

K Thomas Stanford and Rene Rozenblit Goldman Papers, ca. 1900-2010
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INTRODUCTION

The papers consist of telegrams and letters, certificates, and photographs for the Davis (Davidovich), Gitterman, Karash, Kopitnik, Levy, Rozenblit, and Spindler families.

DONOR INFORMATION

The papers were donated by Rene Goldman to the State Historical Society of Missouri on 11/18/2010 (Accession No. KA1882).

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

The Davidovich family originated in Grodno, Lithuania. The family name changed to Davis upon immigrating to the United States. Sarah Davis, the daughter of patriarch Meyer Davidovich, married Sam Spindler and had a son, Alex Spindler. Alex Spindler served as a staff sergeant in the 489th Armed Field Artillery Battalion stationed in Camp Polk, Louisiana, during World War II and was a founding member of the National Law Enforcement Museum in Washington, D.C. in 2003.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers consist of telegrams and letters, certificates, and photographs for the Davis (Davidovich), Gitterman, Karash, Kopitnik, Levy, Rozenblit, and Spindler families. The papers include a handwritten letter in Polish from Rejala Rozenblit to her brother Sherman Rozenblit and an typewritten English translation; telegrams between family members; certificates received by Alex Spindler from the United States Army, the Jewish Community Center, and the National Law Enforcement Museum; and family photographs and descriptions.

The oversize photograph of the Gitterman family has been withdrawn to an oversize flat box.

PREFERRED CITATION

Specific item; box number; folder number; *Thomas Stanford and Rene Rozenblit Goldman Papers (K1143)*; The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-KC].

INVENTORY

Box 1 (063932)

- f. 1 Letter from Rejala Rozenblit to her brother Sherman, 8/14/1939 – includes original text in Polish with English translation
- f. 2 Telegrams, 1929-ca. 1940s
- f. 3 Alex Spindler certificates, 1942-2004
- f. 4 Photograph descriptions, 2010
- f. 5 Photographs, ca. 1900s-1940s

Oversize item

Photograph of Sarah and Jake Gitterman and four of their six children, ca. 1920s

LOCATION NOTE

The papers are stored offsite and will need to be retrieved before viewing. The oversize item is housed onsite.

SUBJECT TERMS

Immigrant families
Jews
World War, 1939-1945

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