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TITLE: Oral interview with Fredka Mazia

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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 11 videocassettes (U-Matic), Protection copy
5 videocassettes (VHS), User copy

SUMMARY: Fredka Mazia - a member of Hanoar Hazioni in Zaglembe, Poland. Gives accounts about events in Bedzin and Sosnowiec, including the ghetto life and the deportations. The wife of the Hanoar Hazioni underground officer in Zaglembe, Yuzek Kozoch. A courier for the Jewish underground, she smuggled Jewish women who used forged documents to pretend they were Polish and work as maids in Germany. After discovering that the Gestapo had uncovered her operations, in 1943, escaped to Hungary and in the beginning of 1944 reached Palestine. Met with Yishuv leaders, Ben-Gurion, Golda Meir, Golomb, and others; later returns to Europe as an emissary (Shaliah) in Italy.