

**MELANIE KECK SPITTA PAPERS, circa 1930-1948**  
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**Melanie Keck Spitta Papers Inventory**

1. Photograph of German Roma belonging to the Sinti group, circa 1930-1933. Image of wooden chair in front of woman in white shirt and polka-dot skirt, girl in print shirt and plaid skirt, and man in beard and suspenders; outside open plank door; picket fence in background at left, circa 1930-1933. Inscribed on verso handwritten black ink: "Otto Pankok / mit Ringela und Ir Saubstummer / Oinili / 1930-33"; in pencil "OPI581".
2. Photograph of German Roma belonging to the Sinti group, circa 1948. Image of a girl holding a baby as four youth's play stringed musical instruments; a boy looks on from the left, circa 1948. Inscribed on verso handwritten black ink: "Höhnveg. Ouneldof 1948 / Auf den Bett vilgerd Felseli / Naclmame Vielleidt / Ernst / Danebe mit Fufs auf dem BEtt Simpo Vireuz / var den Bett sifad Rigo Mett bad links am Rand Urbah Kreug links mit Kappe und Gitane vielleidt ein Schmif tedh anper mit Kind, Frau odr Huern va Fiemann"; in pencil "OP4276/5".
3. Photograph of German Roma belonging to the Sinti group, circa 1930-1933. Image of four covered wagons, horses, women and children on scrubby plain; low buildings and tall antennas in the far distance. Inscribed on verso, handwritten black ink: "Heinefeld 1930-33"; penciled "OPI596".
4. Photograph of German Roma belonging to the Sinti group, circa 1948. A woman and six children standing outside of a wagon trailer; another child and dogs approach. Inscribed on verso, handwritten black ink: "HôerVeg. 1948 / Es Kannk dr Wager va Ossi Mettbad seil."; penciled "OP4276/2".
5. Photograph of a Sinti woman, undated.