

JHSSA DESCRIPTIVE LEVEL RECORD

TITLE: Histadrut Calgary fonds

No.: HIS

DATE RANGE: 1945, 1955-1977

EXTENT: 1cm of textual records

ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY:

The Histadrut in Calgary was established in 1937, with J Bergman as President and Israel Sigal, secretary. It was one of many international branches of a labour / worker's rights organization established in Haifa in 1920, that grew into Israel's national trade union. The main focus of the Calgary Histadrut was to raise funds and awareness for the Histadrut in Israel, through a wide range of programming.

SCOPE AND CONTENT:

The fonds consists of program material, blank letterhead and a local organizational history, written in 1945 by then-General Chairman Al Shumiatcher. Also included is a portrait of Chaim Weizmann given to [Yakov] Tabachnik in honour of his service to Histadrut Calgary.

SOURCE OF TITLE: title from content of fonds

SOURCE OF ACQUISITION: Dov & Arlene Chetner, Ben Roginsky, Carol Sahian

ACCESS CONDITIONS: no restrictions on access

ACCRUALS: no further accruals expected

RELATED GROUPS OF RECORDS: JHSSA Zionism Collection; JHSSA Photo Collection; Calgary Jewish Federation (UJA, Events); Calgary JCC (Yom Hazikaron); Calgary Zionist Association (Agudas Zion); Calgary Zionist Council; Calgary Zionist Federation; Calgary Zionist Organization; Hadassah-WIZO; Jewish National Fund; Mizrahi Women; Na'amat; Sharon Zionist Club; State of Israel Bonds; Calgary Young Judaea

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