

**JERRY SHMOYS COLLECTION, 1940-1945**  
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Supplemental material:

Below is an inventory of the Jerry Shmoys collection.

- .1 **Postcard**; written by Majer Kac (Jerry's maternal uncle) to "A. Szmojs" in New York; handwritten in black ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika; dated September 9, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: "...from my uncle (my mother's brother) who lived in Lodz before the war"
- .2 **Scrip**; "Zwei Mark"; printed in rose and brown ink; recto: "Quittung/über/Zwei Mark/Der Aelteste der Juden/in Litzmannstadt" and printed signature of Chaim Rumkowski, "2" in lower right corner, "N° 211700" printed in red ink along right side; verso: image of menorah with "2" in circles on either side, large "2" in lower left corner; dated March 15, 1940; Litzmannstadt, Poland; in German
- .3 **Postcard**; written by Sima Cukor to "A. Szmojs" in New York; handwritten in green ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika; dated August 15, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: "...from a friend of my parents, lived in next building – apparently moved. Son was my friend (Ryszard)"
- .4 **Postcard**; written by Józef Chanarin to "Szmojs" in New York; typed in black ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika; dated August 30, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: "...from my parents' friends"
- .5 **Postcard**; written by Józef Chanarin to "A. Szmojs" in New York; handwritten in blue ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika; dated November 9, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: "...from my parents' friends"
- .6 **Postcard**; written by Jakub Wolf Zymon to "Mr. Szmojs" in New York; handwritten in blue ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika; dated September 27, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: "...from my parents' friends"
- .7 **Postcard**; written by Henryk Mavczak to "A. Szmojs" in New York; handwritten in black ink on recto and verso; recto: preprinted purple ink "GeneralGouvernement" postage stamp in

upper right corner, red ink stamp over recipient address with image of Nazi eagle and swastika, white stamp with red “R” and “Warschau C1/633” in black ink adhered to left of postage; dated September 27, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish and German; *Jerry notes*: “...*from my parents’ friends*”

- .8 **Letter**; 2 letters written on recto and verso of one page, one written by Józef Chanarin to “Szmajs” in New York; handwritten in blue ink on recto and verso; dated October 13-17, 1941; Warsaw, Poland; in Polish; *Jerry notes*: “...*from my parents’ friends*”
- .9a-e **Letter**; 5 pages, handwritten in blue ink on recto and verso on graph paper and lined pages; written by “Salek” (Jerry’s cousin); dated September 25, 1945; in Polish