

# Guide to the Collection on the Jewish Community of Botosani, Romania

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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** MS 2028

**TITLE:** Collection on the Jewish community of Botosani, Romania

**DATES:** 1909-1932

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 2.08 linear feet (2 boxes)

**LANGUAGE:** The materials are primarily in Romanian. Some materials are in Yiddish and Hebrew.

**SUMMARY:** A collection of manuscripts and printed documents from the Jewish community of Botosani, located in northern Romania, from the first third of the twentieth century. The materials include items concerning communal institutions, such as the Jewish hospital, school, burial society and cemetery, and many documents related to decisions of the community council. The collection also includes large printed broadsides with names and information concerning local elections.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b.      box

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Transferred from the Judaica Collection Curator, 2015. Some of the materials were originally purchased from Vinograd and Rosenfeld on the Arthur D. Krom Fund in 2007. Additional documents were purchased from Vinograd and Rosenfeld on the Andrew D. Ball Book Fund and the Roland Book Fund in

Judaic Studies in 2012. This material was acquired by the vendor from R. Osher Zelig Koenig, a collector of material on the Jews of Romania.

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## **Conditions Governing Access**

The materials are open for research.

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## **Scope and Contents**

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## **Arrangement**

The materials are arranged by document type.

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## Collection Contents

b.1	Letters, meeting minutes, financial records, and other documents	1909-1932
b.2	Broadsides related to local elections and other oversize documents	1909-1932

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Subjects**

Jews -- Romania -- Botoșani -- History --  
Sources

### **Geographic Names**

Botoșani (Romania) -- Ethnic relations