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Summary:

Title: Donna Musa Scrapbooks

Span Dates: 1933-1941 Creator: Unknown

Repository: Marshall University Special Collections, Morrow Library (Huntington, WV)

Processed by: Elizabeth James, 2019 Accession Number: 1982/09.0369 Date Completed: January, 2020 Access to Collection: Open

Extent: 2.5 feet
Donor: Donna Musa

Search terms:

World War II Scrapbooks Political cartoons

Biographical Notes:

N/A

Scope and Content:

This collection consists of twelve scrapbooks found by the donor at an estate sale near Wheeling, West Virginia. These scrapbooks contain newspaper clippings grouped into various subject categories concerning Germany's advance in Europe. Groups include political cartoons, map, and articles by several columnists, including David Lawrence, Westbrook Pegler, and Dorothy Thompson. The "Youngstown Vindicator and the Youngstown Telegram" seem to be the newspapers.

Processing Notes:

This collection was already processed at the time the finding aid was created. Minimal changes to folder titles, order, or content were made.

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Container

Contents

Box 1

- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings containing information on both the lead into and the progress of the war. Sept 3, 1939 – March 1940
- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings containing information on both the lead into and the progress of the war. March, 1940

 – August 1941

Box 2

- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings of political cartoons depecting the second world war both pro and con sides are depicted. Ranges from pre-war to the early stages of World War II before U.S intervention (268 pages)
- A scrapbook containing newspaper clippings of maps depicting various nations from 1939-1940 in relation to World War II. The scrapbook also contains newspaper clippings of photographs of world leaders, war destruction, locations in Europe as well as various other war related photographs. Also contained within are political cartoons related to the economic side of the war effort. (62 pages)
- Scrapbook with a label of "Germany" containing newspaper clippings related to Nazi Germany such as the economy, military plans and government plans. Dates ranging from 1934 – 1941 (90 pages)
- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings, detailing information about the World War II including information on Japan, China, Germany the U.S and Russia. Topics such as military plans, economies, foreign policy and day to day information. 1941-1942 (152 pages)
- A scrapbook containing newspaper articles from World War II, specifically numerous articles written by Dorothy Thompson, Drew Pearson and David Lawrence. This articles cover topics such as U.S foreign and domestic policy,

war developments and economic policy/issues. 1940-1941

- A scrapbook containing newspaper clippings of articles written by journalist Drew Pearson. 1939-1940 detailing U.S foreign and domestic policy, fears of U.S invasion, military predictions for both Nazi Germany and the U.S as well as information regarding Japans military. (150+ pages)
- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings of articles written by journalist David Lawrence. 1940 – 1941 detailing U.S foreign and domestic policy, fears of U.S invasion, military predictions for both Nazi Germany and the U.S as well as information regarding Japans military movements. (133 pages)
- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings of articles written by journalist Oswald Villard. The articles contain information primarily on England during World War II including economic worries, foreign policy and military developments. The document also contains articles written about the Balkan countries involvement in World War II. (22 pages)
- Scrapbook containing articles written by journalist Westbrook
 Pegler including his opinion column "Fair Enough". The articles focus on day to day war events, as well as religious discussions. (106 pages)
- Scrapbook containing museum articles written by journalist Dewitt Mackenzie discussing negotiations for peace on the eve of war as well as anti-German blockades. (26 pages)