

Goodman (Harry) Collection

An inventory of Harry Goodman Collection at DC Public Library

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Summary Information

Repository: People's Archive, MLK Library

Creator: Goodman, Harry

Title: Harry Goodman Collection

ID: 075

Date [inclusive]: 1930-1957

Physical Description: 2 Linear feet

Physical Description: 3 Boxes

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Biographical / Historical

Harry Goodman was born in Brooklyn, New York on June 22, 1912. He attended Alexander Hamilton High School, followed by two years at New York University. At the age of 15, he had his first newspaper job as a reporter for the Brooklyn Citizen. When he was 16, he became a photographer for the Metro News Service in New York. In 1932, Goodman moved to Philadelphia and worked for a weekly pictorial magazine. After the magazine closed in 1933, he relocated to Washington, D.C. and took a job with the Harris and Ewing News Service. The following year, he became an Assistant Manager at the Washington Star, and in 1965, he was promoted to Manager of the Photographic Advertising Department. As a member of the White House Photographers Association, Goodman was present for many official visits from heads-of-state and inauguration ceremonies. In 1977, he retired from the Star, but continued working as a freelance photographer. He also worked for the Keystone News Service, retiring a second time in the mid-1980s. Goodman married his wife, Sara, on March 5, 1934 and they had two sons, Fred and Jeff. He was a founder and choir director of the old Beth Israel Congregation and a member of the Amity Club B'nai Israel Synagogue and Samuel Gombers-Benjamin Franklin Masonic Lodge. Additionally, Goodman taught photography at Southeastern University. He suffered a heart attack, which he survived, in the White House pressroom in 1979. Goodman died of pneumonia at Sibley Memorial Hospital on July 28, 1992.

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Scope and Contents

This collection contains undated photographs of floods in the D.C. area; photographs of the King of England's visit to D.C. in 1939; inauguration parade, ball, and ceremony materials from 1953 and 1957; White House News Photographers Association programs from 1947-1957; and a handful of historic editions of the Washington Star.

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Arrangement

Processed without series.

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Revision Description

Finding aid revised to be more evergreen. 2020-11-03

Custodial History

The collection was donated to the Library in August 2006 by Fred E. Goodman, the son of Harry Goodman.

Processing Information

Basic archival procedures were used at the time of processing.

Conditions Governing Use

Some material may be copyrighted or restricted. It is the patron's obligation to determine and satisfy copyright or other case restrictions when publishing or otherwise distributing materials found in the collections.

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Related Materials

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Collection 061: Washington Star Papers

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Controlled Access Headings

- Photographs
- Natural disasters
- Kings, queens, rulers, etc
- Evening Star Newspaper Co.
- Presidents
- Inauguration

Collection Inventory

| Series 1 | | | |
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| Title/Description | Instances | | |
| Check Cashing Identification Card - Food Fair Super Market, Undated | Box 1 | Folder 1 | |

| Inaugural Ball - Press Pass, 1953 | Box 1 | Folder 2 |
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| Inaugural Ball - Press Pass, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 3 |
| Inaugural Ball - Program, 1953 | Box 1 | Folder 4 |
| Inaugural Ball - Program, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 5 |
| Inaugural Ball - Working Pass, Undated | Box 1 | Folder 6 |
| Inaugural Ceremony - Invitation, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 7 |
| Inaugural Ceremony - Press Pass, 1953 | Box 1 | Folder 8 |
| Inaugural Ceremony - Press Pass, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 9 |
| Inaugural Ceremony - Program, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 10 |
| Inaugural Ceremony - Tickets, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 11 |
| Inaugural Parade - Program, 1953 | Box 1 | Folder 12 |
| Inaugural Parade - Program, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 13 |
| War Bond Wallet and Register, Undated | Box 1 | Folder 14 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1947 | Box 1 | Folder 15 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1949 | Box 1 | Folder 16 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1950 | Box 1 | Folder 17 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1951 | Box 1 | Folder 18 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1953 | Box 1 | Folder 19 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Program, 1956 | Box 1 | Folder 20 |
| White House News Photographers Association - Tickets, 1957 | Box 1 | Folder 21 |
| Photograph - Queen Elizabeth at Mt. Vernon, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 1 |
| Photograph - King George and President Roosevelt, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 2 |
| Photograph - King George - Washington DC, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 3 |
| Photograph - King George - Boarding Ship - Washington DC, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 4 |
| Photograph - King George and President Roosevelt at Washington's Tomb - Mt. Vernon, 1969 | Box 2 | Folder 5 |
| Photograph - Queen Elizabeth and Mrs. Roosevelt, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 6 |
| Photograph - King George and Queen in Washington DC, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 7 |
| Photograph - King George and Mrs. Roosevelt at Mt. Vernon, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 8 |
| Photograph - King George and President Roosevelt, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 9 |
| Photograph - King George of England at Mt. Vernon, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 10 |
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| Photograph - King George - Washington DC, 1939 | Box 2 | Folder 11 |
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| Photograph - Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 12 |
| Photograph - Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 13 |
| Photograph - Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 14 |
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| Photograph - Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 50 |
| Photograph - Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 51 |
| Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 52 |
| Flood - Washington DC, Undated | Box 2 | Folder 53 |
| Star Issues, October 29 1930, April 13 1949, December 16 1952 | Box 3 | Folder 1 |
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