The J. Marshall Doswell, Jr. Nuremberg Trials Collection Mixed Materials  
1940-1975 & Undated

Abstract

In 2011 Mr. John Simpson of Charlotte, N.C., donated a collection of material concerning the Nuremburg Nazi war crime trials to the Goodson Law Library. The collection was named in honor of his uncle, J. Marshall Doswell, Jr. The collection consists of 38 books, six CD/DVDs, and 21 memorabilia items. The books and CD/DVDs are catalogued separately. This document includes Mr. Simpson’s original inventory of his donation at the end.

Descriptive Summary

Repository: Michael J. Goodson Law Library, Duke University

Creator: Simpson, John


Language of Material: English, German

Extent: 1.5 linear feet, 21 items

Location: For current information on the location of these materials, please consult the Library’s online catalog.

Collection Overview

The J. Marshall Doswell, Jr. Nuremberg Trials Collection Mixed Materials consists of 21 items. They are part of the collection donated by Doswell’s nephew, John Simpson, to the Goodson Law Library in 2011. The donation also included 38 books and six CD/DVDs which are catalogued separately. This document includes Mr. Simpson’s original inventory of his donation at the end.

Contents of the Collection

Box 1

Folder 1: Lord Hartley Shawcross autographed envelope with commemorative stamp

Folder 2: Telford Taylor autographed envelope with commemorative stamp

Folder 3: Trial of war criminals commemorative medal

Folder 4: Letterhead, office of the Soviet prosecutor, Nuremberg

Folder 5: Nuremberg district shoulder patch

Folder 6: 1946 *Life* magazine article and article from unidentified magazine
Folder 7: Envelope with Nuremberg postmark
Folder 8: Reprint of poster featuring the face of Julis Streicher
Folder 9: Two postage stamps
Folder 10: Advertisements for the 2011 Mitchell Lecture at the University of Buffalo Law School
Folder 11: “Doenitz goes free,” copy of article from Chicago Daily Tribune, 1956
Folder 12: Photographs and placards from display about the July 29th, 2011, celebration of Nuremberg donation
Folder 13: Who was a Nazi? Facts about the membership procedure of the Nazi Party
Folder 14: Atlantic report on the world today, Atlantic Monthly, 1946
Folder 15: Commemorative cigar wrappers (3), unknown brand, celebrating an anniversary of the Nuremberg Trials, undated
Folder 16: Two mark note used Jewish residents of a Polish ghetto, c. May, 1940
Folder 17: Identification card issued to SS Obersturmbaunfuhrer Hans Dahne, Bergen-Belsen concentration camp
Folder 18: Hochmann, B. #35278, Block 46B Konzentrationslager Weimar-Buchenwald, Duetschland. Postcard to Protektorat, Bohemia, undated
Folder 19: Commemorative pin, Jewish survivor, Mauthausen and Lujbelj concentration camps, undated
Folder 20: Commemorative pin, Jewish survivor, Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camps, undated

Box 2

Framed photograph of Urteil von Nurnberg with autograph

Following is John Simpson’s original inventory of the donation.
List of Items: The J. Marshall Doswell, Jr. Nuremberg Trials Collection

The items are not listed alphabetically. This list does separate items into categories.

BOOKS:


Gilbert, G.M. *Nuremberg Diary*. New York, NY: Farrar, Straus and Company, 1947. (Gilbert was the prison psychologist at the first of the Nuremberg Trials)


MEMORABILIA

Taylor, Telford. Autographed Commemorative

Shawcross, Lord Hartley. Autographed Commemorative

Letterhead, Office of the Soviet Prosecutor, Nuremberg. 4pp.

Reprint of poster featuring the face of Julius Streicher, publisher of Der Sturmer which was a rabidly anti-Semitic newspaper. Streicher was a Nuremberg defendant, who was executed after the first of the Nuremberg trials. Streicher was a defendant, newspaper publisher and the only defendant who was not a Nazi party official, a government official or a military leader. This is not specifically a “Nuremberg Trials” item, yet it offers evidence of what Streicher did to be considered a major defendant and how his work influenced the German people.


Trial of War Criminals-commemorative medal.

Nuremberg District Patch-Post WWII. Shoulder patch worn by U.S. forces who served at Nuremberg during the trials.

Envelope with Nuremberg postmark, wartime era.

Original article from Life Magazine and another unidentified magazine, covering the Nuremberg Trial in 1946.

Commemorative cigar wrappers (3) of unknown brand, celebrating an anniversary of the Nuremberg Trials, date unknown at this time.
Two Mark note used by Jewish residents of a Polish ghetto, c. May, 1940.

Identification card issued to SS Obersturmbaunführer Hans Dahne, Bergen-Belsen concentration camp.

Hochmann, B. #35278, Block 46B Konzentrationslager Weimar-Buchenwald, Deutschland. Postcard to friend in Protektorat, Bohemia, date unknown.

Commemorative pin, Jewish survivor, Mauthausen and Ljublj concentration camps, date issued uncertain.

Commerative pin, Jewish survivor, Auschwitz-Birkenau concentration camps, date issued uncertain.

CD/DVD REFERENCES

Nuremberg War Crimes Trial- CD of trial transcripts on Word 2000

Nuremberg War Crimes Trial-DVD

The Trial of Adolph Eichman-CD trial transcripts:

The Nuremberg Tapes: The Trial of the Nazi War Criminals. DVD. Compilation of four films, by Soviet filmmaker, Carl Svilov, with subtitles.

The Nuremberg Trials. DVD. Four newsreels from Nuremberg Trials. The Historical Archive. 2007.

BOOKS PURCHASED, NOT YET RECEIVED (full publication information unavailable)