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PROVENANCE

Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Barnett, 1988, 1989.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Michail M. Dorizas, athlete, educator, traveler, received his Ph.D., 1924 from the University of Pennsylvania. He taught economic and political geography at the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania from 1919-1929 as an Instructor and from 1929-1957 as Assistant Professor. He was known as the world's strongest man, representing Greece in three Olympic games. As a student at the University of Pennsylvania, he excelled in football, track and field, and wrestling, holding the intercollegiate championship title for three straight years. He went on three world tours and served in the United States Army during World War I.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

Correspondence between Mike Dorizas and Benjamin Rose Hoffman make up almost the entirety of this collection. These letters document their strong friendship and cover the following topics: wrestling and other sporting activities at the University of Pennsylvania, travel, service during World War I, and his early teaching career at the University. There are photoprints, programs, tickets, announcements, publications, broadsides, and clippings relative to these same interests.

Additional materials located at the Balch Institute for Ethnic Studies.

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INVENTORY

Box 1	FF 1	January - February, 1913
	FF 2	June, 1913
	FF 3	November - December, 1913
	FF 4	January, 1914
	FF 5	February, 1914
	FF 6	March - April, 1914
	FF 7	May - June, 1914
	FF 8	September, 1914
	FF 9	October, 1914
	FF 10	November, 1914
	FF 11	December, 1914
	FF 12	January - February, 1915
	FF 13	March, 1915

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Correspondence (cont.)

Box 1	FF 14	April, 1915
	FF 15	May - June 1915
	FF 16	July, 1915
	FF 17	August - September, 1915
	FF 18	October - December, 1915
	FF 19	January - February, 1916
	FF 20	March, 1916
	FF 21	April - May, 1916
	FF 22	June - July, 1916
	FF 23	August - December, 1916
	FF 24	1917
	FF 25	January - March, 1918
	FF 26	April - June, 1918
	FF 27	July - December, 1918
	FF 28	1919
	FF 29	1920
	FF 30	January - April, 1921
	FF 31	May - July, 1921

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Correspondence (cont.)

Box 1	FF 32	August - December, 1921
	FF 33	January, May, 1922
	FF 34	July, 1922
	FF 35	August, 1922
	FF 36	September, 1922
	FF 37	October - December, 1922
	FF 38	January, 1932
	FF 39	February - March, 1923
	FF 40	April - May, 1923
	FF 41	June - August, 1923
	FF 42	1924
	FF 43	1925
	FF 44	1926
	FF 45	1928
	FF 46	1930
	FF 47	1931
	FF 48	1933
	FF 49	n.d.

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Correspondence (cont.)

Box 1	FF 50	Envelopes (xeroxes)
	FF 51	Test papers, 1912, n.d.
	FF 52	Notebook -- History
	FF 53	School notes, n.d.
	FF 54	Miscellaneous notes, n.d.
	FF 55	Bank account book, 1912-1913
	FF 56	Photoprints

Printed Materials

	FF 57	University of Pennsylvania - Measurements and tests
	FF 58	Programs
	FF 59	Tickets/Announcements
	FF 60	The Rattle, 1915 (Theta Chi)
	FF 61	The Rattle, 1916 (Theta Chi)
	FF 62	Boy's Life, 1914
	FF 63	Local newsletters and newspapers
	FF 64	Public Ledger, Sports Magazine
	FF 65	Clippings -- Sports
	FF 66	Clippings -- Greece and war
	FF 67	Clippings -- Miscellaneous

Printed Materials (cont.)

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Broadsides

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