

Fredric Wertham Papers

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Collection Summary

Title: Fredric Wertham Papers

Span Dates: 1818-1986

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1945-1975)

ID No.: MSS62110

Creator: Wertham, Fredric, 1895-1981

Extent: 82,200 items; 222 containers plus 2 oversize; 90 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English, with some German and French

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Psychiatrist. Correspondence, memoranda, writings, speeches and lectures, reports, research notes, patient case files, psychiatric tests, transcripts of court proceedings, biographical information, newspaper clippings, drawings, photographs, and other materials pertaining primarily to Wertham's career in psychiatry.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Caldwell, Taylor, 1900-1985--Correspondence.

Freud, Sigmund, 1856-1939--Correspondence.

Frink, Horace Westlake, 1883-1936--Correspondence.

Gutheil, Emil Arthur, 1899-1959--Correspondence.

Hughes, Langston, 1902-1967--Correspondence.

Jones, Ernest, 1879-1958--Correspondence.

Kinsey, Alfred C. (Alfred Charles), 1894-1956--Correspondence.

Kraepelin, Emil, 1856-1926.

Lissitzky, El, 1890-1941.

Macalpine, Ida--Correspondence.

Mann, Thomas, 1875-1955--Correspondence.

Meyer, Adolf, 1866-1950.

Miller, Arthur, 1915-2005--Correspondence.

Mosse, Hilde L.

Wertham, Fredric, 1895-1981.

Wertham, Fredric, 1895-1981. Seduction of the innocent. 1954.

Winter, Ella--Correspondence.

Wright, Richard, 1908-1960--Correspondence.

Organizations

Lafargue Clinic (New York, N.Y.)

Quaker Emergency Service Readjustment Center (New York, N.Y.)

Subjects

Abused children.

African Americans--Psychology.

African Americans--Segregation.

Art--Collectors and collecting.

Censorship.

Civil rights.

Comic books, strips, etc.--Psychological aspects.

Drugs--Physiological effect.

Freedom of speech.

Juvenile delinquency.
Pornography.
Psychiatric clinics--New York (State)--New York.
Race relations.
Racism.
Sex (Psychology)
Sex crimes.
Violence in mass media.
Violence in motion pictures.
Violence on television.
Violence--Social aspects.
Violent crimes.

Occupations
Psychiatrists.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The papers of Fredric Wertham, psychiatrist, were given to the Library of Congress by the estate of his wife, Florence Hesketh Wertham, in 1987, with a small addition in 1988.

Processing History

The Fredric Wertham Papers were processed in 1992. Portions of the collection and the finding aid were revised in 2010.

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Biographical Note

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1895, Mar. 20	Born, Friedrich Ignanz Wertheimer to Sigmund and Mathilde Wertheimer, Nuremberg, Germany
1914-1921	Pursued medical studies, London University, the Universities of Erlangen, Munich, and Würzburg, Germany

- 1921 M.D., University of Würzburg
Postgraduate study, the universities of Paris, France, and Vienna, Austria
- 1922 Appointed staff member, Kraepelin Clinic, Munich, Germany
Visited Sigmund Freud at the request of Walter Lippmann to see if Freud would write an article on psychoanalysis for *Saturday Review*. Freud declined.
Immigrated to the United States; accepted a position at Phipps Psychiatric Clinic, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
- 1926 Published with Florence Hesketh *Significance of the Physical Constitution in Mental Illness*. New York: Arno Press
- 1927 Changed name to Fredric Wertham
Married Florence Hesketh
- 1932 Appointed senior psychiatrist at Bellevue Mental Hygiene Clinic, New York, N.Y.
- 1934 Published *Brain As an Organ*. New York: MacMillan Co.
- 1936 Appointed director of Bellevue Mental Hygiene Clinic (later Bellevue Hospital), New York, N.Y.
- 1937 Developed theory of catathymic crisis
- 1940 Appointed director of psychiatric services, Queens Hospital Center, Jamaica, N.Y.
- 1941 Published *Dark Legend: A Study in Murder*. New York: Duell, Sloan and Pearce
- 1946 Opened Lafargue Clinic, a psychiatric clinic for African Americans, in Harlem, New York, N.Y.
- 1947 Published *World Within: Illuminating the Neuroses of Our Time*. New York: McGraw-Hill (edited by Mary Louise Aswell, with introduction and analyses by Wertham)
Opened Quaker Emergency Service Readjustment Center for sexually maladjusted individuals, New York, N.Y.
- 1949 Published *Show of Violence*. Garden City, N.Y.: Doubleday and Co.
- 1953 Developed theory of linear dyslexia
- 1954 Published *Seduction of the Innocent*. New York: Rinehart and Co.
Testified before Senate Subcommittee to Investigate Juvenile Delinquency regarding comic books and violence (Kefauver hearings)
- 1955 Published *Circle of Guilt*. New York: Rinehart and Co.
- 1963 Consulted with Alfred Hitchcock on violence depicted in the mass media
- 1966 Published *Sign for Cain*. New York: MacMillan Co.

- 1971 Received Sigmund Freud award from the American Society of Psychoanalytic Physicians
- 1973 Published *The World of Fanzines*. Carbondale and Edwardsville, Ill.: Southern Illinois University Press
- 1981, Nov. 18 Died, Bluehills Farm, Kempton, Pa.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Fredric Wertham (1895-1981) span the years 1818-1986, with the bulk of the items concentrated in the period between 1945 and 1975. The collection consists of eight series: [Freud-Frink File](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Research Files](#), [Writings](#), [Personal Miscellany](#), [Photographs](#), [Restricted](#), and [Oversize](#). Material is in English, with some items in German and French.

The papers focus on the work of Wertham, a psychiatrist who studied in London, Erlangen, Munich, Würzburg, Paris, and Vienna. Following graduation from medical school in 1922, Wertham worked briefly at the Kraepelin Clinic in Munich under Emil Kraepelin, who developed the standard system for the classification of mental disorders. Later that year Wertham immigrated to the United States, where he accepted a position under Adolf Meyer at the Phipps Psychiatric Clinic at Johns Hopkins University. In 1926 Wertham published his first book in collaboration with Florence Hesketh, a biology instructor and sculptress, whom he married the next year. In 1932 they moved to New York, where Wertham was appointed senior psychiatrist at Bellevue Mental Hygiene Clinic. For the remainder of his professional career, Wertham lived in New York and was affiliated with numerous psychiatric organizations. In addition to his medical activities, he was a prolific writer and public speaker. In particular, he issued constant warnings about the harmful influence of violence in the mass media. In the late 1970s, Wertham and his wife retired to Bluehills, their country home in Kempton, Pennsylvania, where he died in 1981. Included in the papers are correspondence, research notes, writings, newspaper and magazine clippings, memoranda, reports, patient case files, transcripts of court proceedings, psychiatric tests, drawings, photographs, miscellaneous biographical information, and other materials pertaining to Wertham's work and to the history of psychiatry during his lifetime.

Although the Wertham Papers provide little documentation of the psychiatrist's early life in Germany and England, they do provide a full account of his professional life in the United States, especially after World War II. The [Freud-Frink File](#) in the collection contains patient case files, correspondence, miscellany, and writings by or about Horace Westlake Frink, the first disciple of Sigmund Freud to practice psychoanalysis in the United States. Wertham came to know Frink professionally while practicing at the Phipps Psychiatric Clinic. Many years later, after Frink himself suffered a mental breakdown, Wertham became his psychiatrist. Following Frink's death in a mental institution in 1936, his young widow, Ruth Frink Sargent, gave Wertham materials relating to her husband. Included in the file are original letters between Freud and Frink.

Due to Wertham's practice of filing correspondence according to subject, his general correspondence comprises a small part of the papers. Among the prominent correspondents in the [General Correspondence](#) series are Emil A. Gutheil, Ernest Jones, Arthur Miller, and Wertham's parents, Sigmund and Mathilde Wertheimer. Located elsewhere in the collection are letters from Thomas Mann, Richard Wright, Arthur Miller, Alfred C. Kinsey, Ella Winter, Ida Macalpine, Taylor Caldwell, and Langston Hughes.

The [Research Files](#) constitute roughly half of the papers. They cover a vast array of topics, including art, crime, drugs, court cases involving Wertham, criminal case files, freedom of speech, censorship, obscenity, pornography, the Lafargue Clinic, noted individuals, political philosophies

and economic systems, psychology, the Quaker Emergency Service Readjustment Center, race relations and civil rights, and violence in comic books, the mass media, movies, and television. The sections dealing with court cases and criminal case files reveal Wertham's fascination with the human propensity to commit violence. Other sections illustrate Wertham's contention that violence as portrayed in the mass media contributes to the breakdown of society, a belief that was expressed in much of his professional writing and speaking. The files on the Lafargue Clinic, race relations and civil rights, the Delaware desegregation case, and numerous other cases concerning racial bias indicate Wertham's dedication to abolishing racial prejudice and his efforts to improve the living standards of African Americans.

The [Writings](#) series also constitutes a large part of the papers. It consists of manuscripts of books, plays, articles and essays, scientific papers, interviews, speeches and lectures, book reviews, letters to editors, short stories, and poems, including drafts, galley proofs, page proofs, research materials, and related correspondence. Wertham's major works, *Seduction of the Innocent*, *Dark Legend*, *Show of Violence*, *Sign for Cain*, and *Circle of Guilt*, are represented by research notes, drafts, and related materials documenting the entire creative process. Wertham wrote more than a hundred articles and essays on subjects such as battered children, violence in comic books, movies, and television, the problems of parenting, juvenile delinquency, the Vietnam War, the mass media, and sex crimes. He was a prodigious reviewer of books, critiquing more than a hundred during his lifetime. Prominent in the collection are his reviews of works by colleagues A. A. Brill, K. R. Eissler, Otto Fenichel, Sigmund Freud, Erich Fromm, Emil A. Gutheil, Wilhelm Reich, Wilhelm Stekel, and Gregory Zilboorg. Wertham contributed to the works of others by way of introductions, essays, chapters, poems, and other short forms, and also wrote numerous papers discussing the scientific writings of colleagues.

Wertham's literary interests went beyond his own professional bounds, however, as evidenced by his reviews of works by Matthew Josephson, Richard Kluger, Arthur Miller, Norman Vincent Peale, and Richard Wright. He was a tireless public speaker, and during his professional career participated in more than one hundred interviews and delivered almost as many speeches and lectures. Wertham also composed poems and short stories and wrote frequently to newspaper and magazine editors. Included at the end of the Writings series are works by others. Prominent in this group are articles by Wertham's two mentors, Emil Kraepelin and Adolf Meyer, and writings by his longtime friend and associate at the Lafargue Clinic, Hilde Mosse. Of note among the group of poems is an autographed verse by George Bernard Shaw.

The [Personal Miscellany](#) series consists of materials relating to Wertham's personal art collection (particularly the paintings by El Lissitzky), biographical information about Hesketh and Wertham, a bibliography of medical books prepared by Wertham in medical school, miscellaneous research materials, and articles and correspondence regarding the Mosaic test, a psychiatric test devised by Wertham. The series also contains productions of this test by various patients.

The [Photographs](#) series consists of personal and professional photographs spanning Wertham's career. The first section, images of individuals, is subdivided into photographs of criminals, family members, general subjects, psychiatrists, and Wertham himself. Of particular interest in the general subsection are the autographed pictures of Adolphe Appia and Alan Paton, as well as numerous shots of Wertham with Alfred Hitchcock. The remaining sections include locations, objects, and subjects. The photographs of Wertham at the Lafargue Clinic show the psychiatrist at work with patients and colleagues. Also, the shots from his vacation to Santa Fe, New Mexico, in 1937, reveal a side of the psychiatrist not usually seen—Wertham in full cowboy regalia, standing on a horse.

Organization of the Papers

The collection is arranged in eight series:

- [Freud-Frink File, 1911-1980](#)

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Description of Series

<i>Container</i>	<i>Series</i>
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BOX 2-4	<p><u>General Correspondence, 1911-1986</u></p> <p>Letters sent and received, with enclosed and related matter.</p> <p>Arranged alphabetically by topic or name of correspondent or organization.</p>
BOX 5-97	<p><u>Research Files, 1818-1982</u></p> <p>Correspondence, clippings, articles, scientific papers, research notes, memoranda, reports, photographs, drawings, patient case files and related materials, psychiatric tests, comic books, transcripts of interviews and court proceedings.</p> <p>Arranged alphabetically by name of person or organization, topic, or type of material.</p>
BOX 98-195	<p><u>Writings, 1895-1983</u></p> <p>Manuscripts of books, plays, articles and essays, scientific papers, speeches and lectures, book reviews, letters to editors, interviews, short stories, and poems, including drafts, galley proofs, page proofs, research notes and materials, and related correspondence.</p> <p>Organized into writings by Wertham and writings by others, with an alphabetical arrangement by title or type of material, except for interviews, which are arranged chronologically within subcategories, and speeches and lectures which are also arranged chronologically.</p>
BOX 195-213	<p><u>Personal Miscellany, 1906-1982</u></p> <p>Correspondence, research notes, biographical information, drawings, notes in bound, loose, and card format, bibliographical information, and psychiatric testing information and materials.</p> <p>Arranged alphabetically by name of person, topic, or type of material.</p>
BOX 213-216	<p><u>Photographs, circa 1900-1978</u></p> <p>Photographs of Wertham, his family, various associates, and subjects of interest.</p> <p>Arranged alphabetically under four categories: individuals, locations, objects, and subjects.</p>
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Oversize, 1917-1961

Photographs, drawings, art reproductions, poster, and scrapbook. Arranged and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed.

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	Outline of Frink case by Wertham, "Freud's Mismanagement of a Case, August 1975," 1975
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 8 Dec., "Toys and Violence," WBAI, New York, N.Y.
- 1967
 1 Feb., "Martha Deane Show," WOR, New York, N.Y.
 2 Feb., "John Nebel Show," WNBC, New York, N.Y., 1956, 1967
 21 Feb., "Barry Gray Show," regarding Mark Fein case, WMCA,
 New York, N.Y., 1967-1968
 [10] May, "Barry Gray Show," regarding capital punishment,
 WMCA, New York, N.Y., 1967, undated
 [13] June, "Alan Douglas Show," WKYC, [Philadelphia, Pa.]
 2 Nov., "The Changing City," WHBI-FM, Kalina, N.J.

1968, 14 Feb.-6 Mar., "Operation Yorkville" (four-part series on pornography and violence), WRFM, New York, N.Y., 1963-1968
1969

5 Feb., "Martha Deane Show," WOR, New York, N.Y.

6 Feb., "Up to the Minute Radio," New York, N.Y.

1970, 23 June, Bill Royster program, WABC-FM, New York, N.Y.

1971, 14 Feb., "NBC Radio News," NBC-FM, New York, N.Y.

Television broadcasts

1950, [19 Oct.], "We the People," WBC, 1950 [*See also Container 183, same heading*](#)

1952, 11 Mar., "We the People," regarding Arnold Schuster case, NBC, New York, N.Y.

1953, 12 Mar., "Author Meets the Critics: *Prescription for Rebellion*"

1954, 23 July, "Dave Garroway Show," NBC, New York, N.Y.

1956, 12 Oct., "Nightbeat," interview with Mike Wallace, Dumont TV, New York, N.Y.

1957

3 Feb., "Open Mind: *Compulsion*," regarding Leopold-Loeb case, WRCA, New York, N.Y., 1956-1957, undated [*See also Container 183, same heading*](#)

11 and 27 Feb., "Tonight: America after Dark" (Burgess Meredith and Fredric Wertham discussing aspects of the poetry of Edgar Allan Poe), NBC, New York, N.Y., 1957, undated

25 Apr., John Cameron Swayze program, ABC, New York, N.Y.

27 Oct., "Wide, Wide World," NBC, New York, N.Y., 1957-1958

1958

12 Jan., "Open Mind: Love and Violence in America," WRCA, New York, N.Y. 11 Feb., "Tex and Jinx Show: Censorship for Children," NBC, New York, N.Y., 1957-1958

1959

11 June, "Sam Levenson Show," regarding juvenile delinquency, CBS, New York, N.Y., 1959, undated

30 July, "Sam Levenson Show," regarding psychiatry and law, CBS, New York, N.Y.

BOX 185

1960, 9 Feb.-14 Nov., "Mike Wallace Interview," (multipart interview regarding aspects of violence), WNTA [*See also Container 214, "Mike Wallace Interview"*](#)

Correspondence, 1960-1961

General, 1956-1971

(2 folders)

1961

26 June, "PM East...PM West," WBC, New York, N.Y.

6 July, "Jack Paar Show," [NBC], New York, N.Y.

1963, 22 July, "New York Illustrated," WNBC, New York, N.Y.

1964, 28 Jan., "Monitor," NBC, New York, N.Y., 1964 [*See also Container 182, 1964, Feb., "Why Murder Is Contagious"*](#)

1965, 27 Apr., "Today," regarding capital punishment, New York, N.Y.

1967

12 Feb., "Brian Shaw Show," CBC, Toronto, Canada

Apr.-June, "Mike Douglas Show," KYW, Philadelphia, Pa.,

1966-1967 *See also Container 214, "Mike Douglas Show"*

15 July, "Here and Now," KYW, Philadelphia, Pa.

27 July, "Alan Burke Show," WNEW, New York, N.Y.

26 Nov., "Our Violent Society," KYW, Philadelphia, Pa.

11 Dec., "If I Ruled the World," KYW, Philadelphia, Pa., 1967, undated

1968

6 June, "Today," NBC, New York, N.Y.

16 June, "National Educational Television Journal: The Question of Violence," NET, New York, N.Y.

27 Nov., "Your Dollar's Worth: Toys . . . Toys . . . Toys," NET, New York, N.Y.

1969

9 June, "Julia Meade Show," WFIL, Philadelphia, Pa.

24 Nov., ["Profile of a Murder"], regarding My Lai massacre, CBS, New York, N.Y.

8-13 Dec., "The Six O'Clock Report: Living with Murder" (five-part series), WCBS, New York, N.Y.

1981, 3 Feb., "Arena: Superman," BBC, London, England, 1981, undated

Undated, "Firing Line" *See also Container 214, "Firing Line"*

Unidentified, 1948-1976, undated *See also Container 214, Unidentified, in Wertham's living room*

BOX 186

Speeches and lectures

1934, Feb., "Neuropathology of Retardation," Brooklyn, N.Y.

1938, lecture on crime and psychiatry, Washington, D.C.

1940

19 Apr., "Critique of Freud's Interpretation of a Neurosis," Association for the Advancement of Psychotherapy, 1940, 1967

25 Oct., opening address, Wilhelm Stekel Memorial Meeting, Association for the Advancement of Psychotherapy

1942, 4 May, "The Psychology of Crime," Hunter College, New York, N.Y.

1943

30 Apr., "Capital Punishment and the Insane," American League to Abolish Capital Punishment

Dec., lecture on art, Cornell Medical Center, New York, N.Y., 1942-1943

1945

9 Mar., "Returning Veterans," Sweethearts of Servicemen

Oct., lecture on psychology, Queens County Medical Society, N.Y.

1946

- 5 Feb.-19 Mar., "Adult Education on Child Guidance," Juvenile Aid Bureau, New York, N.Y., series of six lectures
- Apr., "Psychotherapy in Adolescents," Association for the Advancement of Psychotherapy
- 19 June, "Management of Common Sex Problems," Association for the Advancement of Psychotherapy
- 13 Nov., "Psychiatric Consultation in a General Hospital," Association for the Advancement of Psychotherapy, 1946, undated
- Psychiatry?" Brooklyn State Hospital, Brooklyn, N.Y., 1937, 1946-1947
- "Adult Education on Child Guidance," series of lectures, Queensboro Federation of Mothers Clubs, N.Y., 1941-1954, undated
- 1947
- Jan., "What is Social Psychiatry?" Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.
- 13 Nov., "Economics of Psychotherapy," Columbia University, New York, N.Y.
- 4 Dec., "Religion and Psychiatry," Protestant Ministers of Queens, N.Y.
- 5-19 Dec., "What Can Psychiatry Contribute in the Handling of Juvenile Delinquents?" Teen-age Committee Seminar, Juvenile Aid Bureau, New York, N.Y., three lectures of a series of six
- 1948
- 11 May, "Psychiatry in a Changing World," Elliot Institute, Ethical Culture Society
- 14 May, lecture on comic books, Walt Whitman School, New York, N.Y.
- 1949
- 19 Jan., lecture on divorce, Lawyers Guild
- 9 Feb., "A Dynamic Set-up for Mental Hygiene Clinics and Its Relationship to State Hospitals," Long Island Psychiatric Society, New York, N.Y.
- 23-24 Apr., "Can Psychiatry Aid in the Positive Program for a Democratic Society?" Middlebury College Conference, Middlebury, Vt., 1948-1949
- 1950
- 15 Feb., "Psychology and Crime," New York Society of Clinical Psychologists
- 6 June, "Do We Need Books for Inspiration?" American Booksellers Association
- BOX 187
- 1951
- 17 Feb., "Group Psychotherapy and the Treatment of Minority Problems," American Society of Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama
- 2 Mar., lecture on sex education, Twenty-fifth Annual Conference of the Secondary Education Board, 1950-1951
- 28 Mar., "Symbolism and Literature," Graduate English Society, Columbia University, New York, N.Y.

1952

- 9 Jan., "Ethical Values and Psychoanalysis," American Humanist Association, 1952, 1958
- 25 Feb., "Psychology of the Russian People," Columbia University, New York, N.Y., 1948-1952
- 20 Oct., "Uses and Abuses of Power," Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass., 1951-1952
- 5 Nov., "Science and Psychotherapy," Roche Research Club
- 10 Nov., "Can Crime Stories in Movies, Radio, and Television Be Harmful?" Society of Medical Jurisprudence
- 17 Nov., "Race Prejudice as a Medico-legal Problem," Yale University Law School, New Haven, Conn.

1953

- 10 Feb., "A Psychiatrist Looks at Institutions," State of New York Department of Corrections, New York, N.Y.
- 11 Feb., "Past, Present and Future of Radio and Television," New York Wellesley Club, 1952-1953
- 21 Oct., "Public Relations and the Individual," The New School for Social Research, New York, N.Y., 1950-1953

1954

- 4 Jan., "Character Disorders and Perversions," Seventh Connecticut Postgraduate Seminar in Psychiatry and Neurology, 1952-1954, 1967
- 27 July, lecture on *Seduction of the Innocent*, New York State Association of Chiefs of Police, New York, N.Y.
- 27 July, "Is Horror Harmless?" Columbia University, New York, N.Y., 1954, undated
- 22 Sept., "Reading for the Innocent," Philadelphia Free Library, Philadelphia, Pa., 1954-1955

1955

- 8 Mar., lecture on comics before non-sponsored discussion group
- 29 Mar., "The Menace of Horror Comics," Allentown, Pa., Parent-Teacher's Association

1956

- 9 Jan., "Character Disorders: Their Diagnosis and Treatment," Ninth Connecticut Postgraduate Seminar in Psychiatry and Neurology, 1953-1957
- 31 Jan., "Prevention and Treatment of Juvenile Delinquency," Brooklyn Urban Conference, Brooklyn, N.Y., 1955-1956

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1957

- 12 Mar., "Modern Problems of Mental Health," Suffolk County Mental Health Association, N.Y., 1954, 1957
- 8 Apr., "Mass Media and the Development of Children," American Association for Healthy Physical Education and Recreation, 1956-1957

1958

- 9 Jan., "Mental Health and the Magazines," Society of Magazine Writers, 1957-1958

20 Apr., "Uses and Abuses of Psychiatry," Ford Hall Forum, Boston, Mass., 1956-1965

1959

15 Mar., "Psychological Danger Signals in Modern Youth," Ford Hall Forum, Boston, Mass.

25 May, "Where Is Psychiatry Going?" Fountain House, Philadelphia, Pa.

16 Oct., "Emil Gutheil Memorial Lecture," 1959, 1962, 1968, 1978
1960, 26 Sept., "Your Children and Television," Parents Club, Albany Township, N.Y.

1961

27 Jan., "Capital Punishment," New York Law Forum

14 Feb., "Uses and Abuses of Psychiatry," Washington Square Evening Student Organization, New York University, New York, N.Y., 1960-1962, 1966

15 Feb., "The Psychiatrist as an Expert Witness," Guild Lawyer, 1961

11 Apr., "Psychotherapy in a Changing World," A. Jonas Berg Memorial Lecture *See also Oversize*

20 Oct., "The Scientific Study of the Effects of Mass Media on Children," New York Bureau of Child Guidance, Brooklyn, N.Y.

3 Nov., "Uses and Abuses of Psychoanalysis," Humanist Association, 1961, undated

1963

27 Feb., "Violence," Cooper Union, New York, N.Y., 1956-1964

1 May, "The Present Status of Legal Insanity," Mystery Writers of America

7 May, "The Conflicts of the Modern Artist," Parsons School of Design, New York, N.Y.

1965

1 Mar., "Violence and Hatred," Cooper Union, New York, N.Y., 1964-1965

6 Dec., "Violence and Aggression," Cooper Union, New York, N.Y., 1965-1968

BOX 189

1966

21-22 Apr., "Mass Media and the Immature Mind," Governor Rockefeller's Conference on Crime, 1965-1966

18 Oct., "The Prevalence of Violence," Postgraduate Center for Mental Health, New York, N.Y.

16 Nov., "The Psychology of Violence," Cooper Union, New York, N.Y., 1963-1966

1967

17 Jan., "The Sex Syndrome," American Women in Radio and T.V., 1966-1967

27 Jan., "The Death Penalty," District Attorneys Association of the State of New York, New York, N.Y., 1960-1961, 1966

30 Jan., "Scientific and Ethical Problems of Violence," Philadelphia Ethical Society, Philadelphia, Pa., 1966-1967

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- 25 Feb., "Youth and Violence Today," Nineteenth Annual University Women's Forum, 1964-1968
- 14 Mar., "Communications and Children," Junior League of Philadelphia, Pa., 1966-1967
- 20 Apr., "Violence Is Preventable," Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, 1965-1974
- 21 Apr., "Book Reviewing," Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, Pa.
- 29 Apr., "The Role of the Psychiatrist with Regards to Violence," Lehigh Valley Neuropsychiatric Society, Allentown, Pa., 1966-1967
- 21 May, "The Role of the Psychotherapist in Relation to Society," Institute for Practicing Psychotherapists, 1967-1968
- BOX 190 24 Nov., "Violence and the Arts," Dialogue House, New York, N.Y., 1967-1970
- 1968
- 20 Jan., "Violence and the Citizen," Kutztown, Pa., Jaycees Annual Banquet
- 9 Mar., "The Problems of Present-Day Youth," Staten Island Community College, N.Y., 1967-1968
- 30 Mar., "Individual Violence and Group Violence," American Society for Group Psychotherapy and Psychodrama, 1967-1968
- 16 Sept., "Mass Media and the Cult of Violence," The Center of American Living, 1949, 1968-1979, undated
- 18 Oct., "Psychiatry and the Problem of Violence," Noyes Memorial Conference, 1967-1977
- 3 Nov., Gutheil Memorial Conference, memorial medal acceptance speech, 1967-1968
- 11 Nov., "Scientific Problems of Human Violence," New York University, New York, N.Y., 1968-1970, undated
- 1969
- 1 Apr., lecture for course on violence in American society, Hunter College, New York, N.Y.
- 15 Apr., "The Dangerous Patient," Northampton County Medical Service, Bethlehem, Pa., 1968-1969
- 21 May, "The Treatment of Violence," New York State Academy of General Practice, 1968-1969
- BOX 191 1970, 11 May, "Why Four Students Died," Kutztown State College, Kutztown, Pa., 1969-1970
- 1971
- 3 Apr., "Psychoanalysis and the Scientific Study of Violence," American Society of Psychoanalytic Physicians (including "Fredric Wertham: Pillar and Prophet," discussion of speech, by Natalie Shainess), 1962, 1970-1973
- 17 Nov., "The Scientific Study of Human Violence," Keneseth Israel Brotherhood lecture series, 1949-1974, undated
- 5 Dec. "Problems of Youth Today," Book Find Club
- Miscellany
- Programs, publicity, and articles, 1926-1968, undated
- Speech fragments and correspondence, 1938-1968, undated

Speeches and lectures, declined, 1963-1974

Short stories

"Arc in Bronze," undated

"Death of Venus," undated

"Geschichten vom Ich" (series of eight stories)

"Die Abendzeitung," undated

"Begegnung mit einem Buch," undated

"Das Dienstmädchen," undated

"Geschichten vom Ich" (series of eight stories)

"Francis Thompson," undated

"Das Haus mit dem vergitterten Fenster," undated

"Im Zug," undated

"Salve Regina," undated

"Die Verlobung," undated

BOX 192

"Judgment Day," 1968-1975, undated

Research files, 1923-1969, undated

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Unfinished drafts, 1927-1945, undated

By others

Articles and essays

Arens, Richard, "Genocide in Paraguay," 1976

(2 folders)

Bandura, Albert, and Richard H. Walters, "The Social Learning of Deviant Behavior: The Role of Imitation," undated

Burgum, Edwin, "The Psychoanalysis of the Creative Artist," 1962

Carew, Raymond, "Two Men and a Woman," undated

Collins, Charles W.

"The Mark of the Oppressor," undated

"Why Do They Do It?" 1959

Flournoy, Henry, "The Psychiatric Teaching of Adolf Meyer," 1927

Gaddis, Thomas, "Trip to the People-Keepers," 1973

Galdston, Iago, "Psychosomatic Medicine: Past, Present and Future," 1955

Garcia-Buñuel, Leonard, "The Clarinda Plan," undated

Geen, Russel, and Leonard Berkowitz, "The Stimulus Qualities of the Target of Aggression: A Further Study," and "Name-mediated Aggressive Cue Properties," undated

Glueck, Sheldon, and Eleanor Glueck

"Predictability in the Administration of Criminal Justice," 1929

BOX 193

Related materials, 1940-1960, undated

Guttmacher, Manfred, "Psychiatry and the Law," 1953

Kanner, Leo, "Cultural Implications of Children's Behavior Problems," undated

Kanter, Emanuel, "An Introduction to Marxian Psychology," undated

Kemper, Werner, "Die Aufgaben der Seelenheilkunde in der Gegenwart," undated

Kollontay, Alexandra, "Führende Frauen Europas," 1929

BOX 194

- Kraepelin, Emil, "Die Erscheinungsformen des Irreseins," 1920
- Landis, Bernard, "Thorstein Veblen, Social Critic," undated
- Lannox, W. G., E. L. Gibbs, and F. A. Gibbs, "The Inheritance of Epilepsy As Revealed by the Electroencephalograph," 1939
- Mannes, Marya, "The Values We Are Sold," 1958
- Maslow, Vera, "Heidegger," 1964
- Mead, Margaret, "Character Formation in Two South Sea Societies," 1940
- Meeropol, Abel, eulogy for Anne Meeropol (adopted mother of Michael and Robert Rosenberg) [See also Container 26, Rosenberg, Michael and Robert \(Meeropol\)](#); and [Container 214, Meeropol, Anne](#)
- Meyer, Adolf, "Review of 'Psychiatrie: Ein Lehrbuch für Studierende und Aerzte,' by Emil Kraepelin," and "The Psychiatric Career of Kraepelin," 1896, 1926
- Miscellany, undated
- Mosse, Hilde [See also Container 194, Book reviews](#)
- "Child Psychiatry and Social Action," 1977-1981
- "Concrete Analysis," 1961
- "Individual and Collective Violence," 1969
- "The Influence of Mass Media on the Mental Health of Children," 1962
- "Modern Psychiatry and the Law," 1958
- "The Psychotherapeutic Management of Masked Depression in Children," 1969
- "Terrorism and Mass Media,"
- Munzel, Mark, "Public Kill: The Death of the Ache," 1974
- Rubinstein, S. L., "Fundamentals of General Psychology," 1940
- Schilder, Paul
- Articles
- "Der Begriff der Demenz," 1928
- "Das Körperbild und die Sozialpsychologie," 1933
- "Über Stellungnahmen Todkranken," 1927
- "Ueber die kausale Bedeutung des durch Psychoanalyse gewonnenen Materiales," 1921
- Related materials, 1940-1967
- Shoul, Bernice, "The Marxian Theory of Capitalist Breakdown," 1947
- Slovenko, Ralph, and Cyril Phillips, "Psychosexuality and the Criminal Law," 1962
- Smith, Margaret Chase, "'Sick Movies'—A Menace to Children," 1967
- Sokol, Jack, "A Pioneer Approach in the Treatment of Offenders," 1954
- Stekel, Wilhelm, "Der telepathische Traum," undated
- Syz, Hans, "Problems of Perspective from the Background of Trigant Burrow's Group Analytic Researchers," 1959
- Szasz, Thomas, "What Psychiatry Can and Cannot Do," 1962-1973
- Tieplo, B. M., "Soviet Science of Psychology during the Last Thirty Years," 1947
- Tremblay, Francis, various newspaper articles, 1973-1974
- Walters, Richard H., and Edward Thomas, "Enhancement of Punitiveness by Visual and Audiovisual Displays," undated

	Weinerman, E. Richard, "The Anatomy of Anxiety," 1955
	Wilson, Edmund, "Brokers and Pioneers," 1932
	Wolf, K. H., "Der Pariser Kommune-aufstand," undated
	Zolotow, Maurice, "The Psychiatrist at Work," undated
	Unidentified
	General, undated
	"The Unarraigned Criminal," undated
	Book reviews, 1942-1963, undated
	Poems
	French, 1926-1927, 1935-1959, undated
	German, 1922-1938, 1951-1964, undated
BOX 195	Miscellany, 1895, 1904-1974, undated (2 folders)
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BOX 195	Art collection <i><u>See also Container 214, With art collection; and Container 215, same heading</u></i>
	Correspondence
	Flannagan, John, 1931-1973, undated
	Lissitzky, El, correspondence by others regarding Lissitzky, 1946-1982
	Meyer-Chagall, Ida, 1960
	Doodles, drawings, watercolor sketches, and art reproductions, 1914-1973, undated <i><u>See also Oversize</u></i>
	Research files, 1922-1982, undated (2 folders)
	Biographical information
	Wertham, Florence Hesketh
	Art by Hesketh, 1936, undated
	Artist catalogs, 1946-1947
	Biographical articles, 1939, 1945
	Wertham, Fredric
	Biographical articles, 1935-1967, undated
BOX 196	Curriculum vitae, 1948-1981, undated
	"Firsts" in Wertham's professional career, 1945-1964, undated
	Miscellany, 1940-1981, undated
	Obituaries, 1981, undated
	Printed matter citing Wertham, 1937-1982, undated (3 folders)
	Drawings depicting Wertham, 1917, undated <i><u>See Oversize</u></i>
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BOX 209	1920-1922, undated (6 folders)
BOX 210	Mosaic test <u><i>See also Container 215, Mosaic test by Wertham</i></u> Articles Diamond, Bernard L., and Herbert T. Schmale, "The Mosaic Test," 1944 Dörken, Herbert "The Mosaic Test: Review," 1952 "The Mosaic Test: A Second Review," 1956 Kral, V. Adalbert, and Herbert Dörken, "The Influence of Subcortical (Diencephalic) Brain Lesions on Emotionality As Reflected in the Rorschach Color Responses," 1950 Lal, Gobind Behari, "Explore Your Mind with Baby's Blocks," 1944 McCulloch, Thomas L., and John B. Girdner, "Use of the Lowenfeld Mosaic Test with Mental Defectives," 1949 "Navajo Sand Paintings As Decorative Motive," 1923 Wertham, Fredric, "A New Sign of Organic Brain Disease," 1939 Wertham, Fredric, and Lili Golden, "A Differential-Diagnostic Method of Interpreting Mosaics and Colored Block Designs," 1941 Zolotow, Maurice, "A Doctor's Method for Madness," 1944 Zucker, Luise, "The Clinical Significance of the Mosaic and Rorschach Methods," 1950 Correspondence

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- Cambareri, John D., 1953
Lowenfeld, Margaret, 1950-1954
Miscellany, 1948-1952
Zucker, Luise, undated
- BOX 211 Productions of various patients
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- BOX 213 Individuals
 Criminals
 Cammarano, Romeo, undated
 Cianci, Anthony, undated
 Fish, Albert H., x-rays showing needles inserted in groin area,
 undated *See also Oversize*
 Florance, Ralph M. (Harold), undated
 Irwin, Robert (Fenelon), undated
 Kray, Reginald and Ronald ("Kray twins"), undated
 Lavin, Martin J., 1938
 Miscellany, undated
 Sobell, Morton, 1967
 Tilt, Rosalie S., 1947
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 Vivers, Paul, undated
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 Hesketh family, circa 1900
 Wertham, Florence Hesketh, circa 1900-1949
 Wertheimer, Sigmund and Mathilde, circa 1900, undated *See also*
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 Appia, Adolphe, autographed, 1928
 Hitchcock, Alfred (with Wertham), undated *See also Oversize*
 Meeropol, Anne, undated
 Miscellany, 1945, undated
 Paton, Alan, autographed, 1977
 Toller, Ernst, undated
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Personal

Group shots, circa 1920-circa 1970

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At Bluehills, Kempton, Pa. (Wertham's country address), 1969-1978, undated

(4 folders)

Miscellany, circa 1920-1975, undated *See also Oversize*

With art collection (including Hesketh), 1946-1949 *See also*

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"Mike Douglas Show," 1967 *See also Container 185, 1967, Apr.-June, "Mike Douglas Show"*

"Mike Wallace Interview," 1960 *See also Container 185, 1960, 9 Feb.-14 Nov., "Mike Wallace Interview"*

Unidentified, in Wertham's living room, undated

Miscellany, 1935-1968, undated (contains glass slide)

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At 44 Gramercy Park, New York, N.Y. (Wertham's city address), undated

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Locations

Bellevue Hospital, New York, N.Y., records room, undated

Bluehills, Kempton, Pa. (including Hesketh), 1966-1970, undated

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Pisa, Italy, undated

Queens Mental Hygiene Clinic, Jamaica, N.Y., 1951

Santa Fe, N. Mex., trip

Indian dances, 1937

Individuals, 1937

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Wertham with others and on horseback, 1937

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Unidentified, undated

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(2 folders)

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Colored blocks on tray, undated

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Sandbox, undated

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Comic books, 1948-1973, undated *See also Containers 92 and 117, same heading*

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Nazi concentration camp victims, negatives, circa 1945

Pathological art, photographic reproductions, 1926-1929, undated *See also Container 6, same heading*

"Saturday Night Club" of H. L. Mencken, Baltimore, Md., 1937, undated

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Chapin, Kenneth

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Cioffi, Alphonse, 1934, undated (Container 18)

Cirinsone, James (J. Corona), 1941-1954, undated (Container 18)

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	Patient case file, 1933, 1953 (Container 20)
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	Johnson, May, 1949 (Container 22)
	Koslow, Jack
	Patient case file, 1952-1954 (Container 22)
	Long, Joseph, 1960-1962, undated (Container 23)
	Long, Walter, 1930, 1961, undated (Container 23)
	Lupoli, Ann
	Patient case file, 1951-1961, undated (Container 23)
	Mahoney, Joseph P., 1957 (Container 23)
	Marder, Benjamin, 1933-1934, undated (Container 23)
BOX R 219	Marrone, Ronald P.
	Patient case file, 1952-1957, undated (Container 24)
	Mott, Walter R., 1960-1965 (Container 24)
	Olsson, Harold R., 1961 (Container 24)
	Rosenberg, Michael and Robert (Meeropol) (Container 26)
	Case files
	Rosenberg, Michael, 1948-1962, undated
	(3 folders)
	Rosenberg, Robert, 1953-1954, 1974
	Hebrew Children's Home, Bronx, N.Y., 1950-1951, undated
	Sova, Edward, 1958 (Container 27)
	Spencer, Verlin H.
	Patient case file, 1941-1942, undated (Container 27)
BOX R 220	Squires, La Verne
	Patient case file, 1952-1957 (Container 27)
	(2 folders)
	Tiernan, Helen
	Patient case file, 1937, 1950-1953 (Container 27)
	Tilt, Rosalie
	Patient case file, 1942-1947 (Container 28)
	Urbano, Robert, 1960 (Container 29)
	Vivers, Paul, 1960 (Container 29)
	Wagner, Elizabeth, 1933-1938, undated (Container 29)
	Word, Reagie, 1950 (Container 30)
	Criminal case files

BOX R 221	<p>Fraden, Harlow, 1953-1954 (Container 31)</p> <p>Gerry, Violet</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Patient case file, 1942-1950, undated (Container 31)</p> <p>Heirens, William, 1946 (Container 32)</p> <p>Lancaric, Mary and Sylvester, 1932-1935 (Container 32)</p> <p>Leonski, Edward J., 1976 (Container 33)</p> <p>O'Neill, Francis, murder of, 1937 (Container 33)</p> <p>Psychiatric hospital malpractice cases</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Bellevue State Hospital malpractice investigation, New York, N.Y.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case files, 1936-1940, 1947-1952, undated (Container 35)</p> <p>General</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Mental hospitals (Container 45)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Pathological art, 1924</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case files, 1939, 1951, undated</p> <p>Lafargue Clinic, New York, N.Y.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Marionettes used as a projection method in psychotherapy with children</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case files, 1939-1940 (Container 52)</p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;">(3 folders)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Patient cases and Wertham's involvement in related court actions, 1946-1957 (Container 52)</p>
BOX R 222	<p>Noted individuals</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Wright, Richard, 1943 (Container 67)</p> <p>Psychology (includes psychiatry and psychoanalysis)</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Insanity, simulated</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">General, 1929 (Container 82)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case file, James Ginsberg, 1942, 1952 (Container 82)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case file, Philip R. Bean, 1938-1944 (Container 84)</p> <p>Schizophrenia</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Patient case file, 1927 (Container 90)</p> <p>Quaker Emergency Service Readjustment Center, New York, N.Y.</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">Patient case files (Container 90)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Guthrie, Woodrow Wilson, 1949</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Miscellany, 1949-1951</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Sykora, William S., 1949-1951</p> <p>Writings</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><i>Seduction of the Innocent</i> (1954)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">General research files (Container 121)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Patient case files</p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;">Guyon, Robert, 1945-1952</p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;">Lucas, Edward, 1948, 1954, undated</p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;">Miscellany, 1948-1952</p> <p style="padding-left: 60px;">Peebles, Robert, 1947-1950</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;"><i>The Show of Violence</i> (1949)</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">General research files</p>

Medea complex and catathymic crisis, patient case file, 1949
(Container 130)

BOX OV 1-OV 2

Oversize, 1917-1961

Photographs, drawings, art reproductions, poster, and scrapbook. Arranged and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed.

BOX OV 1

Research Files

Lafargue Clinic, New York, N.Y.

Lafargue, Paul, with related materials about his nephew, undated
(Container 52)

Scrapbook, 1942-1954, undated (Container 52)

BOX OV 2

Noted individuals

Lenin, Vladimir I., undated (Container 58)

Writings

By Wertham

Books

Seduction of the Innocent (1954)

Related materials

Illustrations

1954 edition

Photographic reproductions

General, undated (Container 127)

Shorter works

Public speaking engagements

Speeches and lectures

1961

11 Apr., "Psychotherapy in a Changing World," A. Jonas Berg
Memorial Lecture (Container 188)

Personal Miscellany

Art collection

Doodles, drawings, watercolor sketches, and art reproductions, 1940,
1960, undated (Container 195)

Drawings depicting Wertham, 1917, undated (Container 196)

Photographs

Individuals

Criminals

Fish, Albert H., x-rays showing needles inserted in groin area, undated
(Container 213)

Family

Wertheimer, Sigmund and Mathilde, undated (Container 213)

General

Hitchcock, Alfred (with Wertham), undated (Container 214)

Wertham, Fredric

Personal

Single shots

Miscellany, circa 1923, undated (Container 214)

Professional

Group shots

Miscellany, 1949, undated (Container 214)

Single shots

Miscellany, undated (Container 215)

Appendix A: Abbreviations Used by Wertham

Abbreviation	Used for
AM	Adolf Meyer
c [with line above]	Latin for <i>cum</i> , which means <i>with</i> in English
cb's	comic books
dev.	developmental psychology
DL	Dark Legend
Fr	Sigmund Freud
h.s.	homosexuality
Kr	Emil Kraepelin
psya	psychoanalysis
SOTI	Seduction of the Innocent
SOV	Show of Violence

Appendix B: Code Words and Symbols Used by Wertham

Code Word or Symbol	Used for
Benitism	Fascism
Carlism/Carlist	Marxism/Marxist
Daniels	Communism
endology	development of a political philosophy from within another system
Khrushchevism	Communism under Khrushchev
Lampenputzen	revolution
Leo	Leon Trotsky
Marvel	Quaker Readjustment Center
Rosa	Rosa Luxemburg
Rx	notes, messages
Scythia	Russia
Zurich bed	Lenin
[inverted square "U" conjoined with square "U"]	stylized FW for Fredric Wertham
○	material not used