

George Fayer portrait photograph collection



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Collection Summary

Title: George Fayer portrait photograph collection

Span Dates: ca. 1940-1950

Call No.: Guide Record

Creator: Fayer, George, photographer.

Extent: ca. 250 photographic prints : gelatin silver ; 41 x 51 cm and smaller

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Prints and Photographs Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

LC Catalog record: <https://lccn.loc.gov/2020632362>

Summary: The photographs depict notable people such as diplomats, military and political leaders, musicians and celebrities, both American and foreign.

Online Content: To see already digitized images from this collection, search our [Online Catalog](#) by call number or descriptive words.

Provenance

Gift; George Fayer; 1945-1946.

Processing History

The George Fayer collection was processed by staff in Prints and Photographs Division. This finding aid contains unverified data from old container lists transcribed by Tori Cox and Gillian Mahoney in 2020. Not all of the groups of material are described at the same level of detail. Finding aid encoded by Kristen Sosinski in August 2020.

Rights Restrictions

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Access Restrictions

The George Fayer portrait photograph collection is open to research.

Requesting Materials

For information about service in the Prints and Photographs Reading Room, including obtaining copies, see "[Information for Researchers.](#)"

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Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Library of Congress, Prints & Photographs Division, George Fayer portrait photograph collection, LOT #####, and item or reproduction number, if available [e.g., LOT 2407, no. 1 or LC-DIG-ppmsca-12345].

Bibliography

Washingtoniana : photographs : collections in the Prints and Photographs Division of the Library of Congress / Kathleen Collins. Washington : The Library, 1989.

Biographical Note

George Fayer was an English portrait photographer who served as the official photographer of the League of Nations. Born June 8, 1892 in Budapest, Hungary. Died Nov. 5, 1950 in Cannes, France.

Scope and Content Note

The George Fayer collection includes portraits of military and political leaders, musicians, scholars, public officials, celebrities and delegates to the United Nations. It also includes notables such as Dean Acheson, Sara Churchill, Charles de Gaulle, Thomas Dewey, Anthony Eden, Jascha Heifetz, John Maynard Keynes, Louis Krasner, Vivian Leigh, Archibald MacLeish, John Pierpont Morgan, Herbert Putnam, Edward R. Stettinius, Arturo Toscanini, Wendell Willkie, among others.

Arrangement

The collection is organized into groups called LOTS. LOT 2407 and LOT 11824 are arranged alphabetically, by surname.

- [LOT 2407 \(F\)](#): Portraits of diplomats, industrialists and other notable people
- [LOT 2409 \(F\)](#): Portraits of the chairmen of delegations to the United Nations, 1947
- [LOT 2465 \(F\)](#): Portraits of individuals, representing 35 nations, associated with the International bank for reconstruction
- [LOT 11824 \(H\)](#): Studio portraits of notable public figures.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People

Fayer, George, photographer.

Subjects

Business people--1940-1950.

Celebrities--1940-1950.

Diplomats--1940-1950.

Government officials--1940-1950.

Military officers--1940-1950.

Form/Genre

Gelatin silver prints--1940-1950.

Portrait photographs--1940-1950.

Description of Series

Container

Series

Portraits of diplomats, industrialists, and other notable people, ca. 1945

Call No.: LOT 2407 (F)

Includes both American and foreign, and delegates to the United Nations.

Arranged in alphabetical order.

Portraits of the chairmen of delegations to the United Nations, 1947

Call No.: LOT 2409 (F)

Portraits of individuals, representing 35 nations, associated with the International bank for reconstruction

Call No.: LOT 2465 (F)

Studio portraits of notable public figures, ca. 1940

Call No.: LOT 11824 (H)

Includes military and political leaders, musicians, scholars, public officials, and celebrities.

Arranged in alphabetical order.

Container List

Container

Contents

Portraits of diplomats, industrialists, and other notable people, ca. 1945

Extent: ca. 84 photographic prints (gelatin silver); 20 x 25 cm. or smaller.

Call No.: LOT 2407 (F)

Includes both American and foreign, and delegates to the United Nations.

Arranged in alphabetical order.

Aziz, Abdol Hosayn
Bajpaj, Sir Girja Shankar
Baranovsky, Anatoli
Bewoor, Sir Gurunath
Bjernebye, Ltnt. Erik
Bonilla, Ernesto
Bosted, Johan
Bourges, André
Brennan, Robert
Chamoun, Camille
Chang, Dr. P. C.
Chapa, Pedro A.
Cohen, Ben
Copper, John Lewis
Correa, Jose A.
Davila, Carlos
Dehousse, M. Fernand
Douglas, Jose Moscose
Dunham, Mr.
Engvik, Ottar B.
Faouziel-Hoss
Fattah, Same
Feonov, Nikola
Flores, Alberto de Mello
Fouad, Ali
Frizell, Richard E.
Garrod, Guy
Gygax, F.
Hadjinikolis, John
Hamdy, Osman
Hanc, Joseph
Hassan, Mahmoud
Heum, Alf
Hickock, R.
Hliddal, Gudmundur
Hodgson, W. R., Lt. Col.

Portraits of diplomats, industrialists, and other notable people, ca. 1945

Container

Contents

Hook, C. R., Jr.
Hutson, Jack B.
Hymans, Max
Illa, Eduardo Terradas E.
Jawdat, Ali
Jennen, Joseph
Kapell, William
Khalisa, Mohamed Abdel-Halim
Khosrovam, Mahmoud
Kofoed-Hansen, Agnar
Kountouris, Demetrios
Krog, Morten
Lefebvre, Emilio P.
Lesavoy, Lawrence I.
McLaughlin, Charles A.
Medhen, Blatta Ephrem Tewelde
Molekamp, B. Kleijn
Morgan, Junius
Mudaljar, A. Ramaswami
Mushtag, Akram
Nevill, Arthur de Ter Rote
Noel-Baker, Philip
Ustby, Kristian
Owen, David K.
Parc, Alain Du
Parmentier, K. D.
Parraga, Francisco
Pate, Joseph B.
Peggis, Renos
Rocha, Federico
Rouchdi, Mohamed Bey
Roy, Eduard
Ruthven-Moore, Henry
Sen, S.
Shanahan, Foss
Singh, Gurdyal
Stampar, Andrya
Sullivan, Daniel Giles
Symonds-Taylor, R. V.
Tadjeddin, Said
Thoroddsen, Sigurdur
Toro, Emilio
Trujillo, Jorge G.
Turner, R. T.
Vallin
Van Hasselt, F. H. Copes

Portraits of diplomats, industrialists, and other notable people, ca. 1945

Container

Contents

Verney, Gilbert
Walker, Walter F.

Portraits of the chairmen of delegations to the United Nations, 1947

Extent: 50 photographic prints.
Call No.: LOT 2409 (F)

Portraits of individuals, representing 35 nations, associated with the International bank for reconstruction

Extent: 62 photographic prints.
Call No.: LOT 2465 (F)

Studio portraits of notable public figures, ca. 1940

Extent: 54 photographic prints (gelatin silver); 41 x 51 cm. or smaller.
Call No.: LOT 11824 (H)

Includes military and political leaders, musicians, scholars, public officials, and celebrities.
Arranged in alphabetical order.

Acheson, Dean
Attlee, Clement
Austin, Warren R.
Beneš, Eduard
Berar, Prince of
Bonnet, Henri
Brown, Edward E.
Cadogan, Alexander
Churchill, Sarah
Clark, Mark
DeGaulle, Charles
Dewey, Thomas E.
Eden, Anthony
Eisenberg, Maurice
Evatt, Herbert V.
George, King of Greece
Gromyko
Haakon, King of Norway
Heifetz, Jascha
Hodgson, Col.
Howe, C. D.
Hussein, Ala
Johnson, Herschel V.
Keynes, John Maynard
Krasner, Louis
Kreutzberg, Harald
K'ung, H. H.
Lange, Dr.
Lehman, Herbert
Leigh, Vivian

Studio portraits of notable public figures, ca. 1940

Container

Contents

Lie, Trygvie
McLeish, Archibald
Masaryk, Jan
Morgan, John Pierpont
Najera, Costello
Nervo, Padilla
Parodi, Alexandre
Pasha, Afifi
Peter, King of Yugoslavia
Philips
Portal, Sir Charles
Putnam, Herbert
Taichi, Quo
Sikorski, Gen. Wladyslaw, Polish Premier and Commander in Chief, 1942
Smuts, Gen.
Sobolev, Arkady
Stettinius, E. R.
Torids, Ellinos
Toscanini, Arturo
Van Kleffens, Eelco N.
Velloso, Pedro L.
Vinson, Fred M.
Wilhelmine, Queen of Netherlands
Willkie, Wendell