

Guide to the Fredric R. Mann Papers

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SUMMARY: The Fredric R. Mann papers primarily document Mann's charitable and philanthropic efforts, particularly of the arts and music, his involvement in the Jewish community and relations between Philadelphia and Israel. The papers also document Mann's governmental work in a variety of posts for the City of Philadelphia, the State of Pennsylvania, and the United States. Of particular note are the materials related to the history and development of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (formerly the Palestine Orchestra), the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Robin Hood Dell West/Fredric R. Mann Music Center in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, as well as Mann's post as the City Representative for Philadelphia. The correspondence series contains letters from international musicians, public figures, and heads of state.

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b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Preferred Citation

MSS 154, Fredric R. Mann Papers in the Irving S. Gilmore Music Library of Yale University.

Biographical / Historical

Fredric Rand Mann (1903-1987) was born in Gomel, Russia and immigrated to the United States at a young age with his family settling in New Haven, Connecticut. As a child, he returned to Russia to study concert piano under Arthur Freidheim. However, a car accident in his teens prevented Mann from pursuing a professional career as a musician. He was admitted to Yale College class of 1923, but withdrew after his sophomore year. Mann relocated to Philadelphia and attended the Wharton School of Business at the University of Pennsylvania.

Mann started the Seaboard Container Corporation, a corrugated cardboard company, and served as its president until 1953 when it merged with the National Container Corporation. He served as its president from 1954 to 1956, when it was sold. Mann went on to establish another box company, the Industrial Container Corporation of Newark, New Jersey, and served as its president as well as the president of another box company, MannKraft Corporation.

Civically engaged, Mann has held several posts with the City of Philadelphia, such as the City Representative and Director of Commerce (1956-1966), Recreation Commissioner (1952-1955), and the President of the Fairmount Park Commission (1951-1986). On the state level, Mann was a member of the Governor of Pennsylvania's Advisory Council on Recreation and a commissioner of the Delaware River Port Authority. Federally, Mann was the American Ambassador to Barbados and United States Special Representative to the Associated States of the West Indies (1967-1969).

As a patron of the arts, Mann was the President of Robin Hood Dell Concerts, which held a summer concert series featuring the Philadelphia Orchestra at the Robin Hood Dell. In 1976 a new concert hall was created in Fairmount Park, the Robin Hood Dell West, which was renamed the Fredric R. Mann Music Center in 1979 and the Mann Center for the Performing Arts in 1998. Mann was a member of several music-related boards include the Philadelphia Orchestra Association, the New York Philharmonic, and Carnegie Hall.

Internationally, Mann was heavily involved with the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra, raising funds with the American-Israeli Cultural Foundation for the development of a concert hall in Tel-Aviv, Israel. In 1957 the Fredric R. Mann Auditorium was dedicated in his honor.

Mann passed away in Florida on February 26, 1987 at 83 years old.

Scope and Contents

The papers primarily document Mann's charitable and philanthropic efforts, particularly of the arts and music, his involvement in the Jewish community and relations between Philadelphia and Israel. The papers also document Mann's governmental work in a variety of posts for the City of Philadelphia, the State of Pennsylvania, and the United States.

Of particular note are the materials related to the history and development of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (formerly the Palestine Orchestra), the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Robin Hood Dell West/Fredric R. Mann Music Center in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, as well as Mann's post as the City Representative for Philadelphia. The correspondence series contains letters from international musicians, public figures, and heads of state.

Materials include correspondence, photographs, newspaper clippings and articles, and audiovisual materials. Digital materials were recorded in 1982 and 1997 onto audiocassette tapes. These tapes were subsequently digitized in 2019. Dates for these files were determined based on the date the original tapes were recorded.

Arrangement

The papers are organized in six series: I. Biographical materials, 1910-1997. II. Topical files, 1917-1999. III. Correspondence, 1927-1987. IV. Photographs and photo albums, 1920-1986. V. Scrapbooks 1935-1980. VI. Clippings, Circa 1920-circa 1999.

Digital materials have been integrated into the appropriate series based on content.

Collection Contents

Series I: Biographical materials, 1910–1997

The series contains biographical and personal materials related to Mann's life, including educational documents, certificates of achievements and honors, as well as memorials and obituaries.

Digital materials included in this series were recorded in 1982 and 1997 onto audiocassette tapes. These tapes were subsequently digitized in 2019. Dates for these files were determined based on the date the original tapes were recorded.

The series is arranged chronologically by year.

b. 1, f. 1-7	General Contains Mann biographical sketches and profiles, interview transcripts, and magazine and newspaper clippings. Includes transcript of an interview with Walter M. Phillips and material related to him as a pianist.	1949–1983
	Education Materials may be attributed to Fredric Manevetz.	1910–1924
b. 55, f. 1	Bridgeport Public Schools certificate	1910
b. 1, f. 8	Adams, John S. <i>5000 Musical Terms: A Complete Dictionary</i>	Circa 1910
b. 1, f. 9	Piano performances and primary school activities	Circa 1914-1919
b. 1, f. 10	High school papers	Circa 1919-1920
b. 1, f. 11	Yale University	Circa 1920-circa 1922
b. 1, f. 12	University of Pennsylvania, Wharton School	Circa 1922-1924
	Honors, awards, and testimonials	1944-1987, 1997
b. 2, f. 1-19b. 1, f. 13-19	General Contains certificates, awards, honorary degrees, and official resolutions regarding honors bestowed upon Mann. Also includes sheet music dedicated to Mann.	1948-1987, 1997
	Oversize	1944–1987
b. 58, f. 1-4	1944–1987	1944–1987
b. 59, f. 3-5	1982–1987	1982–1987
b. 2, f. 20-22	Articles	1955-1963, 1984-1986

	<p>Mann's piano performance of Chopin at the 25th anniversary of the Fredric R. Mann Auditorium</p> <p><i>1 Computer File (.wav) 00:19:05 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (161.05 megabytes)</i></p> <p>[Aviary] Mann's piano performance of Chopin at the 25th anniversary of the Fredric R. Mann Auditorium, 1982</p> <p>Original audio was recorded in 1982 onto audiocassette tapes. These tapes were subsequently digitized in 2019. Dates for these files were determined based on the date the originals were recorded.</p> <p>As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.</p> <p>This material was transferred to the Music Library in 2020 for preservation and access. Additional information about actions taken may be available at the repository.</p>	1982
b. 68-70	<p>News segments</p> <p><i>3 Videocassettes (VHS)</i></p> <p>Contains: 1) Eyewitness News (KYW-TV); 2) ABC Action News (WPVI-TV); and 3) "80th birthday celebration for Mann" (WCAU-TV) news segments.</p> <p>Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu.</p>	Circa 1983
b. 3, f. 1-3b. 2, f. 23-24	Condolences	1987
b. 3, f. 4-5	Obituaries	1987
b. 61	<p>TV news segments (15) on the death and funeral of Fredric R. Mann</p> <p><i>1 Videocassette (VHS)</i></p> <p>Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu.</p>	1987
b. 3, f. 6-11b. 4, f. 1-4	<p>Memorials</p> <p>Contains pamphlets and musical programs dedicated to Mann. Also includes funeral book.</p>	1987-1996
	<p>Recorded interviews about Fredric R. Mann</p> <p>Interviews were conducted in 1997 by Alexis Denny Kaufmann. Original audio was recorded onto audiocassette tapes. These tapes were subsequently digitized in 2019. Dates for these files were determined based on the date the originals were recorded.</p> <p>As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.</p> <p>This material was transferred to the Music Library in 2020 for preservation and access. Additional information about actions taken may be available at the repository.</p>	1997

Recorded interviews about Fredric R. Mann (continued)

Barenboim, Daniel <i>1 Computer File (.wav) 01:04:11 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (541.65 megabytes)</i> [Aviary] Barenboim_Daniel As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.	1997
Kollek, Theodore (Teddy) <i>1 Computer File (.wav) 00:32:52 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (227.45 megabytes)</i> [Aviary] Kollek_Theodore As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.	1997
Mehta, Zubin <i>1 Computer File (.wav) 00:47:28 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (400.53 megabytes)</i> [Aviary] Mehta_Zubin As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.	1997
Perlman, Itzhak <i>1 Computer File (.wav) 00:39:24 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (332.47 megabytes)</i> [Aviary] Perlman_Itzhak As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.	1997
Toeplitz, Uri <i>1 Computer File (.wav) 00:32:29 Duration (HH:MM:SS.mmm) (282.55 megabytes)</i> [Aviary] Toeplitz Uri As a preservation measure, original digital materials may not be used. Researchers must consult access copies. Streaming access is provided via Yale University Library's AV access system, Aviary.	1997

Series II: Topical files, 1917–1999

This series includes materials related to Mann's governmental and philanthropic work, as well as Mann's broad interest in music and involvement in Jewish community concerns. Materials primarily represented include correspondence, articles and publications, and event programs.

The series is arranged alphabetically by topic and chronologically therein.

	America-Israel Cultural Foundation	1945–1982
	Formerly called the American Fund for Israeli Institutions	
b. 5, f. 1	Programs Includes programs for the inaugural dinner, a scholarship anniversary program, and tribute to Arturo Toscanini.	1951, 1965–1967
b. 5, f. 2-3	Correspondence	1952–1956, 1974
b. 5, f. 4	Minutes and agenda	1952–1957
b. 5, f. 5	<i>Israel: Life and Letters</i> magazine Contains tribute and profile on Mann.	1952–1955
b. 5, f. 6	Fredric R. Mann Cultural and Civic Center program design	Circa 1956
b. 5, f. 7-11	Tel Aviv Cultural Center (T.A.C.C.) See also: Fredric R. Mann Auditorium.	1956–1957
b. 5, f. 12	Dafni dispute Contains correspondence, foundation minutes, and press releases pertaining to dispute with Reuven Dafni.	1957
b. 5, f. 13-14	Articles, tearsheets, and magazines Includes <i>Tarbut: A publication of the America-Israel Cultural Foundation</i> .	1957–1965, 1982
b. 6, f. 1	<i>Tarbut: A Publication of the America-Israel Foundation</i>	1965
	American Ambassador to Barbados and United States Special Representative to the Associated States of the West Indies	1967–1973
b. 6, f. 2	American Embassy, Barbados, West Indies - Brief	1967
b. 6, f. 3-8	Correspondence Originally in binders. Includes 1968 issue of the <i>Philadelphia Magazine</i> .	1967–1969
b. 6, f. 9-12	Articles and clippings Includes letters and telegrams with other United States agencies, invitations, and copies of addresses delivered, letters and cards from John S. Bennett, British High Commissioner, and Grace Kelly and Prince Rainier III, and Mann's resignation letter to President Nixon.	1967–1969
b. 72, f. 4	Oversize	1968
b. 6, f. 13	Remarks, ephemera, and personnel rosters	1968–1973
b. 6, f. 14	Desk diary	1968

American Ambassador to Barbados and United States Special Repres [...] (continued)

b. 6, f. 15	Barbados map and background notes	Circa 1968
b. 6, f. 16	American ambassador to Israel rumor Contains correspondence and Mann press release regarding the rumor of him being appointed as the Ambassador to Israel by John F. Kennedy.	1960
b. 6, f. 17	American Society for Technion, Women's Division Includes general correspondence for the Israel Institute of Technology.	1954, 1975
b. 6, f. 18-20	Art Includes correspondence related to a model of the Israeli pavilion on exhibition.	1943-1970
b. 7, f. 1	Arts advocacy Includes correspondence, presentations, articles and press releases related to Mann's advocacy for civic arts and culture programs. Contains materials for the 1965 conference, "Municipality and the Arts," where he acted as the City of Philadelphia representative; 1963 TV interview (WHYY-TV) fact sheet regarding support of culture and performing arts in Philadelphia; and materials related to the U.S. House of Representatives Committee on Education and Labor, Select Subcommittee of Education, as well as the Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, Special Subcommittee on the Arts. Includes copies of Mann's "Statement on Conditions Affecting the Income and Employment of Performing Artists in America."	1962-1965
b. 7, f. 2	Barkley, Alben W.	1948
b. 7, f. 3	B'nai Brith Hillel Foundation	1927-1928
b. 7, f. 4	Brown University - Jewish fraternity	1928
b. 7, f. 5	Building and Loan Association of Philadelphia account books	1924-1925
b. 7, f. 6	Byon, Janis	1982-1985
b. 7, f. 7	Cantor, Eddie - Signed program Also signed by President Truman.	1957
b. 7, f. 8	Carter, James (Jimmy), Jr.	1977-1981
b. 7, f. 9	Chagall, Marc	1962-1963, 1977-1978
b. 7, f. 10	Chapel of the Four Chaplains	1981
b. 7, f. 11	Churchill, Winston	1965
b. 7, f. 12	Clark, Joseph S., Jr	1956-1957
b. 7, f. 13	Cliburn, Van Includes photograph.	1963, 1980-1989
b. 7, f. 14	Community Primarily contains correspondence related to the Mann's various contributions to Jewish organizations and political campaigns. Also contains 1964 issue of <i>The Illustrated London News</i> featuring a section on "Survey of the Modern State of Israel."	1944-1979

b. 7, f. 15	Congregation Rodeph Shalom Includes correspondence from Rabbi Richard F. Steinbrink.	1979–1980
b. 7, f. 16	Congressional Record, Proceedings and Debates of the 96th Congress Remarks delivered to the U.S. House of Representatives regarding Mann's accomplishments in Philadelphia.	1979
b. 7, f. 17-19	Delaware River Port Authority Contains correspondence, annual reports, and handbook pertaining to Mann's appointment as commissioner.	1958–1965
b. 8, f. 1-3b. 7, f. 20-21	Democratic committee Contains materials for the Philadelphia and national democratic committees.	1951–1986
b. 8, f. 4	Dilworth, Richardson	1955–1956
b. 8, f. 5	Dropsie University	1957, 1980–1981
b. 8, f. 6	Durante, Jimmy - Dinner	1957
b. 8, f. 7	Eastman School of Music	1972
b. 8, f. 8-9	Einstein, Albert	1940-circa 1950, 1963
	Fairmount Park	1951–1987
b. 8, f. 10-12	Appointments	1951-1952, 1963-1987
b. 8, f. 13	Clippings	1951–1977
b. 8, f. 14-16	Correspondence	1963-1965, 1977-1987
b. 9, f. 1	"A Safari Through Fairmount Park" article from <i>Greater Philadelphia: The Magazine for Executives</i>	1963
b. 59, f. 1	Annual report	1964
b. 9, f. 2	Programs and brochures	1965–1967
b. 9, f. 3	Fredsil Corporation	1981–1982
b. 9, f. 4	F - General Primarily correspondence related to the Friars Club, Fellowship Commission, as well as Thomas M. Foglietta and translator Mark Fradkin.	1957, 1977-1986
	Golden Slipper Square Club	1946–1986
b. 9, f. 5-6	General Includes a hat and an issue of <i>Slipper Writes</i> , another publication of the Golden Slipper Square Club.	Circa 1960, 1974–1975
b. 9, f. 7	President	1957-1969, 1985-1986, Bulk, 1957–1958

Golden Slipper Square Club (continued)

b. 9, f. 8-11	<i>Cable Tow</i> The publication of the Golden Slipper Square Club.	1946–1965
b. 9, f. 12	Har Zion Forum Program contains Mann's annotations.	1930
b. 9, f. 13	Hebrew Immigrant Aid and Society (HIAS) Also known as the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society.	1934–1949
b. 9, f. 14	Hurok, Sol	1966–1973
b. 9, f. 15-17	Industrial Container Corporation Contains brochures on the merge of Mann Kraft and St. Joe Paper Company.	Circa 1958-1962
b. 10, f. 1-2	International Association of Chiefs of Police	1955
b. 10, f. 3	Invitations and programs	Circa 1957-circa 1966
	Israel	1940–1983
b. 10, f. 4-8	Correspondence Contains photographs with David Ben-Gurion, and possibly Yitzhak Ben-Zvi and Yitzhak Rabin. Also contains a correspondence with Abba Eban, Shimon Peres, and Teddy Kollek and other Israeli heads of state.	1940, 1953-1983
b. 11, f. 1-3	Travel	Circa 1949-1954, 1966-circa 1974
b. 72, f. 1	Articles	1964
b. 11, f. 4-10	Israel Bonds, State of Contains materials related to events such as correspondence, programs, and ephemera. Also includes newsletters and photograph.	1954–circa 1973, 1981
b. 59, f. 2	Oversize	1954–1955
b. 11, f. 11	Israel National Youth Symphony Orchestra	1964
b. 11, f. 12-14	Israel Museum Contains correspondence, clippings, and photographs related to the museum inauguration and the Diorite head of Gudea.	1965–1986
	Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (IPO)	1931–1996
	Palestine Orchestra The Palestine Orchestra is the predecessor to the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra.	1931-1966
b. 11, f. 15-16	General Contains programs and orchestra history.	1931-1946

Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (IPO) > Palestine Orchestra (continued)

b. 11, f. 17	"Bronislaw Huberman Builds the Palestine Orchestra" Copies from letters and articles kept in the "Huberman Archives" in the Central Music Library in Israel, created on the occasion of the beginning of the 31st season of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra.	1966
b. 12, f. 1b. 11, f. 18-19	Correspondence	1951-1965, 1977-1984
b. 12, f. 2	"A Celebration for the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra" Presented by the American Fund for Israel Institutions, on the occasion of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra's first visit to the United States. The orchestra was to tour forty cities, holding fifty-five concerts in the United States and Canada between January 7 and March 17, 1951. Also includes the roster of guests for the inaugural dinner held on January 8, 1951.	1951
b. 60, f. 1	Festival concert broadsides	1954
b. 12, f. 3-6	Photographs	1955-1985
b. 12, f. 7	<i>IPO News</i>	1955-1956
b. 12, f. 8-9	Ephemera and memorabilia Includes 1961 postage stamp.	1955-1982
b. 72, f. 3	"Petrushka" by Igor Stravinsky - Record sleeve with Lorin Maazel conducting the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra and signed by Henry Haftel.	1963
b. 12, f. 10-12	Articles and clippings Contains clippings written in Hebrew.	1955-1967, 1982
b. 12, f. 13	Proof sheets Contains images of the Palestine Symphony Orchestra around 1936-1937.	Circa 1957
b. 13, f. 1-2b. 12, f. 14-15	Programs	1954-1991
b. 13, f. 3	Press	1960, 1977-1982
b. 13, f. 4-6	Publications Includes publications commemorating the Orchestra's 30 and 40-year history, booklets from the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra Association, and an issue of <i>Philharmonic Hall</i> featuring the Orchestra.	1962-1967, 1978
b. 13, f. 7	Israel Emergency Fund benefit concert	1967
b. 13, f. 8	Endowment fund	1982
b. 13, f. 9	Proposal for the preservation of newspaper clippings in the archives of the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra	1996
b. 56, f. 1	Graphic program for renovation and extension Created by Yacov Rechter-Amnon Rechter, architects.	1996
b. 13, f. 10	Italo-American Theatre Festival, Rapallo, Italy	1956-1957

b. 13, f. 11	Jewish Welfare Society	1929
b. 14, f. 1-3	Johnson, Lyndon B. Contains remarks given at Independence Hall, materials related to the 1964 Presidential inaugural committee for Johnson, as well as materials related to Johnson's funeral. Also includes signed Johnson family photograph.	1963-1973
b. 55, f. 5	Oversize	1963-1973
b. 14, f. 4-7	Kapell, William Contains correspondence and clippings related to Kapell's performances and death. Concert programs, an art sketch, and a photograph are also included.	1941-1953, 1979-1986
b. 14, f. 8-9	Kennedy, John F. Ephemera Contains mostly invitations, programs, and clippings related to Kennedy's Presidential inauguration, visits to Philadelphia, and memorial.	1961-1965
b. 14, f. 10	Photographs	Circa 1960-circa 1964
b. 14, f. 11	Kennedy, John F. and Johnson, Lyndon B. - Inaugural activities	1961
b. 14, f. 12-16	Kennedy, John F., Center for the Performing Arts Also known as the National Cultural Center.	Circa 1962-1964
b. 72, f. 5	Oversize	1962
b. 14, f. 17-18	Kennedy, John F., Library	1964
b. 71	<i>The Burden and the Glory</i> by John F. Kennedy, signed by Jacqueline Kennedy	1964
b. 14, f. 19	Lowenthal, Jerome	1955-circa 1963, 1973
b. 73, f. 4	Signed photograph to Silvia E. Mann	1955
b. 14, f. 20	Malbin, Elaine	1959-1979
	Mann, Fredric R., Auditorium Materials primarily document the construction and dedication of the Fredric R. Mann Auditorium. See also: Topical Files - Tel Aviv Cultural Center (T.A.C.C.) for early planning documents and financial correspondence; and Topica Files - Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (IPO) for music programs and events held at the auditorium.	
	Correspondence	1952-circa 1967
b. 14, f. 21-22	General	Circa 1952-1965
b. 15, f. 1-2b. 14, f. 23	Financial Contains letters and telegrams related to the construction and associated financials for the auditorium. Primary correspondents include the American Fund for Israel Institutions, America-Israel Cultural Foundation, and the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra. See also: Topic Files - Tel Aviv Cultural Center (T.A.C.C.).	Circa 1952-1957

Mann, Fredric R., Auditorium (continued)

b. 15, f. 3-14	Fredric R. Mann Auditorium inauguration concert and dedication Contains correspondence, clippings, and photographs related to the 1957 inauguration of the Fredric R. Mann auditorium. Includes photo proofs and signed pamphlet of Arthur Rubinstein, Leonard Bernstein, Gregory Piatigorsky, and Isaac Stern, the conductor and soloists of the gala opening. Also contains a booklet about the Palestine Orchestra and statements and resolutions.	1957-1958
b. 15, f. 15	Special flight Includes photograph.	1957
b. 15, f. 16	Publicity	1957
b. 60, f. 1	Seating chart	Circa 1957
b. 15, f. 17	Photographs See also: "Israel Philharmonic Orchestra" for additional photographs.	Circa 1957-1959, 1977
	Articles and clippings	1957-1977
b. 16, f. 1-3b. 15, f. 18	General Includes newspaper clippings primarily related to the dedication and opening of the auditorium, and various publications.	1957-1984
b. 57, f. 2-4	Oversize	1957
b. 16, f. 4	Ephemera	1957-1966
b. 16, f. 5	"Memories in Sound: The Story of the Israel Philharmonic and the Mann Auditorium" by Alex Maimon	Circa 1967
b. 16, f. 6	20th anniversary concert Contains clippings written in Hebrew.	1977
b. 55, f. 3	Oversize	1977
b. 16, f. 7	"30 Years of Culture: Festive Events on the 30th Anniversary of the Inauguration of the Fredric R. Mann Auditorium" program and photographs Includes photographs.	1987
	Mann, Fredric R., Music Center Includes materials for Robin Hood Dell West. See also: Topical Files - Robin Hood Dell and Topical Files - the Philadelphia Orchestra for related materials.	
b. 16, f. 8	Ordinances	1973-1976
b. 16, f. 9	Articles and clippings	Circa 1975-1989, 1999
b. 60, f. 3	Oversize	1978-1986
b. 16, f. 10	Correspondence	1976
b. 16, f. 11-12	Season brochures and ephemera	1976-1991
b. 16, f. 13-14	Publicity	Circa 1976-1987

Mann, Fredric R., Music Center (continued)

b. 62	Robin Hood Dell <i>1 Videocassette (VHS)</i> Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu .	1979
b. 63-64	Mann Music Center (WCAU-TV) <i>2 Videocassettes (VHS)</i> Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu .	1982
b. 65	"The Mann Music Center Kicks Off Its 54th Season" ABC Action News (WPVI-TV) <i>1 Videocassette (VHS)</i> Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu .	1983
b. 16, f. 15	Newsletters	1984-1991
b. 16, f. 16	First gala concert	1985
b. 66	Mann Music Center <i>1 Videocassette (VHS)</i> Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu .	1985
b. 16, f. 17-20	Mann, Fredric R., Recreation Center Also known as the Westmoreland Center. Contains materials related to the center's dedication, including correspondence, articles, photographs, and ephemera.	1954-1956
b. 16, f. 21	Mann, Fredric R., Mr. and Mrs., scholarship	1986
b. 16, f. 22	Mehta, Zubin Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu .	1981, 1998

Mehta, Zubin (continued)

b. 67	<p>"People are Talking" Zubin Mehta 1 Videocassette (VHS)</p> <p>Original audiovisual materials, as well as preservation and duplicating masters, may not be played. Researchers must consult use copies, or if none exist must pay for a use copy, which is retained by the repository. All copies are provided as digital files. Researchers should consult the ordering reproductions information on the Music library website or contact: musicspecialcollections@yale.edu.</p>	1981
b. 16, f. 23-25	<p>Menuhin, Yehudi</p> <p>Contains materials related to foundation and school, as well as a letter to Silvia E. Mann.</p>	Circa 1965-1980
b. 16, f. 26	Metropolitan Opera (Rudolf Bing)	1961
b. 16, f. 27	Moiseyev, Igor	Circa 1960
b. 16, f. 28	Monaco, Prince Rainier III and Princess Grace	Circa 1956-1981
b. 16, f. 29	Mordkin, Mikhail - Signed program	1926
b. 17, f. 1-7	<p>National Container Corporation</p> <p>Contains early business plans of the National Container Association, business correspondence, as well as congratulatory letters upon Mann's appointment as a National Container Corporation executive. Also includes a directory of the National Container Corporation and its subsidiaries, a study conducted by EBASCO Services Incorporated, and annual reports from 1953 and 1954.</p>	Circa 1925, 1954-1956
b. 17, f. 8	<p>Newsletters, Music organizations</p> <p>Includes newsletters from the Curtis Institute of Music (1975), <i>Intermezzo: The magazine of Carnegie Hall</i> (1977), and <i>Quarternotes</i>, the newsletter for the New York Philharmonic (1980) with a feature on Isaac Stern.</p>	1975-1980
b. 17, f. 9-10	<p>New York Philharmonic</p> <p>Contains memos, correspondence, programs, and the 1982 annual report. Includes photographs.</p>	1978-1986
b. 17, f. 11	"One Mann's Empire" responses	1983
b. 17, f. 12	<p>Parkgate property</p> <p>Contains correspondence related to Mann's acquisition and selling of the property at 6340 Wayne Avenue.</p>	1951-1955
b. 17, f. 13	Parkside Association of Philadelphia	Circa 1981-circa 1985
b. 17, f. 14	<p>Pavarotti, Luciano</p> <p>Includes photographs.</p>	1979
b. 17, f. 15-16	Peace Corps	1961-1963
b. 17, f. 17	Pen and Pencil Club	1977
	Philadelphia, City of	1951-1966
	Recreation commissioner	1951-1963

Philadelphia, City of > Recreation commissioner (continued)

b. 17, f. 18-21	Appointment and resignation Includes correspondence, clippings, and report by Mann detailing the highlights of the Recreation Department from 1952 to 1955.	1951-1955
b. 18, f. 1-7	Correspondence	1951-1963
b. 18, f. 8-10	Articles and clippings	1951-1956
b. 18, f. 11	Commissioner's report to the mayor	1952
b. 18, f. 12	Publications Includes issues of <i>Recreation</i> , the magazine of the National Recreation Association and the feature titled "The Philadelphia Recreation Story" written by Fredric R. Mann.	1953-1956
b. 18, f. 13	"Credo for the Recreation Profession"	1953
b. 18, f. 14	Lake surprise and Venice Island	1953-1954
b. 18, f. 15	City ceremonial band	1954
b. 18, f. 16	Invitations and programs	1954
b. 18, f. 17	Honorary Trade Representative	1954
b. 19, f. 1	Commissioner-at-large	1954
b. 19, f. 2	Complaints and investigations	1956-1962
	City Representative and Director of Commerce	1956-1966
b. 19, f. 3-11	Appointment Includes materials pertaining to Mann's appointment, inauguration, and resignation. Also contains correspondence related to salary raises, a resolution declared by the City of Philadelphia in Mann's honor for civil service, and newspaper clippings.	1956-1966
b. 19, f. 12	Airports and airlines	1956-1961
b. 19, f. 13-16	Publications Contains materials published by the office of the City Representative: "The Road Ahead," "The Song of Philadelphia," and "The New Philadelphia."	1956-1962
b. 19, f. 17-18	Articles and clippings Includes the feature "There's a little bit of Wausau in the new Philadelphia story" that was published in issues of <i>Business Week</i> , <i>Time</i> , and <i>Newsweek</i> .	Circa 1955-circa 1966
b. 20, f. 1b. 19, f. 19	Correspondence	1953-1966
b. 59, f. 1	Oversize	1966

Philadelphia, City of > City Representative and Director of Commerce (continued)

b. 20, f. 2-6	Official visits Contains materials for official visits from heads of state, military, and scientific representatives to Philadelphia. Includes materials pertaining to visits from Carlos Julio Arosemena Monroy, President of Ecuador, Robert E. Briscoe; and trade specialists from Russia. Also contains publications commemorating the visits of Israel's Prime Minister Eshkol and Chile's President Alessandri visits to the United States.	1957-1964
b. 20, f. 7	Complaints	1958-1964
b. 20, f. 8	Programs and cards	Circa 1962-circa 1966
b. 20, f. 9	Columbia Avenue Business Men's Association Includes photograph.	1964
b. 20, f. 10	Annual report and press release	1965
b. 20, f. 11	Planning commission - Rittenhouse square	1965
b. 20, f. 12	Philadelphia Cotillion Society	1960
b. 20, f. 13	Philadelphia General Hospital	1954-1965
b. 20, f. 14	Philadelphia Grand Opera Company	1961
b. 20, f. 15	Philadelphia Manufacturers Mutual Insurance Company	1984
b. 20, f. 16	Philadelphia Museum of Art	1947-1972
	Philadelphia Orchestra	1943-1996
b. 20, f. 17	Philadelphia Orchestra Pension Foundation	1945-1971
b. 20, f. 18-19	Programs	1951-1996
b. 21, f. 1-5	Philadelphia Orchestra Association Includes memberships rosters, correspondence, minutes, and press releases.	1943-1987
b. 21, f. 6	Clippings and tickets	1944, 1953-1955
b. 21, f. 7	European tour	1954-1955
b. 21, f. 8	Publications Includes "The Philadelphia Orchestra Story" and a publication from the Soviet Union written in Russian.	1958, Circa 1984
b. 21, f. 9	<i>Bach, Beethoven, and Bureaucracy: The Case of the Philadelphia Orchestra</i> by Edward Arian	1971
b. 21, f. 10-11	Piatigorsky, Gregor	Circa 1944-circa 1977
b. 21, f. 12	Presidential elector ribbon and pin	1944

b. 21, f. 13-17	Performance programs Contains playbills and stagebills primarily of the Lincoln Center for the Performing Arts and Carnegie Hall. Also includes programs for performances by Sergei Rachmaninoff, Ignacy Jan Paderewski, Jose Kahan, Arthur Rubinstein, Isaac Stern, as well as programs from the Philadelphia Lyric Opera Company, the Philharmonic Society of New York/ New York Philharmonic, and the Royal Albert Hall.	1917-1983
b. 22, f. 1	R - General	1950-1985
b. 22, f. 2-4	Recommendations - Scholarships, References	1952-1965
b. 22, f. 5-6	Recreation - Governor's Advisory Council	1952-1961
b. 22, f. 7	Rivkin, Tatiana	1966
b. 22, f. 8	Rizzo, Frank L.	Circa 1974-1978
	Robin Hood Dell Documents the Robin Hood Dell and the Robin Hood Dell Concerts through 1976 when a new concert facility was built in Fairmount Park that was called Robin Hood Dell West. In 1979, Robin Hood Dell West was renamed the Fredric R. Mann Music Center. See also Topcial Files - Fredric R. Mann Music Center for materials related for Robin Hood Dell West; and Topical Files- The Philadelphia Orchestra for music programs.	1945-1979
b. 22, f. 9-10	Correspondence	Circa 1945-1965
b. 22, f. 11	<i>Robin Hood Dell Review</i>	1947-1973
b. 23, f. 1-4	Articles and clippings	1948-circa 1979
b. 72, f. 7	Oversize	1961-1976
b. 23, f. 5	Receptions	1953-1971
b. 23, f. 6-7	Publicity	1954-1974
b. 23, f. 8	"Out at the Dell" sheet music Words and music by William Benson Richter and dedicated to Mann.	1959
b. 23, f. 9	Robin Hood Dell Guild	1974-1977
b. 23, f. 10	Roosevelt, Franklin D. and Harry S. Truman - President and Vice President inauguration	1945
b. 23, f. 11-15	Rubenstein, Arthur Includes correspondence, clippings, invitations and programs, as well as materials related to Rubenstein's funeral. Also contains photograph with Mann.	Circa 1942-1984
b. 60, f. 7	Oversize	
b. 23, f. 16	Russia trips	1958-1964, 1979
b. 24, f. 1-3b. 23, f. 17-19	Seaboard Container Corporation Includes new plant plans, publications, annual reports, as well as articles and corresporesponse related to the merge with the National Container Corporation.	Circa 1946-1959

Seaboard Container Corporation (continued)

b. 72, f. 6	Oversize	1952
b. 24, f. 4	<i>Senate Congressional Record</i>	1967 August 28
b. 24, f. 5	Signed sheet music	Circa 1941-circa 1946, 1959-1972
b. 54	"Carnaval Espagnole" by David Sokoloff - Oversize	1964
b. 55, f. 4	Oversize	1959
b. 59, f. 6	Signed sheet music for Silvia E. Mann	1941
b. 24, f. 6	Smith, Alfred E.	1928
	Special events - Planning documents	1953-1965
b. 24, f. 7	1953-1955 Includes correspondence, planning documents, and programs for the National Recreation Association, the Marian Anderson Center dedication, the American Municipal Congress, Dilworth -Blanc campaign events, the Philadelphia mayor's non-partisan register and voting events, and the Recreation supervisors dinner.	1953-1955
b. 24, f. 8	1956 Includes correspondence, planning documents, and programs for the National Recreation Association, Robert Crawford bon voyage party, the Leader Woodland dinner, the Loyal League Philanthropy, and a luncheon for Prince Rainier and Princess Grace of Monaco.	1956
b. 24, f. 9	1957 Includes materials for a Chaim Levanon luncheon, Robert Briscoe visit, and a Fellowship House dinner.	1957
b. 24, f. 10	1958-1959 Includes materials for the Mann-Denny wedding, the Dilworth committee luncheon, and dinners for Ravidin and Singing City.	1958-1959
b. 24, f. 11	1960-1965 Includes materials for the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra in Philadelphia, a Tau Epsilon Phi reunion, a television dinner for the National Cultural Center, the Baldwin School/Picasso tour, and the St. Agnes hospitality ball.	1960-1965
b. 24, f. 12-14	Speeches and remarks Includes Mann's comments for the <i>Today Magazine</i> article "Philadelphia Remembered."	Circa 1952-circa 1966, 1982
b. 72, f. 4	Oversize	1982
b. 24, f. 15	Steinway	1949
b. 24, f. 16	Tate, James H. J.	1955-1963
b. 25, f. 1-5	Tau Epsilon Phi Includes correspondence, invitations to the 1953 founders' day dinner honoring Mann as Tau Epsilon Phi "Man of the Year," and issues of <i>The Plume</i> .	1927-1986

b. 25, f. 6	Tel Aviv Museum	1951-circa 1954
b. 25, f. 7	Tel Aviv University	Circa 1966- circa 1986
	Truman, Harry S.	1947-1977
b. 25, f. 8	General	1947-1976
b. 25, f. 9	President and Vice President (Alben W. Barkley) inauguration	1949
	Truman Library Includes correspondence, clippings, and planning documents related to the dedication ceremony and Truman's 70th birthday dinner fundraiser.	1953-circa 1963
b. 25, f. 10-11	Correspondence	1953-1963
	70th birthday dinner fundraiser	
b. 25, f. 12-13	Correspondence	1955-1963
b. 25, f. 14	Planning documents Includes guest lists and agenda.	1953-1954
b. 26, f. 1	Finances Includes lists of contributors, records of expenses, and ledgers of donations.	1953-1955
b. 26, f. 2	Ephemera Includes invitation, program, and photograph.	1954
b. 26, f. 3	Clippings	1954
b. 72, f. 2	Oversize	1954
b. 26, f. 4	Publications Includes a certificate to Mann for contributions to library and a photograph of the library under constructions.	1954-1977
b. 26, f. 5	Dedication ceremony	1957
b. 26, f. 6	Tucker, Richard, Music Foundation	1975-1985
b. 26, f. 7	United Jewish Appeal	1948
b. 26, f. 8	United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) delegation	1966-1967
b. 26, f. 9	United Fund	1953, 1972
b. 26, f. 10	University of Pennsylvania Includes materials related to the Hillel Foundation and the 1948 consecration of the Fredric R. Mann Chapel.	1948-1963, 1979-1985
	Weizmann Institute of Science	1942-1986

Weizmann Institute of Science (continued)

b. 26, f. 11-12	Correspondence Includes correspondence from Chaim Weizmann and Meyer Weisgal.	1942-1949, 1964, 1983-1986
b. 26, f. 13	Founders' dinner Includes copy of Mann's speech.	1945
b. 26, f. 14	Three anniversaries dinner	1954
b. 26, f. 15-16	"Exodus" movie screening Includes thank you letters, tickets, and report.	1961
b. 26, f. 17	Widener University	1980-1981
b. 26, f. 18	World Artists, Inc.	Circa 1951-circa 1960
b. 27, f. 1-3	Yale University Includes correspondence, issues of the <i>Yale Alumni Magazine and Journal</i> , and the 1978 class book of the Class of 1923.	1952-1962, 1975-1986
b. 56, f. 2	Oversize	1979
b. 27, f. 4	Zinkoff, David	1956, 1974
b. 27, f. 5	Zionist organization of Philadelphia	1945
b. 27, f. 6	Zweifler, Ben	1945

Series III: Correspondence, 1927–1987

Materials in this series include letters both received and sent by Mann.

The series is arranged by last name or name of organization, and chronologically therein.

b. 28, f. 1	Unidentified	Circa 1943-circa 1981
b. 28, f. 2	A - General	1927–1982
b. 28, f. 3	Administration Reporters, The Includes photograph.	1966
b. 28, f. 4	Allers, Franz	1943–1978
b. 28, f. 5	B - General	1929–1986
b. 28, f. 6	Bernstein, Leonard	1950-1951, 1972-1986
b. 28, f. 7	Bress, Patricia (related to Bress, Hyman)	Circa 1960-1962
b. 28, f. 8-9	Business accounts	1928–1929
b. 28, f. 10	C - General	1929–1986
b. 28, f. 11	Carrillo, María Inés Gómez Contains clippings in Spanish.	1942–1947
b. 28, f. 12	Ceccato, Aldo	Circa 1977-1981
b. 28, f. 13	Clark, Joseph S.	1952–1975
b. 28, f. 14	Clark, Tom C.	1948–1956
b. 28, f. 15-16	D - General	1929-1930, 1944-1983
b. 28, f. 17	Dilworth, Richardson	1949–1963
b. 28, f. 18	E - General	1929, 1952-1977
b. 28, f. 19	Eban, Abba	1951–1959
b. 28, f. 20	F - General	1929-1930, 1945-1986
b. 28, f. 21	Farley, James A.	1936, 1954-1977
b. 28, f. 22	Firkusny, Rudolf	Circa 1946-1954, 1974
b. 28, f. 23	Friedheim, Arthur	1927–1928
b. 29, f. 1-2	G - General Primarily correspondence related to the Green Valley Country Club, Golden Door, the Graduate Hospital, and various politicians and officials.	1939–1986

b. 29, f. 3	Giamatti, A. Bartlett	1978–1985
b. 29, f. 4	Golschmann, Vladimir	1942–circa 1964
b. 29, f. 5	Green, John	1972–1979
b. 29, f. 6	H - General	1928–1986
b. 29, f. 7	Heifetz, Jascha Also contains correspondence from spouses Frances Spielberg and Florence Vidor, as well as son Joseph (Jay) Heifetz.	1943–circa 1979
b. 29, f. 8	Huberman, Bronislaw Contains letters from Bonislaw to Eugene Ormandy.	1944–1947
b. 29, f. 9b. 60, f. 5	Humphrey, Hubert Includes signed photograph.	1965–1978
b. 29, f. 10	Hurok, Sol Letter needs conservation.	1947–1954
b. 29, f. 11	I - General	Circa 1944–circa 1972
b. 29, f. 12	Iturbi, José Contains a photograph of Iturbi.	1949–1969
b. 29, f. 13	J - General	1954–1976
b. 29, f. 14	Johnson, Lyndon B. and Lady Bird (Claudia Alta)	1963–1973
b. 29, f. 15	K- General	1930–1985
b. 29, f. 16	Kahan, José	1955–1971
b. 29, f. 17	Kapell, William	Circa 1942–circa 1952
b. 29, f. 18	Kennedy family Includes correspondence from John F. Kennedy, Robert Kennedy, Edward Kennedy.	1960–1968
b. 29, f. 19-20	Kollek, Theodore (Teddy)	1956–1986
b. 29, f. 21	Kostelanetz, Andre	Circa 1954–circa 1979
b. 29, f. 22	L - General	1927–1984
b. 29, f. 23	Lahat, Shlomo	1977–1986
b. 29, f. 24	Lateiner, Jacob	1944–1947
b. 29, f. 25	Leader, George M.	1954–1958
b. 30, f. 1	Leinsdorf, Erich	1953–1961
b. 30, f. 2	Lowenthal, Jerome	Circa 1947–1980

b. 30, f. 3	M - General	1928-1930, 1944-1986
b. 30, f. 4	Maazel, Lorin	1972-1979
b. 30, f. 5	Mehta, Mehli and Zubin	Circa 1976-1978
b. 30, f. 6	Menuhin, Yehudi	1954-1980
b. 30, f. 7	N - General	1929-1930, 1946-1955, 1975-1984
b. 30, f. 8	Nixon, Richard	1956
b. 30, f. 9	O - General	1963-1965
b. 30, f. 10	Ormandy, Eugene Contains photographs.	1949-1981
b. 30, f. 11-12	P - General	1929-1930, 1946-1985
b. 30, f. 13	Paray, Paul	1955-1961
b. 30, f. 14	Peerce, Jan	Circa 1950-circa 1963, 1986
b. 30, f. 15	Peters, Roberta	Circa 1971-circa 1981
b. 30, f. 16	Pinza, Ezio Contains photograph.	1951-1953
b. 30, f. 17	Piatigorsky, Gregor	Circa 1943-circa 1977
b. 30, f. 18	R - General	1928-1930, 1942-1983
b. 30, f. 19	Rizzo, Frank L.	1973-1983
b. 31, f. 1-2b. 30, f. 20	S - General	1928-1930, 1942- 1985
b. 31, f. 3	Samaroff, Olga Includes letters related to William Kapell.	1943-1947
b. 31, f. 4	Schwarz, Herbert F.	1938-1941
b. 31, f. 5	Skolovsky, Zadel	1943-1961, 1975
b. 31, f. 6	Stern, Isaac	1929, Circa 1953-1980
b. 31, f. 7	Stokowski, Leopold	Circa 1962-circa 1967, 1977

b. 31, f. 8-9	T - General	1929, 1945-1987
b. 31, f. 10	Tate, James H. J.	1962-1968
b. 31, f. 11	Tel Aviv Museum	1976-1981
b. 31, f. 12	Truman, Harry S.	1948-1969
b. 31, f. 13	Tucker, Richard	1961-circa 1977
b. 31, f. 14	U - General Includes correspondence related to the United Jewish Appeal; Union League of Philadelphia; and United Nations.	1929-1936, Circa 1955-1965, 1978-1980
b. 31, f. 15	V - General Contains primarily letters from Isabelle Vengerova.	1943-1957, 1973-1980
b. 31, f. 16-17	W - General	1929-1930, 1945-1986
b. 31, f. 18	Wagner, Robert	1956-1965
b. 31, f. 19	Weisgal, Meyer W. See also: the Weizmann Institute of Science under Series II. Topical files, 1917-1999.	1948-1949, 1960, 1977
b. 31, f. 20	Y - General	Circa 1975
b. 31, f. 21-22	Z - General	1945, circa 1958-1984
b. 73, f. 1-3	Correspondence to Silvia E. Mann	Circa 1950-1955, 1977-1989

Series IV: Photographs and photo albums, 1920–1986

The series is arranged chronologically by year.

b. 32, f. 1-16	General photographs Contains personal and family photographs. Includes a photographs of Mann with Nikita Krushchev, and Harry S. Truman. Also contains photographs documenting receiving an honorary degree from Springfield College in 1969; a trip to Havana.	Circa 1920-1984
b. 55, f. 2	Oversize	Circa 1920-1982
b. 35, f. 1-3	Signed photographs Primarily comprised of photographs of musicians, dancers, composers, and conductors. Also included are photographs with politicians and religious leaders.	1949–1982
b. 60, f. 5	Oversize	Circa 1951-1982
	City Representative and Director of Commerce, City of Philadelphia - Photo albums	1953–1966
b. 33, f. 1-2	Volume I	1953–1956
b. 33, f. 3-4	Volume II	1957–1958
b. 33, f. 5	Volume III	1959–1960
b. 33, f. 6	Volume IV	1960–1961
b. 34, f. 1	Volume V	1961–1962
b. 34, f. 2-3	Volume VI	1962–1963
b. 34, f. 4	Volume VII	1963–1964
b. 34, f. 5	Volume VIII	1964–1965
b. 36, f. 5	Volume IX	1965–1966
b. 35, f. 4	Independence Hall, Philadelphia, photograph by Madill, R.G.	1954
b. 35, f. 5	Musician photos	Circa 1955-1986
b. 55, f. 3	Robin Hood Dell Concerts, Board of Directors	1956
b. 35, f. 6-7	Weizmann Institute	1956–1957
b. 35, f. 8	Association of Israel Journalists - Photo album	1957
b. 35, f. 9-10	Moscow trip Includes photographs from Kiev.	1958
b. 55, f. 2	Delaware River Port Authority of Pennsylvania and New Jersey, Commissioners	1963
b. 35, f. 11	Shazar, Zalman	1964
	Ambassadorship to Barbados	1967–1968
b. 35, f. 12	General photographs	1967–1968

Ambassadorship to Barbados (continued)

b. 35, f. 13	Mann arrives at Bridgetown to assume his duties as United States Ambassador to Barbados	1967
b. 35, f. 14	Mann presents check to Youth Town, Bridgetown; Mann presents a "liberty bown" to Prime Minister Errol Barrow	1967
b. 35, f. 15	Mann presents credentials to Barbados' Govenor-General, Sir Winston Scott	1967
b. 35, f. 16	Mann pays official call to the Prime Minister of Barbados, Mr. Errol Barrow	1967
b. 35, f. 17	Mann bringing greetings from the United States youth to the youth of Barbados during a youth rally	1967
b. 35, f. 18	Fredric R. Mann and Sylvia Mann as honored guests of the Counselor of Embassy, Charles P. Torrey	1967
b. 35, f. 19	Mann with Mary Gay on her 100th birthday	1968
b. 35, f. 20	Mann presents credentials to the Premier of Grenada, Eric Gairy	1968
b. 35, f. 21	Mann signs investment guarantee agreement with Premier Eric Gairy	1968
b. 35, f. 22	Mann and Deputy Premier of St. Lucia, the Hon. Hunter J. Francois, sign the investment guarantee agreement	1968
b. 35, f. 23	Mann presents a copy of a resolution extending greetings on Pan American Day to the Speaker of Barbados House of Assembly, J.E.T. Brancker	1968
b. 35, f. 24	Mann presents credentials to Premier Edward O. LeBlanc of Dominica	1968
b. 35, f. 25	German Ambassador Michael Jovy pays a courtesy call to Mann	1968
b. 35, f. 26	French Ambassador Paul Le Mintier de Lehelec pays a courtesy call to Mann	1968
b. 35, f. 27	Mann accompanies Captain Alan McNaughton on a courtesy call to Govenor-General Sir Winston Scott	1968
b. 35, f. 28	Mann at the Queen's birthday parade, Garrison Savannah	1968
b. 35, f. 29	Mann presents credentials to the Premier of St. Christopher-Nevis-Anguilla, Robert L. Bradshaw	1968
b. 35, f. 30	U.S. Ambassador Milton Barall visits Govenor-General Sir Winston Scott and Prime Minister Errol Barrow with Mann	1968
b. 35, f. 31	Mann and Prime Minister Errol Barrow signing an investment guarantee agreement	1968
b. 35, f. 32	Mann wih British High Commissioner to Barbados, John Bennett	1968
b. 35, f. 33	Mann presenting prizes at the Barbados Show Jumping Federation's annual international show	1968
b. 35, f. 34	Mann with Captain D.A. York, Officer Frank Hallissey, and Governor-General Sir Winston Scott	1968
b. 36, f. 1	Mann presenting credentials to Premier of St. Lucia, John Compton, and calling on Governor Sir Frederick Clarke	1968

Ambassadorship to Barbados (continued)

b. 36, f. 2	Mann attending a cricket test	1968
b. 36, f. 3	Mann with Stephen C. Yao, Nationalist China's Ambassador to Barbados	1968
b. 60, f. 6	Yale class of 1923 reunions	1973–1983
b. 55, f. 2	Fredric R. Mann at the piano	Circa 1975
b. 36, f. 4	Mann's 80th birthday	1983

Series V: Scrapbooks, 1935–1980

The series is arranged chronologically by year.

b. 37	Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society (HIAS) Also known as the Hebrew Immigrant Aid and Society (HIAS). Contains materials in Hebrew. Access to the scrapbook is restricted due to fragility.	1935
b. 38, f. 1	Brandeis dinner and music festival	1952
b. 38, f. 2	Bonds of Israel Government tribute dinner	1955
b. 38, f. 3	Loyal League of Philanthropies testimonial dinner	1956
	Volumes	1956–1958
b. 39	I	1956
b. 40	III	1957–1958
b. 40, 39	II & IV	1958
b. 41	Fredric R. Mann Auditorium dedication story Access to the scrapbook is restricted due to fragility.	1957
b. 38, f. 4-6	Resignation, City Representative and Directory of Commerce	1966
	Barbados, Ambassador to	1967–1969
b. 38, f. 8	1967–1968	1967–1968
b. 42	1967–1968	1967–1968
b. 43	1968–1969	1968–1969
b. 44, f. 1	Robin Hood Dell West	1978
b. 38, f. 7	Loose materials	1978
b. 44, f. 2	Fredric R. Mann Music Center Details the 50th anniversary of the Robin Hood Dell concerts, the name change from Robin Hood Dell West to the Fredric R. Mann Music Center, and the first full season of the Philadelphia Orchestra at the Mann Music Center.	1979–1980

Series VI: Clippings, Circa 1920–1999

The series is arranged chronologically by year.

General		1920-1999
b. 45, f. 1	1920–1929	1920–1929
b. 45, f. 2-4	1930–1939	1930–1939
b. 45, f. 5-7	1940–1949	1940–1949
b. 72, f. 5	Oversize	1944
	1950–1959	1950–1959
b. 45, f. 8-10	1950–1959	1950–1959
b. 45, f. 11	1954	1954
	1955	1955
b. 45, f. 12-13	1955	1955
b. 46, f. 1-7	1955	1955
b. 47, f. 1-2	1955	1955
	1956	1956
b. 47, f. 3-5	1956	1956
b. 48, f. 1-2	1956	1956
	Volumes	1952–1955
b. 51	1952–1953	1952–1953
b. 52	1953–1954	1953–1954
b. 53	1954–1955	1954–1955
b. 48, f. 3-5	1960–1969	1960–1969
b. 49, f. 1-4	1970–1979	1970–1979
b. 60, f. 2	Oversize	1970–1979
b. 49, f. 5-6	1980–1989	1980–1989
b. 60, f. 4	Oversize	1980–1989
b. 49, f. 7	1990–1999	1990–1999
b. 50, f. 1-2b. 57, f. 1	Israeli clippings Written in Hebrew.	1954–1957, 1977
b. 50, f. 3	Trip abroad	1956
b. 50, f. 4	Jack Benny concert clippings and ephemera	1956–1957

b. 50, f. 5	Russian delegate visits to Philadelphia	Circa 1960
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