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Location

Annex

Title Fred Snitzer Chess Collection

Approximate inclusive dates 1910-1951

Date of receipt July, 1983

Received from Fred Snitzer

Volume on arrival 7 volumes

Number of boxes (after reboxing) 7 volumes

Condition Good

Restrictions None

Description

Fred Snitzer was born in Brooklyn, New York on March 22, 1929.

The collection consists of recorded master games from various master chess tournaments in Europe. The game scores were transcribed from English, German, Russian, and Italian newspapers and magazines. They appear on 8½ X 11 loose leaf paper, one game per page. Also present are score tables for each tournament represented in the collection. The collection covers the era that is known as the romantic age of chess when modern theories were developed. The games of the following world champions are included: A. Alekhine(France), J.R. Capablanca(Cuba), Emmanuel Lasker(Germany), M. Botvinnik(Russia), M. Euwe(Netherlands) and V. Smyslov(Russia). There are also games by successful chessmasters and theorists such as Richard Reti, Aaron Nimzovitch, Siegbert Tarrasch, R. Spielman, E. Grunfeld, and American champions Frank Marshall and Edward Lasker. Some of the major tournaments included in the collection are : San Sebastian(1912), Mannheim(1914), London(1922), Carlsbad(1923), Baden-Baden(1925), Pistyan(1922), and the Tschigorin Memorial Tournament (Moscow, 1947).

Special Formats  Photographs  Maps  Audio Tapes  Films  Graphics  
 Artifacts  Machine-readable records  
 Other (list) \_\_\_\_\_

Temporary catalog card added entries

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## LISTING

- Volume 1                   Tournament games, 1910-1912 ( Hamburg;San Sebastian;  
Carlsbad;Abbazia;Breslau )
- Volume 2                   Tournament games, 1912-1922 ( Pistyan;San Sebastian;  
Mannheim;St. Petersburg;Gothenburg;Teplitz-Schoenau;  
London; )
- Volume 3                   Tournament games, 1923-1925 ( Mahrisch Ostrau;Carlsbad;  
Moscow;Marienbad;Baden-Baden )
- Volume 4                   Tournament games, 1926-1929 ( Semmering;New York;  
Kecskemet;Budapest;Bad Kissingen;Berlin Tageblatt;  
Carlsbad )
- Volume 5                   Tournament games, 1930-1936 ( San Remo;Bled;Berne;  
Zurich;Moscow;Nothingham;Zaudvoort )
- Volume 6                   Tournament games, 1937-1946 ( Kemerl;Semmering-Baden;  
A.V.R.O.;Leningrad-Moscow;U.S.S.R. Championships;  
Munich;Salzburg;Groningen )
- Volume 7                   Tournament games, 1947-1951 ( Mar Del Plata;Parno;  
Tschigorin Memorial;Saltsjobaden;Budapest )