations, particularly the National Council of Teachers of English and the Wisconsin Council of Teachers of English. The collection also reflects her interest in Black literature. She taught courses in Black literature, and she served on the advisory board for the *Negro American Literature Forum*. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Clark, Ellen J. Harlow, 1845-1938.
Papers, 1864-1866.

Milwaukee Small Collection 70
.1 cubic ft.

Correspondence of Ellen Harlow, resulting from her 1863 attendance as a student at Milwaukee College; including three letters from Katie Flanders, a fellow student, and one letter to and one letter from Sara McMechan, a teacher there; plus a clipped obituary.

Community United Church of Christ (Elkhart Lake, Wis.)
Records, 1863-1983.

Milwaukee Micro Collection 19
4 microfilm reels.

Records of the church and its predecessors, Trinity Reformed Church and St. John's Evangelical Church; including sacramental records, minutes, records of women's guilds, and other records. Until the late 1930s, the entries are in German. Also included are brief records of St. John's Evangelical Church of Greenbush, Wisconsin and of Evangelical Peace Church of Plymouth, Wisconsin. The relationship of these two churches to the Elkhart Lake churches is

unknown. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Crawford, Berenice Maloney, 1896-Papers, 1909-1974.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 12
1.2 cubic ft.

Papers document the long career of a female Wisconsin educator who taught classes from elementary through university level. Particular emphasis is given to her early teaching activities (1930-1939). Crawford's correspondence files primarily contain letters of recommendation and letters demonstrating interest in her new jobs; and includes material pertaining to the elementary report card and kindergarten activity programs she developed.

Collection also contains files, scrapbooks, and travel diaries documenting Crawford's travels, and activities with sororities and other social groups. The scrapbooks and personal files contain correspondence between Crawford and her husband, Frederick, as

Douglas, James.
James and Margaret Douglas papers, 1840-1930.

Milwaukee Small Collection 162
.1 cubic ft.

Letters, including typed transcriptions, describing America to family members in Scotland from James and Margaret Douglas, immigrants who first lived in Mount Morris, New York and then settled in Milwaukee in 1844. The letters describe their passage to New York; costs of goods, clearing of land, and farming conditions in New York and Wisconsin. Also includes one letter, written about 1930, transmitting the collection to a Douglas granddaughter from a cousin in New Zealand.

well as information pertaining to his inventions. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Daughters of Founders and Patriots of America. Wisconsin State Chapter No. 10.

Records, 1910-1960.

Milwaukee Small Collections 15 and 39
.2 cubic ft.

Two collections of the State Chapter's records. Small Collection 15 contains miscellaneous records and reports, including a chapter history, and a few newsletters from the mid-1950s, compiled by Mrs. Erwin A. Hentzen and her mother, Mrs. Edward Austin. Small Collection 39 contains another history of the chapter; reports of the chapter historian (1937-60); president's newsletters; ancestral sketches of members; and questionnaires detailing members' activities on the home-front in World War II.

Earling, Albert J., 1848-1925.

Earling family papers, 1901-1948.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection BP
1.3 cubic ft.

Collection includes the papers of Albert Earling, president of the Chicago, Milwaukee, and St. Paul Railway Company; his daughter, Harriet Earling Dake; and Lawrence Fitch, Mrs. Dake's first husband. The greater part of the collection concerns Mrs. Dake's social and civic interests, including files on the Fatherless Children of France and the Women's Club of Wisconsin. There are also clippings relating to Mrs. Dake and the Earling and Fitch families, and genealogies of the Earling, Fitch, and Tilton families. There is some biographical information on Albert Earling and a few business letters.

Correspondents include William Rockefeller, Theodore Roosevelt, and Herbert Hoover. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Erlebacher family.
Papers, 1937-1954.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 59
.1 cubic ft.

Letters, in German, written between 1938-1942 by Mrs. Lena Wertheimer, to her daughter and son-in-law, Rosa and Alfred Erlebacher, residing in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The Wertheimers lived in Laupheim, Germany until they were deported to the concentration camp at Threisenstadt (Czechoslovakia) in late 1942. Most of the letters describe only family matters and personal affairs and do not comment directly on the conditions of Jews in Germany. There are also letters (1938-early 1950s) to Mrs. Erlebacher from her siblings in Palestine and South Africa.

**Federation of Jewish Women's
Organizations of Milwaukee.
Records, 1929-1981.**

Milwaukee Micro Collection 52
3 microfilm reels.

Records (mostly 1950-69) of an organization founded in 1925 that coordinated the activities of philanthropic and cultural Jewish women's organizations in Milwaukee. Included are constitutions, officers' correspondence, publications, directories of organizations and events, and a historical scrapbook. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Flynn, James T., 1944-
Papers, 1973-1981.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 89
2.4 cubic ft.

Legislative papers of a Democratic Wisconsin State senator who represented the 8th Senatorial District (1972-82), and lieutenant governor (1982-). The majority of the files pertain to his service as chair of the Special Committee on Court Reorganization, which did research and made recommendations for enacting the restructuring of the court system mandated by the voters in 1977. Other files pertain to Flynn's other committee assignments: the Judicial Council's Committee on Court Administration, the Legislative Council's Committee on Courts, and the Senate Committee to Study Standing Committee Rules, and the Committee for Court Modernization.

Also contains files on Flynn's involvement with compensation for crime victims; non-discriminatory credit for women; termination of parental rights for children in foster care; and fire safety for high rise buildings. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Frackelton, Susan Goodrich, 1848-
1932.**

Papers, 1882-1953.

Milwaukee Small Collection 23
.1 cubic ft.

Papers of a female Milwaukee ceramist, designer and lecturer, chiefly concerning the exhibition of her ceramic work at shows and fairs throughout the world; and clippings concerning china painting.

**Grand Avenue Congregational Church
(Milwaukee, Wis.)**

Records, 1857-1977.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 128
12 cubic ft.

Records (mainly 1910-65) include histories and information on anniversary observances; newspaper clippings and photographs; minutes and correspondence of congregational meetings, the church council, and many governing boards and committees; and financial and other administrative records. Also contains incomplete membership records; and numerous publications including annual reports, newsletters, and church bulletins. Activities of the women in the congregation are documented by minutes, financial information, and other records of the Women's Guild and its many circles, the Home and Foreign Missionary Societies, and other groups. There is information on the 1961 United Church of Christ merger and on participation in area ecumenical activities. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Greenthal, Alex.
Alex and Irma Greenthal papers, 1894-1978.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 144
.2 cubic ft.

Miscellaneous biographical and family materials including two brief diaries (1903-1909), a 1904 record book of the "O.L.J. Club," certificates, clippings, letters, and invitations. Travel and family photographs (ca. 1885, 1904-1966) depict the Greenthal and Wetzler families, including Lizzie B. Kander, maternal aunt of Irma Greenthal.

**Holmes, Elizabeth, 1900-
Papers, 1852-1976.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 118
.1.6 cubic ft.

Papers, mainly 1960-1965, of a former English professor at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee consisting of speeches; school district reports and studies; and correspondence, minutes,

reports, and clippings of the Committee on Appointment and Instruction (1961-1964), the Special Committee on Equality of Educational Opportunity, which studied segregation within Milwaukee schools (1963-1964), and other committees of the board. Also included are project proposals, reports, and research council minutes concerning the Great Cities Program for School Improvement which studied the problems of migrant and transient students in Milwaukee.

Kander, Simon, Mrs.
Papers, 1875-1960.

Milwaukee Manuscript DN
.8 cubic ft.

Papers of Lizzie Black Kander, a woman whose social work among immigrant Russian Jews in Milwaukee earned her the sobriquet "the Jane Addams of Milwaukee." Contains reports, correspondence, promotional brochures, clippings, materials used in publishing a cookbook used for fund raising purposes, and minutes relating to her founding and operation of the settlement house which ultimately became the Jewish Community Center of Milwaukee. The correspondence after her death is that of her niece, Irma Greenthal, and deals mainly with the 1948 dedication of the Kander Auditorium and biographical information about Kander. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Korducki, Sandra, 1937-
Papers, 1951-1956.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 119
.1 cubic ft.

Photographs, newsclippings, and programs illustrating Korducki's involvement in the Mazur Polish Dancers, the Polish Summer School, and the Walker's Point Youth and Family Center

in Milwaukee. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Kostmatka family.

Papers, 1896-1979.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 76
.2 cubic ft.

The majority of the collection is composed of photographs of Kostmatka's relatives, including those in the Grochowska and Kuszewski families, and of the Marya Konopnicka Dramatic Circle. Also includes a family genealogy, and materials pertaining to Kostmatka's experiences as a VISTA volunteer in Arizona. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Labudde, Wilhelmine D., 1880-1955.

Papers, 1924-1956.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection BC
6.1 cubic ft.

Papers of a leader in Wisconsin conservation efforts; containing correspondence with a number of other conservation leaders, including Charles Broughton (1927-51), Louis Radke (1928-51), and the **League of Women Voters of Greater Milwaukee (Wis.)**

Records, 1920-1981.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 80
12 cubic ft.

Records of a women's civic group involved in studying community issues, influencing political decision making, and encouraging voter participation. Includes minutes and reports of meetings, bulletins, bylaws, committee records, correspondence, anniversary records, financial and membership records, and national and state LWV records. Local study issues illustrate societal and political concerns of the Milwaukee League. Most materials date from the 1960s and 1970s, covering the

44), and Haskell Noyes (1927-39). Also contains extensive correspondence with Wisconsin governors and members of the state legislature (1930s-40s), and with members of the U.S. Congress from almost every Wisconsin district. Includes articles, publicity materials, and speeches on conservation; reports of the conservation committee of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs; and scrapbooks. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Ladies' Art and Science Class of Milwaukee College (Wis.)

Records, 1874-1899.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection CN
.4 cubic ft.

Includes correspondence and notes (1898-99); articles of incorporation, constitution and by-laws; printed study outlines; library catalog; clippings; and record books kept by the secretary (1874-99). Finding aid available in the Archives.

administration of justice, air pollution, city government, education, energy, equal rights, foreign trade, housing, human rights, land use, reapportionment, sewerage, transportation, voter registration and rights, and water quality. Includes partial records of the Inter-League Council, formed in 1959 to coordinate local League activities, consisting of agreements and amendments, minutes and reports of meetings, bulletins, by-laws, convention reports, and financial records; files of annual reports, bulletins, minutes, correspondence, financial records, membership records, scrapbooks, and study files from the LWV of West Allis

and of Greendale. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Mariner, John W., 1868-1930.

Mariner family papers, 1881-1946.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection D
6.5 cubic ft.

Includes John Mariner's business correspondence and records relating to his investments in the Ontonagon and Brule River Railroad Company of Michigan (1892-1946); and the J.J. Hof Land Company, and its successor firms. Also contains records (1917-44) of the National League of Women's Service, an unofficial patriotic organization on which Mrs. Mariner served, documenting the Wisconsin groups that worked with the League, especially during World War I. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Mathews, Stella S., 1868?-1949.

Papers, 1919-1949.

Milwaukee Small Collection 84
.4 cubic ft.

Papers of a Milwaukee nurse who served with the Army and the American Red Cross during World War I in France, and after the war in Poland and Greece, and then was a hospital nursing superintendent in Hawaii; including

Papers of a Milwaukee artist which include correspondence with friends and artists discussing her personal life and views on art (1937-80). In particular, she had continued correspondence with Morino Hiroaki and a prominent Tokyo landscape designer, Shimoyama Shigemaro. Also included are programs of her art exhibitions (1926-80), photographs of art work and personal life, and a scrapbook that documents the recognition she received in newspapers (1925-62). The programs of her exhibitions and the scrapbook are of

letters, citations, and award certificates; a biography; a list of Milwaukee people who served at base Hospital No. 22 near Bordeaux, France; and minutes of the Wisconsin State Nurses Association (1930-33). Finding aid available in the Archives.

McConnell, Harriet Naomi Clark, 1841-

Family history, [1893?]

Milwaukee Small Collection 81
.1 cubic ft.

Account of the lives of Timothy Lyman Clark and his wife, Sarah A. Goss, written by their daughter Harriet McConnell (ca. 1893); with information on their settling in Pewaukee, Wisconsin (ca. 1837), other family members who came to live near them, moving to Kansas in 1864, and the many deaths which afflicted their family.

Meredith, Dorothy Loraine, 1906-ca. 1982.

Papers, 1925-1980.

UWM Manuscript Collection 27
1.2 cubic ft.

primary importance because they document her life as an artist.

Milwaukee Colony of New England Women.

Records, 1932-1964.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection EO
.4 cubic ft.

Records of the Milwaukee chapter of the National Society of New England Women, organized to promote patriotic, civic, and social activities among descendants of early New England settlers. Includes minutes, membership lists, a scrapbook, and miscellaneous

materials. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Milwaukee Committee to Free Angela Davis.

Records, 1971.

Milwaukee Small Collection 90

.1 cubic ft.

Leaflets, flyers, and a newsletter of the committee formed to support the imprisoned black revolutionary Angela Davis through fund raising and public education.

Milwaukee-Downer College.

Records, 1852-1964.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection L

53.4 cubic ft.

The collection contains some records of the College's predecessor institutions, the Milwaukee College and Downer College, but most materials date from after 1895. Includes president's correspondence (1895-1964); reports from departments; subject files and correspondence of W. W. Wight and E. E. White, presidents of the board of trustees (1896-1962); business and financial records of the business office (1888-1964); subject files of the dean of students, including reports from student organizations and activities, and minutes of committees (1911-64).

Also contains the registrar's subject files, including student grade transcripts (1904-64); subject files and correspondence of the faculty, including course outlines (1878-1964); records of student organizations and copies of the student's literary magazine *Kodak*, annual *Cumtux*, newspapers *Snapshot* and *Dial*, and photograph albums (1895-1964); records of the Alumnae Association (1887-1964); subject files of the public relations office (1900-64); history files,

including catalogs and bulletins, newspaper clippings, and some records of the predecessor institutions (1852-1964); and a photograph collection (1850-1962). Also contains some correspondence between Increase Lapham and Catherine Beecher on their educational philosophy. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Milwaukee Humanities Program.

Records, 1977-1986.

UWM Archival Collection 67

.2 cubic ft.

Records of a federally funded project conducted by the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee (UWM) to promote the humanities to the general public, largely compiled or created by Frederick I. Olson, last executive director of the Program. The collection contains accounting, budget, and other financial records; correspondence files; grant files concerning the National Endowments for the Humanities (NEH); and films made by the Program. The correspondence files contain letters to and from the executive director with NEH and UWM officials, and Milwaukee's historical community documenting program funding and activities. The community board's meeting files contain minutes documenting its focus on NEH funding, project development, bylaws, and budget reports. The minutes provide insight into the objectives of the Program and the role of board members. The Program's oral history and film projects, which focused on the history of Milwaukee's people, products, and geographic areas are well documented in publications and photographs, feature film, cassette tapes, and video tapes, and include out takes not seen by the general public. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Milwaukee Nurses' Registry and Placement Service.
Records, 1961-1973.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 64

.1 cubic ft.

Fragmentary records of the Service, incorporated in 1954 and dissolved in 1971. Jointly sponsored by the Milwaukee District of the Wisconsin State Nurses' Association and the Milwaukee Hospital Council, the service was formed "to secure private duty nurses for the community and to serve as a placement center for nurses." Includes articles of incorporation; minutes and correspondence from its closing period; rules, sample forms, and clippings.

**Milwaukee Peace Council.
Records, 1961-1964.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 87

.1 cubic ft.

Fragmentary records of an organization dedicated to working for international peace that was composed of representatives of various Milwaukee groups such as the United World Federalists, the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, and the Committee for a Sane Nuclear Policy. The collection includes handwritten and typed minutes of meetings, correspondence, flyers, and handwritten notes made by William O. Brown, a council officer.

Milwaukee Micro Collection 12

1 microfilm reel.

Papers of a Milwaukee Jewish women's club formed in 1902 to study parliamentary law and discuss such subjects as government, welfare, and education; including minutes, yearbooks, and constitutions.

National Association of Women in Construction. Milwaukee Chapter 105.

Milwaukee Repertory Theatre Company.

Records, 1953-1978.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 95

61 cubic ft.

Records document the problems that beset a local theater while building an audience, maintaining good relations with the community, achieving financial solvency, and attaining administrative and artistic stability. The records of individual performances are limited to financial records, programs, reviews, scripts, and photographs. The records from 1969-78 consist mostly of technical information relating to productions at the Performing Arts Center (PAC), and at a smaller experimental theater at Court Street, as well as special productions performed at festivals or on tour. There is also information on the MRT's move from the Fred Miller Theatre to the Todd Wehr Theatre in the PAC during the 1969-70 season. Also contains records for the Fred Miller Theatre League, a women's support group; and the company's School of Professional Arts. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Milwaukee Social Science Club.
Records, 1902-1964.**

Records, 1955-1980.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 113

2.4 cubic ft.

Records of an association for women office workers in the construction industry, containing mostly committee files (1966-80), but also including bylaws, minutes, national convention reports, newsletters, and other records. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Ogden, Marion G., 1875-1976.
Papers, 1898-1970.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection EF
2.1 cubic ft.

Collection documents Ogden's many years as a Milwaukee social reformer, mainly 1900-30. The collection's significance is in its coverage of one female social activists' efforts to cope with problems of urban youth during the Progressive Era in Wisconsin. Includes Ogden's diary, journal, and record books (1901-24) which are filled with her ideas on child welfare reform and much information on Wisconsin's early treatment of juveniles. Also contains materials on the Farm School, a foster home at Lad Lake, which Ogden sponsored. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Partridge, Charlotte.
Papers, 1918-1968.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection ED
3.4 cubic ft.

Papers of the former director of the Layton School of Art in Milwaukee. The collection generally illustrates more about Partridge's interest in art activities than about her actual role in events or organizations. The collection consists of newspaper and magazine clippings, announcements, brochures, bulletins, catalogues, and reports from a variety of art groups and on a variety of art-related subjects. Personal papers and correspondence are almost non-existent, and much of the material came from mass mailings. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Plichta family.
Papers, 1902-1948.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 124
.1 cubic ft.

Correspondence, post cards, photographs, and personal documents. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Podkomorski, Gladys.
Papers, 1942-1944.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 95
.1 cubic ft.

Papers primarily concern Podkomorski's work with World War II war bond drives, the Polish War Relief Committee, and Red Cross fund raising. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polanki, the Polish Women's Cultural Club of Milwaukee.

Records, 1946-1981.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 74
4.4 cubic ft. + 1 microfilm reel.

*Additional parts to the collection:
Milwaukee Micro Collection 39*

Records, including correspondence, administrative and financial records, newspaper clippings, and minutes. Among activities documented by the collection are the annual Easter teas, Polonaise balls, Chopin piano contests, scholarship and achievement awards, and the St. John's Eve celebrations. Also well documented is the work of two Polanki leaders, Harriet Gostomski and Janet H. Branden. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish Falcons of America. Nest 725 (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Records, 1916-1980.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 60
.4 cubic ft. + 1 microfilm reel.

*Additional parts to the collection:
Milwaukee Micro Collection 30*

Includes two volumes of microfilmed minutes in Polish (1916-26), of both the men's organization and the women's auxiliary; anniversary programs and histories; several district convention

and bowling programs; and newsclippings. Also contains a minute book of Nest 755, the girls junior nest allied with Nest 725. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America. District 14. Records, 1957-1979.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 65
.4 cubic ft.

Includes programs from conventions, bowling tournaments, and the annual debutante ball; minutes, papers, and mandates from district, state, and local conventions and meetings; and correspondence and papers of the women's division. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America. Lodge 2201 (Milwaukee Ladies Society) Records, 1934-1975.

Milwaukee Small Collection 96
.1 cubic ft.

Contains the articles of incorporation (1934), a minute book, written in Polish (1942-53) and English (1953-68), and a case book (1968-75). Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish Women's Alliance of America. Records, 1916-1963.

Records include articles of incorporation (1934), a minute book, written in Polish (1942-53) and English (1953-68), and a case book (1968-75). Finding aid available in the Archives.

Schmitt, Aroline, 1904-Papers, 1939-1971.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection BX
2.3 cubic ft.

Papers of a female leader in Wisconsin conservation efforts, consisting

Milwaukee Small Collection 135
.1 cubic ft.

Printed constitutions, minutes of national conventions (1916-18), and financial reports (1918, 1924) of the Alliance and several jubilee albums.

Polish Women's Alliance of America. Group No. 103 (Mutual Help Society) Records, 1930-1971.

Milwaukee Small Collection 102
.1 cubic ft.

Minutes, newsclippings, membership records, and printed items. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish Women's Alliance of America. Group 115 (Dabrowka Society) Records, 1911-1920.

Milwaukee Small Collection 134
.2 cubic ft.

Printed constitutions and by-laws, dance programs, and decorated stationary. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Polish National Alliance of the United States of North America. Lodge 2201 (Milwaukee Ladies Society) Records, 1934-1975.

Milwaukee Small Collection 96
.1 cubic ft.

primarily of Schmitt's files dealing with conservation in the state, many of which are routine or social in nature. The papers regarding organizations are fragmentary, and there is no personal material. Includes the correspondence and newsletters of *Forests*, a short-lived national organization headed by Schmitt and Charles H. Stoddard. Also contains correspondence with conservation leaders Aldo Leopold and Gifford Pinochet, Ernest Swift, and Louis Radke. Includes

materials concerning the Flambeau wilderness area, and the conservation of forest resources for the Menomonee Indians. Finding aid available in the Archives.

St. Joseph's Nurses Alumni Association (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Records, 1893-1924.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 25
.2 cubic ft.

Fragmentary records regarding graduates of St. Joseph's Hospital Training School for Nurses, and the Trinity Hospital School for Nurses, both of which later combined to form the Marquette University College of Nursing. Includes certificate of incorporation of St. Joseph's School (1899); volume of minutes, articles of incorporation, and by-laws of the St. Joseph's Nurses Alumni Association (1914-24); and several lists of graduates. Finding aid available in the Archives.

St. Mary's School of Nursing (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Records, 1894-1969.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection CV
16.8 cubic ft.

Papers, 1973-1976.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection EN
1.6 cubic ft.

Papers of a Democratic legislator from Wisconsin's 19th Assembly District, mainly letters to and from constituents, and interested citizens and organizations of Wisconsin. Most of the letters relate to budget bills or abortion legislation. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Tuchman, Isidore, 1888-

Additional parts to the collection: Milwaukee Small Collection 69.

Contains all existing records of the school including records concerning administration, faculty, accreditation, the curriculum, students and alumnae, and historical and miscellaneous files; plus photographs, newsclippings, and lantern slides. Also provides information on the Daughters of Charity; St. Mary's Hospital; a variety of medical and nursing topics; and detailed records of students' disciplinary, scholastic, and clinical failures. Small Collection 69 contains miscellaneous materials concerning the 1972 dedication of a historical marker at the School. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Stobba, Mary Andrzejewska, 1899-Papers, 1919-1973.

Milwaukee Small Collection 73.
.1 cubic ft.

Papers, mostly in Polish, concerning relief work done in Poland after World War I (1919-22) by Stobba, a Gray Samaritan (volunteer American women working through the American Relief Administration recruited and supported by the YWCA), including autograph books, drawings, clippings and other miscellaneous papers.

Tesmer, Louise M., 1942-Interview, 1962.

Milwaukee Small Collection 46
.1 cubic ft. + 1 audio reel-to-reel.

Additional parts of the collection: Milwaukee Tape 2

Interview with a female Milwaukee Zionist concerning the emergency call for relief for Palestine in 1914, subsequent fund raising drives in behalf of the Jews in Europe and Asia, and Milwaukee Zionist leaders.

United States. Army. Women's Army Corps. Veterans Association. Records, 1947-1964.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 123
.2 cubic ft.

Records of the Milwaukee, Wisconsin chapter of an organization whose object was to promote the general welfare of all veterans. The records include brief historical outlines; minutes; financial records. Activities documented by the records include social activities and visits to area hospitals.

University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee. Athletics. Office of the Director. Records, 1895-1992.

UWM Archival Collection 8
20.6 cubic ft.

Records of the Athletic Director of the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee and its predecessor institutions, mostly dating from the 1970s. The collection contains 312 reels of movie film, almost entirely of football games, dating from the 1940s to the 1970s. A few reels exist for basketball games and swimming meets. Other records document awards banquets and recipients of awards; club sports which were sponsored by the university but did not receive any university funding; the physical education program; and the building and maintenance of university athletic facilities, including the J. Martin Klotsche Center for Physical Education.

Records concerning intramural sports include athletic records, rules, schedules, and statistics. The correspondence files document a wide variety of subjects such as intercollegiate athletics, physical education, student services, women's athletics, and university athletic facilities. Some records concern the efforts of UWM and other universities in the 1960s and 1970s to create an urban

university conference, and include the proposed constitution and operating code; and materials on UWM's violations of NCAA basketball rules during the 1975 season. Finding aid available in the Archives.

University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee. Center for Twentieth Century Studies. Records, 1968-1988.

UWM Archival Collection 70
1 cubic ft.

The collection primarily documents the development of the Center's seminars, conferences, and lecture series, and the invitation of scholars, authors, and artists, such as Thomas J. Abercrombie, Celia Bertin, Anthony Burgess, and June Wayne. Consists of correspondence between the director and scholars, authors, and artists about lectures and conferences sponsored by the Center; brochures and announcements of Center events; photographs; committee meeting minutes; transcripts of lectures delivered at conferences; and the Center's *Newsletter*. Much of the collection documents the role and scholarship of women in the arts in the twentieth century. *Working Papers*, a series of works-in-progress published by the Center, documents the research and pre-publication of scholarship by the Center's fellows. Approximately one-quarter of the correspondence is in French, most dealing with *A Week with French Women* and other lectures and visits given by foreign artists and authors. Finding aid available in the Archives.

University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee. Dept. of Physical Education, Recreation and Health Education. Office of the Chairperson. Records, 1956-1980.

UWM Archival Collection 21

.8 cubic ft.

Miscellaneous records of the Dept. of Physical Education, Recreation and Health Education (PERHE) and its predecessor from 1956 to 1980. Most of the records date from the 1970s and appear to have been created or compiled by the department's chairperson. Included within the collection are records created by chairmen Herman Kluge and Ward K. Gates. The largest part of the collection is the masters degree program files (1965-1979) which contain proposals and materials documenting the development of a master of science in physical education/human kinetics, and the development of the J. Martin Klotsche Center. The collection also contains policies regarding the physical education program, requirements, and reports of the program for teachers. Also included are proposals for offering a major in women's physical education and a major in men's physical education. Several files relate to the department's 1976 name change from Physical Education to Physical Education, Recreation and Health Education, as well as materials relating to the department's transfer to the School of Allied Health Professions in 1979. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Equal Opportunity Office.
Records, 1971-1987.**

UWM Archival Collection 9

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Office of the Assistant to the Vice
Chancellor.**

Records, 1971-1977.

UWM Archival Collection 11

1 cubic ft.

Records of Leila Fraser, an assistant to the Vice Chancellor and later

4 cubic ft.

The collection documents affirmative action planning at the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee (UWM). The records consist largely of affirmative action plans, goals and timetables, and reports. Recruitment of minorities and women was a priority for the Equal Opportunity Office (EOO), and the collection has a large amount of materials on their availability and recruiting. The program manual and files on policies and guidelines detail legislation and procedures for handling gender and racial discrimination cases, filing grievances, and academic staff hiring. The numerous affirmative action reports detail how well UWM met its hiring goals for academic staff and faculty. There are records on the Ad Hoc Committee on the Status of Women, the Student Advisory Committee for Disabled Students, Minority and Disadvantaged Students Task Force on Planning, and the Wisconsin Task Force on Equal Education Opportunities. The collection also contains correspondence and memos from the Chancellor and Vice Chancellor concerning affirmative action. The files on individual offices and departments contain information on their goals, timetables, and results in reaching affirmative action quotas. Finding aid available in the Archives.

to the Chancellor. Fraser created most of the records while she was assistant to the Vice Chancellor. The collection documents her work with various committees that dealt with women and minorities, UWM's efforts to establish a law school, and the 1977 Women in Science Career Conference. The files contain correspondence, letters, memos,

minutes, and newspaper clippings. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee.
Office of the Chancellor.
Records, 1943-1992.**

UWM Archival Collection 46
137 cubic ft.

The chancellor is the chief administrative officer for the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee (UWM) campus, and the collection documents the chancellor's responsibility for overseeing UWM's administrative offices, centers, colleges, and schools. The records concern topics such as accreditation, general policy issues, funding, new courses, organizational structure, plans for expansion, staffing, and other administrative affairs. The collection contains records from Chancellors J. Martin Klotsche (1956-1973); Werner Baum (1973-1979); Frank Horton (1980-1985); Clifford Smith (1986-1990); and Acting Chancellors Leon Schur (1979-1980) and Norma Rees (1985-1986). The collection does not contain any records of John Schroeder's service as interim chancellor (1990-1991) or chancellor (1991-). The records post-dating 1990 are files of the chancellors emeriti.

The files contain copies of correspondence, reports, and background materials either created by the chancellors or sent to them by other offices. The files also contain records from departmental and college or school standing or *ad hoc* committees. In many cases, correspondence between the chancellor and the deans or department heads found in the respective files also provides useful documentation.

The collection contains numerous files concerning affirmative action for minorities and women on the UWM campus. The Affirmative Action files

contain detailed correspondence and reports concerning the early development of hiring and retention plans. Other related records can be found in files on the Affirmative Action Advisory Planning Committee, Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action Plan, Affirmative Action Program, Office of Affirmative Action and Equal Opportunity, and State Affirmative Action Council. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Office of the Vice Chancellor.
Records, 1960-1985.**

UWM Archival Collection 12
33.6 cubic ft.

The collection consists of the Vice Provost's (1963-65) and Vice Chancellor's (1965-1985) files. There are no records from George A. Parkinson's tenure as Vice Provost (1956-58) and only a few from Charles Vevier (1963-65). Most of the records were created in the 1970s by William L. Walters. Only a few records postdate 1979. The majority of the collection documents the Vice Chancellor's administration of UWM's centers, colleges, and schools. The records usually concern accreditation, general policy issues, funding, new courses, organizational structure, plans for expansion, staffing, and other administrative affairs.

The records also contain numerous files concerning affirmative action for minorities and women on the UWM campus; the development of academic computing; the Caudill, Rowlett, and Scott master plan for UWM; and student protests during the Vietnam War. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Office of Women's Studies.
Records, 1972-1979.**

UWM Archival Collection 64
.2 cubic ft.

Miscellaneous records of the Office of Women's Studies, as well as materials preceding the office's establishment in 1974 which focus on the need for a women's studies program and document the office's development. A correspondence file with various memos and announcements relates to courses, staffing, and other department functions; also included are minutes of the Women's Studies Advisory Committee. The collection also contains a questionnaire (1972-1975) given to faculty regarding women's issues being taught in their courses; the results were used to compile a cross-listing of courses with the Office of Women's Studies. Also includes correspondence regarding a lecture given by Sheila Tobias, a report on the campus day care program, and several issues of the *Women's Studies News* (1975-1979). Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Panhellenic Council.
Records, 1930-1969.**

UWM Archival Collection 117
.8 cubic ft.

Records of the Council and its predecessors, the Inter-Society Council (1930-1932) and the Intersorority Council (1932-1958), largely documenting the activities of campus social sororities. Contains constitutions and by-laws, minutes, rosters, rushing and installation materials, and information on social functions. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Photographic Services.**

Records, 1898-1989.

UWM Archival Collection 6
12.8 cubic ft.

Photographs, negatives and slides, usually taken by the staff at Photographic Services, with a smaller number taken by the staff of the Wisconsin State Teacher's College *Times*, and the *UWM Post*, and a variety of other sources. The images, all in black and white, document the administration, student activities, athletic competition, buildings, and activities of the Milwaukee Downer College, the Milwaukee Normal School, the Wisconsin State Teacher's College, and UWM.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
School of Education. Office of the Dean.
Records, 1928-1989.**

UWM Archival Collection 5
25.2 cubic ft.

Records created or compiled by the Dean of the School of Education, mostly dating from the 1960s and 1970s, with a few records from UWM's predecessor institutions. The majority of the collection consists of files concerning activities and programs within the School and its departments. The records document committee activities; curriculum and program developments; conferences and workshops; staffing, equipment, and space needs; announcements and reports; the departmental reorganization and plans for the future of the School. Major programs well documented include Community Education, Community Resources Workshops, Cultural Foundations of Education, the Early Childhood Center and Early Childhood Department, the Lakeshore Curriculum Study Council, Training of Teacher Trainees, and Urban Education. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
School of Social Welfare. Office of the
Dean.**

Records, 1945-1992.

UWM Archival Collection 24
19.8 cubic ft.

The records document the administration of the School and its predecessor institutions. Most of the records date from the 1970s. The records document the development of new courses and degrees; staffing and equipment needs; and plans for future expansion. The files contain copies of correspondence, reports, and background materials either created by the dean or sent to him from other offices. The files also contain agendas, minutes, and supporting materials from School ad hoc and standing committees, and publications issued by the School, most dating from the 1970s.

The collection contains extensive files concerning the accreditation of the school and its graduate and undergraduate programs; the development of Master's Degrees in Criminal Justice and Home Economics, and a PhD degree in Human Services; the Field Education Program; and the Unemployment and Economic Dependency Project. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
School of Nursing. Office of the Dean.**

Records, 1955-1989.

UWM Archival Collection 4
35.8 cubic ft.

The records document the administrations of Deans Francis H. Cunningham (Director of the Division of Nursing, 1965-66 and Dean of the School of Nursing, 1966-67), Inez G. Hinsvark (1967-75), Mary E. Conway (1976-80), Louise C. Smith (Acting, 1975-76), and Norma M. Lang (1980-92). Most of the

records date from 1968-79. The records document the funding, accreditation, and development of the School of Nursing, the Instructional Media Program, the Nurse Utilization Project, and the School's Committee for the Protection of Human Subjects. There are numerous files on Milwaukee-area clinics, hospitals, nursing homes, and Planned Parenthood because the School conducted classes and placed interns in the organizations. The records document the meetings between officials of the organizations and the School, the information presented at the classes, and the use of School interns. Also well documented is the development of courses taught within the School. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee.
Student Affairs. Office of the Assistant
Chancellor.**

Records, 1935-1991.

UWM Archival Collection 58
33 cubic ft.

Records of the Assistant Chancellor's office, and its predecessors, the Dean of Student Affairs and Assistant Chancellor for Student Services and Special Programs. Most of the records date from 1970-1984. The majority of the collection consists of the files concerning the operations of ad hoc and standing committees, departments and programs within Student Affairs. The files contain copies of correspondence, reports, and background materials either created by the assistant chancellor or sent to him from other offices documenting funding, staffing, and program development. The collection contains numerous records concerning the recruitment, retention, and quality of African-American student life at UWM, including files on the Advisory Committee on Minority/Disadvantaged Student Life, the Experimental Program in

Higher Education, and the Upward Bound Program. A variety of files concerning student housing at UWM document the development of on- and off-campus housing services, residence regulation, and costs of services. The collection contains a few records of the Wisconsin State College, Milwaukee which predate the creation of Student Affairs in 1956, including files from the Dean of Women and New Student Week. No records exist from the tenure of Robert E. Norris and David W. Robinson as Dean of Student Affairs (1956-1970). Finding aid available in the Archives.

University Women's Association of the University of Wisconsin--Milwaukee. Records, 1915-1956.

UWM Archival Collection 26
.6 cubic ft.

Records of a student organization and its predecessors, the Good Fellowship League and the College Women's Association, which promoted the spirit of unity among college women. Includes the by-laws, constitution, handbooks, and minutes of the executive board and committees. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Wauwatosa Woman's Club (Wis.) Program 1906-1909.

Milwaukee Small Collection 185
.1 cubic ft.

Program lists officers, committees, and members; the year's topic of study (*Women in Fiction*); suggested readings; and the topic of each meeting.

Wendel, Lulu, 1906-Papers, 1945-1978.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 125

1.6 cubic ft.

Papers of a leading member of voluntary mental health organizations in Wisconsin and California whose efforts were spurred by her own recovery from mental illness. Included are correspondence, minutes, memoranda, membership lists, reports, publicity materials, financial records, notes, and clippings pertaining to her involvement with the Contra Costa County Mental Health Association, the Milwaukee County Society for Mental Health, the National Academy of Religion and Mental Health, the Women's Court and Civic Conference (Milwaukee), and other organizations. Files of speeches and writings concern her personal experiences as a mental patient. There is also information on her interest in the Human Growth Institute during the 1960's. Finding aid available in the Archives.

West Side Mothers' Club (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Programs, 1906-1909.

Milwaukee Small Collection 186
.1 cubic ft.

Lists of members, officers, and committees; topics for each meeting; and an outline and discussion questions. Meeting topics included such subjects as child welfare, Wisconsin laws affecting women and children, women and children in industry, taxation, prohibition, woman suffrage, immigration problems, education, and home management.

Wild, Robert, 1875-1928.

Wild family papers, 1825-1937.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection CJ
2.4 cubic ft.

Papers of a Milwaukee lawyer and the Wild family, which settled in Milwaukee in 1853. The majority of the collection consists of incoming letters

from relatives in Baden, Germany; letters from the Wild children, especially George B., discussing family life, dispersal of relatives, education, and their movements and interests. Also contains the correspondence and speeches of Robert Wild on women's suffrage and prohibition. Some materials are in German. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Wisconsin Extension Homemakers Council.

The impact of her spirit oral history project, 1983-1989.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 129

3.4 cubic ft.

Oral history project undertaken by members of the Wisconsin Homemakers Council as a celebration of the organization's fiftieth anniversary. The project focuses on the life stories of Wisconsin homemakers and on the influence of the Wisconsin Extension Homemakers Council had on their lives. The collection consists of tape-recorded interviews, transcripts, a published guide to the project, a copy of a cookbook derived from the project, photographs, a slide/tape show with accompanying script, publicity materials, a discussion guide, and a script for a play based on the oral histories. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Wisconsin Female College.

Composition book, 1860-1861.

Milwaukee Small Collection 6

.1 cubic ft.

Milwaukee Small Collection 103

.1 cubic ft.

Jubilee albums and newsclippings collected by Pelagia Wojtczak, mostly in Polish. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Records consist of a composition book containing copies of poems, letters, news items, articles, and editorials appearing in two school newspapers: the *Normal Advocate* and the *Students Review*. The Wisconsin Female College, established at Fox Lake in 1855, admitted boys in 1857. The *Normal Advocate* was edited by male students; the *Students Review* was a joint effort.

Wisconsin State Nurses Association. Districts 4 and 5.

Records, 1906-1954.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection ES

5.2 cubic ft.

Records include correspondence with hospitals, the state board of health and the Internal Revenue Service concerning programs, civic affairs, legislation, and general problems facing the nursing profession such as unemployment or shortages of trained personnel. Also includes materials on attempts at professional self-regulation, establishment of standard fees, improved working conditions, and reduction in hours of duty.

Especially well documented are efforts to recruit and train nurses in World War II. Also contains minutes of the regular monthly meetings and the board of directors, and a few files from committees. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Wojtczak, Pelagia.

Papers, 1937-1976.

Women's Christian Temperance Union (Milwaukee, Wis.)

Records, 1926-1950.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 2

.4 cubic ft.

Records of several Milwaukee area chapters affiliated with the Wisconsin

Union of the WCTU. The work of the chapters included temperance and allied social reform activities, and was carried on through monthly meetings; programs, speakers, and county conventions dealing with alcohol and narcotics; and community and school education work. Records comprise scattered correspondence; minutes; secretaries' books; and other records. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Women's Coalition (Milwaukee, Wis.)
Records, 1972-1975.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 27
.1 cubic ft.

Miscellaneous print and near print materials concerning an umbrella group of women's organizations in Milwaukee concerned with sex discrimination in the job, in social situations, and at home.

**Women's Court and Civic Conference
(Milwaukee, Wis.)
Records, 1930-1974.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 122
1 cubic ft. + 1 microfilm reel.
Additional parts to the collection:
Milwaukee Micro Collection 62

Records of an organization formed to unite community women's groups to work cooperatively for the improvement of the courts and public institutions and to increase awareness of civic issues. The records include bylaws; minutes (1930-74); financial reports (1942-60); scrapbooks (1930-74); and miscellaneous files on activities. The scrapbooks are available only on microfilm. Finding aid available in the Archives.

Miscellaneous records, including a constitution, routine correspondence, minutes of meetings, and programs, documenting the efforts of a college organization which helped orient

**Women's International League for
Peace and Freedom. Milwaukee
Branch.**

Records, 1954-1978.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 23
.2 cubic ft.

Partial records of a Milwaukee women's peace group, mostly dating from the mid-1960s through the early 1970s. Includes correspondence; membership lists; minutes; newsletters; calendars of upcoming events; scattered financial documents; flyers, announcements, and leaflets; copies of the June/July 1966 newspaper advertisement sponsored by WILPF protesting the Vietnam War, together with letters of support. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Women's League for Jewish Education
(Milwaukee, Wis.)**

Records, 1939-1944.

Milwaukee Small Collection 60
.1 cubic ft.

Correspondence, minutes, financial records and membership lists of an organization that raised funds to support Jewish education; particularly concerning a thrift shop that sold second-hand items donated by members.

**Women's Service League (Milwaukee,
Wis.)**

Records, 1939-1955.

UWM Archival Collection 27
.2 cubic ft.

freshmen women to campus life. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Women's Trade Union League of
Milwaukee.**

Records, 1948-1956.

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection 26
.8 cubic ft.

Records of an organization formed to support trade unionism and to promote equality of women within the unions; including correspondence, minutes, financial and membership records; and bulletins, newsletters, and similar materials from other labor and social organizations. The records document efforts to obtain a medical health plan, securing equal rights in industry and government, and supporting local unions on strike. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Young Women's Christian Association
(Milwaukee, Wis.)
Records, 1892-1961.**

Milwaukee Manuscript Collection BH
4.5 cubic ft. + 2 microfilm reels.
Additional parts to the collection:
Milwaukee Micro Collection 4

Includes a small amount of correspondence (1914-43), mostly relating to the construction of a new activities building; miscellaneous financial records (1928-36); flyers and announcements (1953-58); pamphlets; publications; and scrapbooks. On microfilm are the minutes of the Board of Managers, annual meetings, Board of Trustees, and Board of Directors. The records document the organization's efforts to provide activities for young women through a variety of self-improvement courses. Finding aid available in the Archives.

**Zielinski, Sylvia.
Papers, 1900-1980.**

Milwaukee Small Collection 122
.1 cubic ft.

Miscellaneous holy cards and newsclippings collected by Zielinski. Finding aid available in the Archives.