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Title: Mogilev Oblast Archive records, 1941-1945

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Provenance: The records were created by the Mogilev City Administration, oblast government offices in Bobruysk, and German occupation agencies during World War II. The records were captured by the Red Army and later deposited in the Mogilev Oblast Archive. The United States Holocaust Memorial Museum Archives microfilmed selected files from the Mogilev Oblast Archives during the fall of 1991.

Historical Note: The city of Mogilev was in German hands from 27 July 1941 to 28 June 1944. Throughout this time, it was under military jurisdiction. The Germanized name of the indigenous mayor was Johann Felicin. The archival collections include also considerable materials of the city of Bobruisk, which was under military rule as well. The Mayor of Bobruisk was Adam J. Stankevich, who is not to be confused with the mayor of Borisov, Stanislav Stankevich.

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Scope and Content: These files relate to the activities of various Mogilev city administration offices and German occupation agencies in the Mogilev area during World War II. Included is information about criminal proceedings, the persecution of Soviet Jews, the confiscation of Jewish property, reprisals against Jewish and partisan resistance, regulations for mixed marriages, the Mogilev ghetto, the transit of refugees, Einsatzkommando activities, forced labor,

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census statistics, and partisan clashes with police forces.

***Note:** For measures by Einsatzkommando 8 of the German Security Police against Jews in the Mogilev area, see the following operational reports by the Reichssicherheitshauptamt/IV-A-1, German National Archives, R 58: no. 43, 5 August 1941; no. 67, 29 August 1941; no. 108, 9 October 1941; no. 124, 25 October 1941; no. 125, 26 October 1941; no. 133, 14 November 1941; no. 147, 17 December 1941; and no. 148, 19 December 1941. The total of Jewish victims enumerated in these reports is more than five thousand. The major massacre, with 3,726 victims, occurred on 19 October 1941.

Inventory:

Reel 1:

Fond 255, opis 1: Jail of Ordnungsdienst, Mogilev.

- 6 Includes correspondence (in German and Russian). September - December 1941. 20 pages.

Correspondence of "Ardom" (Security Department) of Mogilev; lists of people whose files were investigated by inspector Lazarenko; lists of people who are arrested; hiring and firing of workers; announcements regarding Christmas.

- 15 Declarations of judicial bureau and sentence of People's Court (in German and Russian). September 1942 - November 1942. 170 pages.

Records about the Ordnungsdienst in Mogilev and punishment ordered by the mayor for violations of blackout regulations; fines for people who did not appear as witnesses; verdicts and court records.

- 18 Lists of possessions and documents of those arrested (in German and Russian). 1943. 27 pages.

Records of rayon Ordnungsdienst; documents relating to people who have "disappeared;" lists of workers in the Security Department; orders regarding money, fines, etc.; equipment necessary to operate the Security Department.

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- 762 Possessions transmitted to the police. Seven pages on possessions. (in Russian) September 1941 - November 1941.

- 765 Lists of arrestees. Among reasons: "for hiding Jews," page 1 and others, and "for being

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- a Jew," page 42 and others (in Russian). September 1941 - September 1943. 189 pages.
- Includes materials about rayon Ordnungsdienst. Lists, disciplinary actions, Ordnungsdienst prison. Releases signed by Army's Geheime Feldpolizei Gruppe 723, Mogilev sector, 18 August 1943.
- 766 Protocols of interrogations. October 1941 - March 1943. 157 pages.
- Records of interrogations of people who committed crimes; includes a punishment order of Ortskommandantur (I) 843, 12 February 1942, imposed on a Russian woman.
- 771 German orders for the arrest of citizens, including Jews (in German). January 1942 - December 1942. 38 pages.
- Arrest orders by Feldkommandantur (I) 813/Feldgendarmeriegruppe, 2 February 1942, affecting Russian civilians. Ordnungsdienst prison and Security Police (SD) prison, Mogilev. Various items of correspondence, 1942, involving Höherer SS- und Polizeiführer Russland Mitte/Ukrainer Battalion, Gruppe Geheime Feldpolizei 723/Russenkommando Mogilev, Mineralölvertreter Mittelost/Lager Mogilev, Polizeiwirtschaftslager, Gruppe Geheime Feldpolizei 716, and city of Mogilev Ordnungsdienst.
- 773 German arrest orders, including for partisan activity (in German). January 1943 - October 1943. 66 pages.
- Correspondence of 1943 of various military, police, and civilian units and organizations in the Mogilev area, including Geheime Feldpolizei Gruppen 723 and 716, Feldgendarmerieabteilung (Mot.) 690, Ortskommandantur 843, Einsatzkommando 8 of the Security Police, Russian Police in Mogilev, Schutzmannschaftsbatallion 55 (Byelorussian), Organisation Todt Arbeitslager Fordwerke, and the 56th Infantry Division of the XII Corps.
- 776 Miscellaneous correspondence, and arrests for partisan activity (in German and Russian). March 1942 - December 1943. 144 pages.
- Security Police prison report, 9 March 1942, noting that two Jewish children were delivered by Ordnungsdienst. Army proclamation promising land to those who denounce or fight partisans, as soon as land distributions take place. Correspondence about arrests and releases. Correspondence regarding arrests of those who left work voluntarily; records of searches of arrested people; records of interrogations.
- 777 Information about arrestees. Lists of those arrested; in last column (reason for arrest) notation "for being a zhid" occurs on pages 2, 44 and others (in Russian). January 1942 -

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March 1942. 100 pages.

Fond 259, opis 1: Administration Department of Mogilev City Administration.

- 5 Number of city employees, etc. page 125; Jews in administration to be counted separately (in Russian). no dates. 186 pages.

Correspondence of rayon administrations, including city of Mogilev; labor statistics; lists of workers' names, occupations, who owns business, and what it produces.

- 7 Correspondence with city Kommandantur regarding prisoners-of-war and partisans, November 1941 - November 1942. Directives for civilian use of trains; requests for a census (29 December 1941); requests by the mayor for the release of prisoners-of-war native to his town; Ortskommandantur (3 February 1942) wants "immediately" a report on whether "jüdische kultstätten" such as synagogues exist, and if so, whether books, scrolls, or other documents with Hebrew script exist there (in German). 337 pages.

Items of Sicherungsdivision 286, to which belonged Feldkommandanturen 683, 813, and 199; correspondence of Feldkommandantur 813 in Mogilev (under the command of Lieutenant Colonel von Jagwitz in 1941 and Colonel Bieneck in 1942) involving personnel matters, Russian newspapers, prisoners-of-war, compensation of local families whose breadwinners worked in Germany, the library, iced sidewalks, bicycles, theater, registration of the population, rations for electrical workers, curfew violations, etc. Correspondence by Felicin about Jewish synagogues (closed by Communist regime, 1935).

- 19 Report list on registering invalids in hospitals. November 1941. 11 pages.

- 22 A man reports that his Jewish wife (they married in 1938) was immediately arrested when the Germans came. Now he wants a divorce, and the mayor has told him it's illegal. 19 March 1942 orders, including one to the mayor to produce the monthly reports on his city (in German and Russian). 513 pages. (continues on reel 2)

Correspondence of Feldkommandantur in Mogilev/VII (Military Government Section, under Oberkriegsverwaltungsrat Grünkorn) and the plenipotentiary of the Feldkommandantur for the indigenous city administration (Kriegsverwaltungsassessor Bessel, his replacement, Sonderführer [Z] Schoetensack) with Felicin, 1941 to the end of 1942, about churches, blackout, city enterprises, head taxes, dog taxes, stray dogs, municipal reports, requests by Christian partners for annulments of mixed marriages with Jews, the utilization of proceeds from confiscated Jewish property by the city administration, compensation of teachers, the electrical plant, escaped prisoners-of-war, welfare payments to refugees, and a statistic, by sex, of population of city of Mogilev (49,107 as of 16 May 1942).

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Reel 2:

Fond 259, opis 1: Administration Department of Mogilev City Administration (continued).

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Replacement of the Ortskommandant, Major Most, 15 June 1942, separation of the city of Mogilev from the rayon Mogilev, 11 May 1942, food supplies for the population, self-help association, films, concentration camp Mogilev, prisoners in Mogilev, organization of the city administration under Felicin, 29 July 1942, organization of the city Ordnungsdienst, salaries, oil storage depots, schools, food rations for Ethnic Germans, taxes, social insurance, work and wage regulations, shortages of bees and wood, lists of banks in the area of the Feldkommandantur. Additional documents pertaining to the city of Orsha.

59 Summons to citizens about requirements to work. no dates. 13 pages.

Includes an item of Einsatzkommando 8, 27 September 1943, involving a release from the criminal prison of the Ordnungsdienst. Correspondence of the General-Administrative Department with the Supply-Trade department on economic matters; employment information on people; clothes needed for institutions and businesses.

Fond 260, opis 1: City Administration of Mogilev, 1941 - 1944.

2 Correspondence with field commander. Attempt to determine whether a person is Jewish; regulations for propaganda (in German). no dates. 32 pages.

Correspondence regarding flour, newspapers, and price controls. Reply by Felicin to an inquiry of the Feldkommandantur/VII about the possible Jewish descent of Emma Dawidowa, 13 November 1941. Economic administrative matters; lists of identifications given to the population; lists of products which are produced within the city's businesses.

8 Includes table of organization of Mogilev city administration (in Russian). no dates. 37 pages.

Lists of departments, occupations within each department, and salaries.

14 Correspondence, including definition of "Jew" on page 21 (in German and Russian). December 1941.

Ortskommandantur order to the mayor, 27 August 1941, to register the population, Jews separately; correspondence between Felicin and the Feldkommandantur, September -

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- October 1941, requesting that Elisabet Winitschenko and her children not be moved into the ghetto because of her non-Jewish mother and husband; Ortskommandantur to the mayor, asking him to vacate 24 houses for police and settling the inhabitants in the former ghetto, 24 November 1941. Administrative-economic matters; information on buildings being rebuild or destroyed; numbers of Russian and Jewish people living in the city.
- 15 Orders from regional military commander to the mayor, includes forced labor of Jews, page 85 (in German and Russian). no dates. 208 pages.
- Correspondence of the Feldkommandantur, Ortskommandantur, and city administration, 1941, with topics including prisoners-of-war, rabid dogs, ferries, prohibitions of travel, traffic regulations, compulsory labor for Jews, fuel, rationing of electricity. Establishment of a marketplace; orders on keeping the city clean; medical care; members of committees in the city; registration of cattle; nominations for posts; delivery of food cards; church attendance.
- 29 Reports includes assessor on sale of Jewish houses, page 71 (in German and Russian). no dates. 102 pages.
- Correspondence of Mogilev municipal administration including items on reorganization of the Technical Division and a report of the Legal Division for April 1942 with statistics of arrests and sales of Jewish houses. Departmental reports from Judicial, Housing, Trade-supply, Administrative, Treasury, Electric, Security, and Medical.
- 37 Correspondence with the local military commander on administrative-economic questions. On page 539, what happened to Jewish gardens. May 1942 - September 1942. 229 pages.
- Materials of the city administration on bicycles, fishery, timber, refugees, floods, window gals, prevention of epidemics, list of buildings owned by Red Army, types of land in possession of the municipal administration, statistics of children, statistics of food supplies, and rations. Economic problems.
- 45 Reports on work of Mogilev city administration for the field Kommandantur. April 1942 - January 1943. 527 pages.
- Monthly situation reports of Mogilev with draft sections, covering mood of the population, theater, unemployment, refugees, control of typhus and tuberculosis, taxes and other receipts, food distribution, sale of Jewish houses, Jews arrested and handed over to German Security Police, Gypsies in detention, workers departing for Germany.
- 52 Correspondence with Kommandantur. January 1943 - June 1943. Reports to

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kommandanten about provisions. Complaints lead to promises by August 1943 of better provisions. List of Volksdeutsche in Mogilev (in German). 53 pages.

Correspondence on salt supply, rationing, thefts of bread, slaughtering, haircuts, coats, etc.

- 54 Correspondence with Justice bureau on construction questions. Various legal decisions by the mayor (in Russian). September 1942 - June 1943. 14 pages.

Law issues such as divorce. Correspondence between Urban-Authority and the Judicial department.

- 98 Roster of employees [shtatnoye raspisanie] plan 1944 - 1945 with positions and salaries (in German and Russian). 18 pages.

Organization of the municipality; staff schedule of Mogilev's Urban Authority; lists of institutions and enterprises within Mogilev along with posts and salaries.

- 105 Orders to Mogilev city administration (in German). Divorces are forbidden; marriages between Jews and non-Jews forbidden, page 6, reverse. A Jew defined by either Jewish community membership or ancestors (in German and Russian). January 1942 - December 1942. 28 pages.

Orders by Felicin on confiscation of furs for the German Army; employment issues; regulations and appearances in Urban Authority buildings; cleaning of city by specific departments; coping with epidemics.

- 146 Map of Mogilev showing location of the ghetto, and a chart of the city government (in German). no dates. 4 pages.

Map prepared by Kommandeur der Bautruppen and showing Jewish quarter, and planned expansion of the Jewish quarter. Organization plan of the municipal administration.

- 149 Correspondence with military Kommandantur (in German). September 1941 - June 1944. 39 pages.

Correspondence on a variety of topics, including cleanliness of barber shops, assistance to families of workers employed in Germany, the Ordnungsdienst prison, schools, evacuations from city quarters, timber supplies, army payments for electricity and water, delivery of bread to prisoner-of-war camp, the municipal budget for 1 April 1944 to 31 March 1945, and an undated draft letter by the mayor to the Feldkommandantur on personal dangers facing him.

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Fond 268, opis 1: German Kommandantur of Mogilev, 1943.

- 3 Correspondence with German authorities, 4 June 1943. Ortskommandantur to Kreisburgermeister prohibiting marriages between Jews and non-Jews (in German). 6 pages.

Correspondence of Mogilev City Administration/Division IV (Ordnungsdienst) on uniforms.

- 6 Directives and memos of Kommandantur. Report on partisans and the damage they did. Copy of Fritz Saukel's "Das Wesen des Grossdeutschen Arbeitseinsatzes" (in German). 74 pages.

Materials including Rayonkommandantur Mogilev (Major Kokott), Brigade 20-B with list of indigenous personnel, Rayon administration Mogilev, Wirtschaftsinspektion Mitte/Chefgruppe Arbeit, and 56th Division. Topics include collection of old clothes, various personnel actions, electrical plant, children of workers sent to Germany, petitions, complaints, list of German medical personnel, and Hilfswillige (indigenous army auxiliaries).

Fond 271, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Medical Public Health Department, 1941 - 1944.

- 98 Correspondence with German Kommandantur (in German). March 1942 - March 1944. 41 pages.

Materials about Mogilev and surrounding areas; school issues; medical supplies; sanitation; charges for medical care.

Reel 3:

Fond 274, opis 1: Mogilev Branch of Belorussian "Self Help" Organization, 1942 - 1944.

- 5 Budget, report on activities. 1943. 32 pages.

Army group Denter regulations in Russian. Feldkommandantur instructions to mayors. Russian Self-Help organization. Ration card for children under 14. Resolution about the taxes and statute of the Society of People's "self-aid" in the city of Mogilev. Activities of the Society of People's Self-help.

- 37 List of property of Self Help and what is being used by refugees. 1943. 17 pages.

- 38 Orders to Self Help Organization. July 1943 - January 1944. 98 pages.

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Ration card for laborers; employment of staff; correspondence.

Fond 276, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Finance Department, 1941 - 1944.

- 5 Orders 1941 applying new income taxes to department members. Activity report of departmental branches; page 69: change in reporting requirements to include sale of Jewish houses (in Russian). 16 September 1941 - 10 November 1941.
- 8 Orders to City Administration, 1941. German orders about taxes and notes, 23 October 1941 and procedures for carrying them out, 19 November 1941 (in German and Russian). 10 pages.
- 15 Inspection of Self-Help Organization (in Russian). no dates. 4 pages.
- Inspection of financial and economic activities of the Self-help organization; how money was spent and what purpose are these activities.
- 53 Orders to the City Administration, 1941 - 1942. Relatively complete set of German orders to the City Administration beginning June 1941 - April 1942 (in Russian). 311 pages.
- Correspondence about collection of furs; field glasses; food rations for Ethnic Germans; repair of buildings; curfews; supply of electricity; library hours; tax payment schedules of buildings (Boden- und Gebäudesteuern) enacted as of 1 January 1942, in proclamation of the city administration, 16 March 1942.
- 81 German declaration about the new tax system, "Mitte." Tax regulations and explanations of the tax plan (in Russian). 1942 - 1943. 27 pages.

Fond 281, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Engineering Department, 1941 - 1944.

- 16 German orders concerning Russian workers; Mogilev census and budgets (in German). no dates. 46 pages.
- Correspondence in German and Russian about peat bogs; energy needs; native auxiliaries in the German army; sand for sidewalks; fences; city population of Mogilev as of 15 April 1942 (47,160); flood damage; regulation for health and accident insurance for bookkeeping of municipality, and for taxes; theft of cigars; the municipal budget for fiscal year 1 April 1944 - 31 March 1945. Economic questions; supply of water to the German Army Command.

Fond 287, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Labor Bureau, 1941 - 1944.

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- 5 Correspondence with German authorities regarding administrative-economic questions, November 1941 - June 1944. Request for assistance for returned prisoners-of-war; request from citizens for release from Arbeitseinsatz in Germany (in German). 58 pages.

Correspondence about unemployed teachers; municipal deliveries of food on credit to German offices and units; hospitalization costs of workers in German service; workers in Germany; registration of school dropouts; status of native auxiliaries in German army; induction of laborers for work in the Reich and petitions for exemption; head tax; officers of the city administration.

Fond 289, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Ecclesiastical Department.

- 1 Lists of priests, clergy, and other employees of Mogilev churches (in Russian). no dates. 12 pages.

Fond 291, opis 1: Bureau of Vital Statistics, Mogilev City administration, 1941 - 1944.

- 5 Divorces (Germans made divorce illegal) (in Russian). December 1941 - 1943. 12 pages.

- 7 Statement on registration of marriages, etc. (in Russian). no dates. 14 pages.

Fond 300, opis 1: District Administration of Propysk (Mogilev Oblast), 1941 - 1942.

- 1 Statements of citizens regarding German reprisals against several Jews (in German). 18 October 1941 - 17 December 1941. 16 pages.

Correspondence by Feldkommandantur 549 in Propoisk about the Ordnungsdienst involving looting of Jewish property in Krasnopolye, 50 miles southeast of Mogilev.

- 2 Orders by mayor and correspondence with field and local Kommandanture regarding organizational questions. 15 December 1941 - 19 September 1942. German Verordnungen to local labor (in German and Russian). 335 pages.

Correspondence of Ortskommandantur in Propoisk on Hilfswillige (native auxiliaries in the German army); salaries of municipal officials; laborers to the Reich; hospital in Propoisk; confiscation of Russian uniforms in the hands of the civilian population, of bicycles for the Ordnungsdienst, and of horsedrawn carts; cleaning of chimneys; Ordnungsdienst men killed by partisans; mine clearing; inoculations; clearing of trees along the road. Correspondence of Ortskommandantur in Cerikov on ID's; newspapers; curfews; provision for families of workers in the Reich; wage regulations for skilled and unskilled labor, men and women, with proviso that Jews receive eighty percent of the

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lowest wage. Order of High Command of the Army (OKH), 24 April 1943, specifying preferential treatment of Soviet officers, politruks, and soldiers, deserting from the Red Army and surrendering to the Germans. Feldkommandantur 516 in Cerikov to Mayor in Propoisk, 29 July 1942, requesting search for unreliable collaborators.

Fond 302, opis 1: Cherikov District Administration (Mogilev Oblast), 1941 - 1942.

- 1 Protocol of interrogations of citizens, acts of executing partisans and Jews, and orders to the head of the guard on guard duty. Attempts to locate partisans and their sympathizers, including details about a major execution which took place because some individuals helped Jews. 5 March 1942. Jew shot trying to escape (page 89). Detailed descriptions from interrogations (in German). 149 pages.

Correspondence of units and offices in Cerikov, including the Ortskommandantur, Geheime Feldpolizei, Police Battalion 317, the mayor of Cerikov, and the chief of the Ordnungsdienst in Cerikov (Zygmunt Maximjuk). Topics cover slaughter of pigs and other animals; shooting by Feldgendarmetrietrupp in Cerikov of the Jew Salomon Plotkin on 28 October 1941 for not wearing the star; measures against partisans; reports of Soviet soldiers in villages; thefts; denunciations; complaint of abuse by a husband; shooting of a 14-year old boy by mistake; and interrogation of a captured Soviet parachutist.

Fond 304, opis 1: Bykov District Administration (Mogilev Oblast), 1942 - 1943.

- 4 Protocols; interrogation of arrestees regarding canceling of taxes paid by the poor. October 1942 - November 1943. In Russian. 46 pages.

Fond 418, opis 1: Mogilev City Administration, Inventory/Technical Bureau, 1941 - 1944.

- 1 Houses sold. See first two pages, Jewish houses sold. November 1941 - March 1942. In Russian. 120 pages.

Acts of evaluation of Jewish houses that are destined to be sold; the lists of the already sold houses and acts of receiving purchased houses; lists of Jews who own houses.

Fond 838, opis 1: Bobruysk City Jail, 1941 - 1944.

- 14 Statements on booking and releasing, including some persons sent to jail on suspicion of aiding partisans (in German and Russian). August 1943. 132 pages.

Fond 838, opis 3: Bobruysk City Jail, 1941 - 1944 (continued).

- 1 Correspondence with city police and Kommandantur in Bobruisk area regarding questions of prisoners (in both German and Russian). September 1942 - October 1942.

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148 pages.

Undated printed instructions labeled "Polizeiwesen," describing "Gemeindepolizei" (indigenous police with white armband under mayors), Ordnungsdienst I and II (indigenous police in criminal and state police sections assigned to SS Einsatzkommando) and Ordnungsdienst III and IV (reporting to rayon chiefs or mayor under overall supervision of the German army. Regulation for pay, rations, etc.

Fond 840, opis 1: Bobruysk Oblast Police, 1941 - 1944.

- 2 Searches for those who escaped from the prisoner-of-war labor camp in Bobruisk; correspondence. 1943. 86 pages.

Fond 840, opis 3: Bobruysk Oblast Police, 1941 - 1944 (continued).

- 1 Report by propagandists. January 1944 - February 1944. 76 pages.
- 2 Complaints to oblast police. January 1943 - May 1944. 6 pages.

Fond 845, opis 1: Osipovich District Administration (Bobruysk Oblast).

- 1 Rosters. January 1942.
- 5 [UNDESCRIBED]
- 12 Activity reports, identifying partisans as biggest morale problem (in Russian). 1943 - 1944. 18 pages.

Reel 4:

Fond 851, opis 1: Osipovitch District Police (Bobruysk Oblast), 1941 - 1944.

- 12 Protocols of those arrested (in Russian). September 1941 - 1944. 242 pages.
- 13 Protocols of those arrested and of searches (in German and Russian). December 1941 - April 1942. 159 pages.

Correspondence of Ortskommandantur in Ossipovichi and Gendarmerie and Schutzmannschaft in Rudensk. Topics include arrest of Kowal Ali Ibraginowitsche as a suspected Jew and released from prison.

- 14 Protocols of those arrested and searched, and miscellaneous (in Russian). May 1942 - August 1943. 94 pages.

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Fond 306, opis 1: Mogilev Oblast [Soviet] Extraordinary Commission, 1944 - 1945.

- 1 Protocol of Extraordinary Commission meetings. 1944 - 1945. 6 pages.
- 7 Summary data, lists by sector-city. Summary: 30,000 city residents killed by Nazis, and 40,000 prisoners-of-war in the Lupolov camp near airport. Many pages about property damage. In Russian. no dates. 184 pages.
- 9 Lists of Soviet citizens "shot, hung, tortured, sent to slave labor in Germany," for Mogilev, Propysk, Dribinsk, and Kruglyan districts. All Belorussian names. no dates. 106 pages.
- 9a Lists of Soviet citizens "shot, hung, tortured, sent to slave labor in Germany," for Mogilev, Propysk, Dribinsk, and Kruglyan districts. All Belorussian names. no dates. 117 pages.
- 10 Lists of German war criminals. Mentions Jews pages 48-49, 57-58. Page 57 is an Akt (deposition) dating from October 1943. 106 pages.
- 112 Damage to archives. no dates. 18 pages.
- 115 Additional scraps of information. On page 16 is a copy of a statement [akt] dated 29 November 1941. Date of delat is 1969-1978.

Fond 858, opis 1: Bobruysk City Administration, 1941 - 1944.

- 12 Lists of department heads and miscellaneous. Page 8 is census (30 October 1941) of Bobruysk showing that of 38,348 population, 6002 are Jewish. As of that date there are also 641 Jewish refugees in town. In German and Russian. September 1941 - December 1941. 66 pages.

Report of the Mayor of Bobruisk on population of the city by nationality (total: 48,921, including 6,643 Jews). List of enterprises and renaming of streets in Bobruisk. Ortskommandantur I (V) 685 in Bobruisk on blackout.
- 18a/b Orders, also on persons who have moved into evacuated Jewish houses (in German and Russian). July 1941 - December 1941 and August 1941 - March 1942. 154 pages.

Correspondence of indigenous administration of Bobruisk (Stankevich) to the end of the year, on seizure by local people of apartments and their contents previously in possession of Jews or Communists; unemployment, etc. Various proclamations by Stankevich are in Russian.

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- 19 Orders and directives establishing German rule in Bobruysk. Page 45 is an order of 8 October 1941 to the mayor to make monthly reports. One report is about "Jewish matters." In German and Russian. 57 pages.

Correspondence of Der Gebietskommissar für das Gebiet Bobruiskstadt and Feldkommandantur 581 in Bobruisk with the city administration, dealing with prices, distribution of clothing, demonstrations, appointments and dismissals of city functionaries, and reporting. Bobruisk did not become a part of the Generalbezirk White Ruthenia and the Gebietskommissar's letters to the city administration were requests and recommendations. His presence was based on an order by Hitler anticipating a change to civilian control. (see National Archives RG-242, T 501, roll 6, frame 558)

- 21 Orders, etc. of City Administration and German authorities. November 1941 - April 1942.

Proclamations, including a call for workers needed in Germany signed by Generalleutnant Wolfgang Weigand. Regulations by the Feldkommandantur regarding receipts of enterprises. Army regulations about taxes.

- 30 Reports from departments (in German and Russian). December 1941 - July 1942. 198 pages. (continues on reel 5)

Generalinspektor für das deutsche Strassenwesen/Organisation Todt Linienchef für Durchgangsstrassen VII und VIII/Abschnittsbauleitung Bobruisk to city administration of Bobruisk on need for a new building. Draft of Rayonleiter of Borisov to mayor of Borisov on self-help.

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Fond 858, opis 1: Bobruysk City Administration, 1941 - 1944 (continued).

- 30 continued from reel 4.

- 40 Correspondence with Kommandantur, August 1941 - July 1942. Includes documents on German regulation of supplies, taxes, profits, etc. in Bobruysk, including instructions for use of items confiscated from Jews (pages 27, 242). In German and Russian. 362 pages. Correspondence of Wirtschaftskommando "Bunzlau," Ortskommandantur I (V) 274, Gebietskommissar in Bobruisk, Sicherungsbrigade 203, Feldkommandantur 581, and the mayor of Bobruisk. Topics include barbers' tools; an Ortskommandantur request for a table lamp from Judennachlasslager (Jewish estate depot); various requests for repairs, bedframes, trucks; a request by the mayor not to use hand grenades for fishing; city concerns about recovery of firewood from demolished buildings; city-owned enterprises;

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thefts; health measures; sales taxes and tax penalties; rationing; use of Russian rather than Byelorussian as official language; use of oil; killing by partisans of the Klichev mayor, Vladimir Tichanovich; trusteeship administration of real estate; SS needs for its hospital from former Jewish apartments and other buildings.

- 88 Lists of prisoners of war from local cities, in local camps (in Russian). November 1941 - December 1941. 22 pages.

City administration of Bobruisk.

- 96 Lists of those arrested, held in ghetto (pages 1, 10). List of Jews living in ghetto on 22 December 1941 (pages 3-4) (in Russian). December 1941 - January 1942. 23 pages.

- 407 Report on infectious diseases (in Russian). September 1941 - January 1942. 57 pages.

Municipal hospital in Bobruisk.

Fond 859, opis 1: Bobruysk District Administration, 1941 - 1944.

- 1 Rosters and miscellaneous. December 1942 - August 1943.
- 2 Orders to Administration. May 1942 - January 1944.
- 3 Orders to Administration. November 1942 - October 1943.
- 10 Lists of employees. September 1943 - November 1943. 21 pages.
- 12 Correspondence with City Administration and Kommandantur. February 1942 - November 1942.
- 14 Volume 1 - Volume 3. Correspondence with local Kommandantura. 1942 - 1944.
- 56 Statements of citizens regarding release of relatives from prison. no dates. 16 pages.
- 57 Statements of citizens regarding release of relatives from prison. no dates. 16 pages.
- 58 Information on partisans for December 1943 and miscellaneous. March 1942 - December 1943. 9 pages.

Correspondence of the Feldkommandantur and Forrest Administration in Bobruisk.

- 59 Losses from partisans in 1943. 71 pages.

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69 Estimates and rosters. December 1941 - March 1942. 209 pages.

Rayon budget for 1942, including expenditures for Ordnungsdienst. Population statistics and statistics of employability.

Fond 860, opis 2: Bobruysk District Police, 1941 - 1944.

1 Orders of local Kommandantur to head, district police (in German and Russian). July 1942 - September 1943. 68 pages.

Correspondence of the Ortskommandantur in Bobruisk. Topics cover routine for communications with the mayor and the Ordnungsdienst, and various items involving the Ordnungsdienst, including casualties, disciplinary matters, Ordnungsdienst men volunteering to be Hilfswillige.

3 Orders to city administration regarding census of population (in German and Russian). October 1941 - September 1942. 130 pages.

Regulations for mediation and arbitration in rayons.

5 Orders of head of headquarters, Bobruysk city police, to mayors of rural areas (in Russian). August 1942 - September 1942. 6 pages.

7 Correspondence regarding partisans (in Russian). April 1942 - July 1942. 36 pages.

9 Correspondence with German front police and SD (in Russian). July 1942 - December 1942. 35 pages.

10 Correspondence with German front police and SD (in Russian). September 1943 - November 1943. 25 pages.

11 Reports to Kommandant of Bobruysk (in Russian). January 1943 - March 1943. 38 pages.

26 List of personnel in headquarters; information on battles of police with partisans; police wounded, killed, or deserted to partisans (in Russian). July 1943 - October 1943. 43 pages.

27 Information on partisan activities; situation reports (in Russian). September 1942 - April 1944. 92 pages.

31 Lists of Jews, prisoners-of-war, refugees in Bobruysk district (in Russian). February 1942 - March 1942. 10 pages.

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Fond 860, opis 4: Bobruysk District Police, 1941 - 1944

- 3 Reports to and from heads of strong points; orders to mayors of rural districts (in Russian). December 1941 - April 1943. 176 pages.

Form for awarding a rank to a Ordnungsdienst man in 1943.

Reel 6:

Fond 860, opis 4: Bobruysk District Police, 1941 - 1944 (continued).

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Fond 871, opis 1: Kirov District Police, 1942 - 1943.

- 1 Reports on partisan activities (in Russian). no dates. 71 pages.
- 6 Arrest book from August 1943 showing numerous arrests for ties with partisans, and several for being a partisan (in Russian). 11 pages.

Fond 845, opis 3: Osipovich District Administration (Bobruysk Oblast)

- 1 Orders to the District Administration (in Russian). August 1941 - November 1941. On page 3, required to register. On page 29, regulation announcing renaming of city streets. 48 pages.

Fond 860, opis 1: Bobruysk District Police, 1941 - 1944.

- 16 Includes Einsatzkommandos. January 1944 - June 1944.

Fond 860, opis 2: Bobruysk District Police, 1941 - 1944.

- 4 Orders. List of Einsatzkommandos; orders on arrest of "unreliable people." no dates.
- 13 Material for radio and the newspapers (in Russian). September 1942 - October 1942. 11 pages.

Fond 861, opis 1: Local Kommandantur, Bobruysk, 1943 - 1944.

- 1 Confirmation of appointment, and correspondence. no dates.

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