

# Maass, Joachim; Papers

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### **Summary Information**

**Repository:** M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives

**Title:** Joachim Maass Papers

**ID:** ger063

**Date [inclusive]:** 1901-1972

**Physical Description:** 2.5 cubic ft.

**Physical Location:** The materials are located onsite in the department.

Language of the

English, German.

**Material:** 

**Abstract:** The collection contains correspondence, manuscript materials and

lecture notes.

#### **Preferred Citation**

Preferred citation for this material is as follows:

Identification of specific item, series, box, folder, Joachim Maass Papers, 1901-1972. M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University at Albany, State University of New York (hereafter referred to as the Maass Papers).

### **Biographical History**

A writer, Joachim Maass (1901-1972) was born in Hamburg and came to the United States in 1938. He secured a position at Mount Holyoke College in 1940, where he taught and lectured. He later taught German literature at Haverford College.

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#### **Scope and Contents**

The collection is composed entirely of photocopied materials. The originals are in the Deutsches Literaturarchiv, Marbach, Germany. The collection includes correspondence, manuscripts of novels, short stories, plays, poetry, and essays, 1940-46; lecture notes, 1956-61; and clippings, offprints, reviews, and biographies, 1927-36.

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## **Arrangement of the Collection**

The collection is divided into eight series.

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#### **Administrative Information**

#### **Publication Statement**

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#### **Revision Description**

Converted to EAD Encoded in EAD by Jodi Boyle 2015 December 2015

#### **Processing Information**

Inventory created in 1977 August by Sandra Hunt Hawrylchak.

### **Acquisition Information**

The M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives received the papers from University at Albany Professor John Spalek in January 1977. Professor Spalek received them from retired Haverford College and West Chester(Pennsylvania) State College Professor Harry Pfund and his wife Marie Pfund in January 1977. The M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives photocopied the papers before the originals were sent to the Deutsches Literaturarchiv, Marbach in 1977. This was per Professor Pfund's request.

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

- Literature
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Refugees
- Short stories
- Correspondence
- Poems
- Essays
- Maass, Joachim, 1901-1972

### **Collection Inventory**

#### Correspondence, contracts, 1930-1972

#### Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.

#### **Scope and Contents**

Contains two folders of correspondence.

Title/Description	Instances
Correspondence with the Kurt Desch Vrlag, concerning Maass' works. Also contracts, 196119691971-1972Undated	Box 1 (1- Folder 1 Correspondence, contracts)
Stefan Zweig, 1930-1939	Box 1 (1- Folder 2 Correspondence, contracts)

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### **Manuscripts - Novels, Undated**

#### Arrangement

Arranged in original order.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains manuscript novels and fragments of novels.

Title/Description	Instances	
Carl Schurz, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 3
Senator, Innenministier und "Mugwump" Fuehrer [Carl Schurz], Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 4
Schurz, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 5
Schurz in Deutschland, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 6
The Lawmaker. Adventures and bequest of Carl Schurz, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 7
"Deutsche Schule 1918. Ein Romankapitel." p. 1-7, 21-26, 34-39. Gouff +Roman de la Ronciere, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 8

Zur Geschichtedes Romans. Der Fall Gouffe, Undated

	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 9
Roman de la Ronciere, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 10
Roman de la Ronciere. "Roman - 2. Band", Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 11
La Ronciere und Marie Morell, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 12
La Ronciere und Marie Morell. Plot summary, characters, notes, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 13
Thomas und Maria. Erste Fassung, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 14
The Times Collapse, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 15
True Story?, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 16
Zwischen den Zeizen / Astride the Times, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 17
"Notizen zu Band II 'Zwischen den Zeiten.' Neue Fassung", Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 18
Untitled Manuscript in English, Undated	Box 1 (2- Manuscripts - Novels)	Folder 19

## **Manuscripts - Dramatic works, Undated**

#### Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.

### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains manuscripts of dramatic works.

Title/Description	Instances
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"The Case of Lieutenant de la Ronciere. A Television Play by Joachim Maass." Translated by Holger Hagen, Undated	Box 1 (3- Manuscripts - Dramatic works)	Folder 20
Heinrich der Vierte. Tragdie in 2 Teilen (22 Bilder), Undated	Box 1 (3- Manuscripts - Dramatic works)	Folder 21
"Kain. Dramatische Skizze von W. H. J. Maass", Undated	Box 1 (3- Manuscripts - Dramatic works)	Folder 22
Die Zwillingsbrdder (Arbeitstitel). Kombdie in vier Akten, Undated	Box 1 (3- Manuscripts - Dramatic works)	Folder 23

## Manuscripts - Poetry, Undated

#### Arrangement

Arranged in original order.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains manuscripts of poems.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Die enge Pforte." Collection of poems, Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 24
"Frdhe handschriftliche Gedichte", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 25
"GesAnge vom guten Geschick", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 26
"Handgeschriebene Gedichle", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 27
"Kleine handschriftliche Arbeiten handschriftliche Gedichte", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 28

<sup>&</sup>quot;Neue Gedichte", Undated

	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 29
"Vers und Prosa", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 30
"Vom lusitanischen Parnass. Nachdichtungen jngerer portugiesischer Lyrik", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 31
"Gedichte, Herbst 1927", Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 32
Poems, Undated	Box 1 (4- Manuscripts - Poetry)	Folder 33

## Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories, 1946, Undated

#### Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains manuscripts of short prose and stories.

Title/Description	Instances	
"Die Alsterfahrt", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 1
"Anjuta odor Die Schule der Armut. I. Teil eines Erzhlungsbuch 'Junge Leute'", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 2
"Das begnadete Herz", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 3
"Ein Leben nach dem Tode", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short	Folder 4

	prose works, stories)	
"Ein Schulmorgen", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 5
"Das Erwachen", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 6
"Das Frauenbchlein. Briefe und Gedichte in Prosa", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 7
"Die Hand des Herrn, oder: Der bse Blick", 1946 October 14Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 8
"Der bse Blick. Eine Erzhlung", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 9
"Die Liebe der Boheme. Eine Erzhlung", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 10
"Man macht sich falsche Vorstellungen von der Emigration", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 11
"Missdeurcete Liebe", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 12
"Nordlandsflug", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 13
"Der Schnee von Nebraska. Eileitung", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts	Folder 14

	- Short prose works, stories)	
"The Snow of Nebraska." English Translation, Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 15
"Sonntagliches Holland", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 16
"Das Werk des Bildhauers Harry Rox", Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 17
"Zware Nevel." Dutch translation, Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 18
Miscellaneous short manuscripts, Undated	Box 2 (5- Manuscripts - Short prose works, stories)	Folder 19

## Manuscripts - Essayistic, 1940-1946

### Arrangement

Arranged alphabetically.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains manuscripts of essays.

Title/Description	Instances	
Autobiographical sketch, Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 20
"Als Greenhorn in Amerika. Eine Vorlesung", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 21

<sup>&</sup>quot;Daran glaube ich", Undated

	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 22
"Ein Abschiedsbrief", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 23
"Friedo Lampe", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 24
"Imaginierter Toast zu Carl Zuckmayers 50. Geburtstag", 1946 December 27	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 25
"Leben, Sterben und Unsrerblichkeit Rainer Maria Rilkes. Ein Vor-trag" plus several p. Rilke poems., 1940 November 251941 March 261942 March 25	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 26
Meetings with Thomas Mann", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 27
"Der sechzigjhrige Martin Beheim-Schwarzbach", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 28
"Schurz, Lincoln und die Seele Amerikas. Eine Vorlesung", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 29
Thomas Mann. Geschichte einer Liebe im Geiste", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 30
"Thomas Mann. An Essay. English translation, Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 31
"Ueber die Kriterien der Dichtung. Eine Einleitung zu einem, College-Text", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 32
"Unser kleinen Dmon." Notes, Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 33
"Vorwort" and "Schlusswort" to an unidentified work, Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 34
"Wir Hamburger", Undated	Box 2 (6- Manuscripts - Essayistic)	Folder 35

### Lecture notes, texts, 1957-1961

#### Arrangement

Arranged chronologically by lecture.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This collection contains lecture notes from Haverford College. Each lecture has multiple dates, presumably relating to the dates Joachim Maass gave the lecture during different academic semesters.

Title/Description	Instances	
Haverford Lectures, First and Second Lectures, 19591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 36
Haverford Lectures, Third Lecture, 1961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 37
Haverford Lectures, Postponed Third Lecture, 1957	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 38
Haverford Lectures, Fourth Lecture, 1959	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 39
Haverford Lectures, Fifth Lecture, 1961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 40
Haverford Lectures, Sixth Lecture, 19591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 41
Haverford Lectures, Seventh Lecture, 195719591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 42
Haverford Lectures, Eighth Lecture, 19591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 43
Haverford Lectures, Ninth Lecture, 195719591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 44
Haverford Lectures, Tenth Lecture, 195719591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 45
Haverford Lectures, Eleventh Lecture, 195719591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 46

Haverford Lectures, Twelfth Lecture, 1957-19591961

	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 47
Haverford Lectures, Thirteenth Lecture, 195719591961	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 48
Lecture Notes, 1957	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 49
Lecture Notebooks, 1957	Box 2 (7- Lecture notes, texts)	Folder 50

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## Published materials, biographical materials, 1901-1969

#### Arrangement

Arranged in original order.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains biographical materials such as a birth certificate and award as well as clippings about Joachim Maass and his published works.

Title/Description	Instances	
Biographical clippings, 193219451960-19611964Undated	Box 2 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 51
"Beitrge fr die Vossische Zeitung"-I. clippings, 1927-1929	Box 2 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 52
"Beitrge fr die Vossische Zeitung"-clippings, 1945-1946Undated	Box 2 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 53
Clippings, published works, 192719301932-19331949	Box 2 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 54
Documents, 1901-1963	Box 2 (8- Published	Folder 55

	materials, biographical materials)	
Leben, Sterben und Unsterlichkeit Rainer Maria Rikes, 1940-1942	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 1
Imaginierter Toast zu Carl Zuckmayers, 1946	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 2
"Beitrge fr die Vossische Zeitung", 1927-1932	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 3
"Beitrge frs Hamburger Freundesblatt" I, 1927 October 29-1929 August 24	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 4
"Beitrge frs Hamburger Freundesblatt" II, 1929 August-1932 August	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 5
"Beitrge frs Hamburger Freundesblatt" III, 1932 August-1936 December	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 6
Vorlesungen im Kurs, Problems of Red-education in Post-War Germany, 1969Undated	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 7
Hesse/Th. Mann., 1935-19411944-19491951-195219561958-1960	Box 3 (8- Published materials, biographical materials)	Folder 8