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I. Papers of Myron C. Taylor as Member of the NRA Industrial Advisory Board, 1933 - 1934.

Box 1.

"Industrial Advisers Handbook," 1933-34, (No. 27).
Summaries of basic reference materials, interpretations of the Model Code, policy statements, office orders and the "Industrial Advisory Board Policy Memorandum." 1933, (No. 29).

Miscellaneous press releases, memoranda, statements, reports re: economic problems, summaries of NRA intents and policies, agenda of meetings (January 17, 31 and February 15, 1934); copies of the "National Association of Cost Accountants Bulletin of December 15, 1933 and January 15, 1934.

Also included:

Notebook: Iowa WPA, Special Reports and Narratives of Projects, October 1, 1936.

II. Papers of Myron C. Taylor as Chairman of the U.S. Delegation to and President of the Intergovernmental Committee on Political Refugees, Evian, France, July 1938; London and elsewhere 1938-1954.

Box 2.

Proceedings of the Intergovernmental Committee, Evian, July 6 - 15, 1938
Verbatim record of the plenary meetings of the committee, resolutions and reports. (published - 11 copies)

Conference Documents with index. July, 1938.

Box 3.

Proceedings, Speeches and Reference Materials, May-December, 1938 and Undated.
Includes translations of speeches, organizational procedures, messages from foreign governments, reference materials from the League of Nations, etc.; further proceedings and speeches of the Committee in London are included through December, 1938.

Box 4.

Proceedings and Speeches. January - July 1939 and Undated.

Box 5.

Correspondence of the Intergovernmental Committee on Political Refugees, 1938-1954. Index to Volume 1938-41 included.

Box 6.

Miscellaneous Refugee Correspondence, April-December, 1938 and Undated.
Letters, telegrams, reports, etc. re: various refugee problems.

"Refugee Book," 1939.

Loose-leaf binder containing correspondence re: refugee matters between Taylor and Henry Berenger, the Coordinating Foundation, Sir Bertram Hornsby, Robert Pell, J. Hope Simpson and Lord Winterton.

Refugee Reports, July 1939.

Miscellaneous materials: Report of the Director (English and French); Memo to Womthath, March 30, 1939; Statement of the U.S. Delegation; Speech of Taylor, July 19, 1939; Report the Director re: finances of the Committee, July 15, 1939; Committee Resolutions and remarks of Myron C. Taylor; Taylor's Dinner Speech, N.D.; other miscellaneous letters and statements re: founding of the Co-ordinating Foundation.

Box 7.

Refugee Clippings, 1938-1940.

Miscellaneous newspaper clippings, domestic and foreign; also undated and unnamed clippings.

Meeting of the Officers of the Intergovernmental Committee on Political Refugees, October 17, 1939. Department of State, Washington, D.C. (bound volume, copy 1)

Refugees: Anarchy or Organization? Dorothy Thompson. Random House, 1938 (bound, uncorrected proof)

Refugees: A Review of the Situation Since September, 1938. John Hope Simpson. Royal Institute of International Affairs. London, 1939. (book- copy 1)

Box 8.

Miscellaneous Correspondence and Materials

- re: 1. The American Joint Distribution Committee, 1938-39.
2. The Co-ordinating Foundation of the Intergovernmental Committee for Refugees, May-July, 1939.
3. The President's Advisory Committee on Political Refugees, May-December, 1939.

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1938

Confidential Memorandum Regarding Refugees by Myron C. Taylor, 1938-1947. (bound volume) Contains letter to President Truman, May, 1947; papers concerning the experience of the Intergovernmental Committee on Refugees, including views of President Roosevelt; materials on numbers of Jewish migrants and absorptive capacity of Palestine; and papers on the transfer to the International Refugee Organization with reports on present situation and views expressed earlier.

Box 9.

Miscellany re: Refugee Problems, Relief and Rehabilitation. 1937-1942 and Undated.

1. Report: Council for German Jewry, 1937.
2. Folder: Alaskan Settlement. 1937-39.
3. Position paper: "Make the World A Refuge for Humanity." Dr. Maria Halberstadt. December 12, 1938.
4. Article (reprint): "The Jewish Plight in Europe." Norman Bentwich. 1938.
5. Article: "International Aid to German Refugees," David Popper. Foreign Policy Reports. November 1, 1938.
6. Article: "An Investigation of the Prospect for White Settlement in British Guinea." Desmond Holdridge. The Geographical Review. 1939.
7. Report: Mindanao Exploration Commission. O.D. Hargis et al. President's Advisory Committee on Political Refugees, 1939.
8. Report: The Legal Position of the Refugees and Stateless Persons to Whom the Right of Residence is Refused in the West European Countries of Refuge. Boris Gourevitch, September 25, 1939.

9. Reports (8): The Use of British Guiana as a Large Scale Refugee Resettlement Area. 1939.
10. Folder: Basque Refugee Program. 1939-40.
11. Folder: Dominican Project. 1939-41. Re: Dominican Republic settlement for refugees.
12. Annual Report: This Year: 1940-41. National Conference of Christians and Jews.
13. Report: Refugee Problems after the War. Herbert Emerson. August 11, 1942.
14. Report: Prospects of a Jewish Settlement in Western Australian Kimberley. Dr. H. Lowenthal. Undated.

III. Papers of Myron C. Taylor as Personal Representative of the President of the United States to Pope Pius XII, 1940-1950.

Box 10.

Reports of Myron C. Taylor to President Roosevelt. 1940-1942. (three bound volumes).

Letters and cables to Taylor from FDR, Pius XII, officers of the Vatican staff, Secretary of State Hull, Under-Secretary of State Sumner Welles, chiefs of U.S. missions in Europe, foreign chiefs of missions, and others; correspondence and reports from Taylor to FDR on audiences and conversations with the Pope; memoranda of conferences and interviews held with the Holy See officials and ambassadors as well as with other official visitors in Rome; letters of Pope Pius to Roosevelt and FDR to His Holiness. Each volume is complete with a table of contents, index and chronology.

Box 11.

Report of Myron C. Taylor to President Roosevelt. 1943. (bound volume)

Report of Myron C. Taylor to President Roosevelt and Truman. 1944-1945. (bound volume)

Mission of Myron C. Taylor to Pope Pius XII. 1940-1945. (bound volume).

Wartime Correspondence between President Roosevelt and Pope Pius XII. With an Introduction and Explanatory Notes by Myron C. Taylor. The Macmillan Company: New York. 1947.

Correspondence between President Truman and Pope Pius XII. With an introduction by Myron C. Taylor. 1952. (bound volume)

- IV. Papers of Myron C. Taylor as Trustee of the Foreign Service Educational Foundation's School of Advanced International Studies. 1943-48.

Box 12.

Correspondence, reports, announcements, minutes of meetings.
(1 volume)

- V. Papers of Myron C. Taylor as Founder and Associate of American Relief for Italy, Inc., 1944-53.

Box 13.

Correspondence re: ARI, April-December, 1944.

General correspondence, copies of letters to and from Taylor, brief reports, press releases, newspaper clippings, drafts of articles of incorporation, by-laws, etc., of American Relief for Italy, Inc.

Correspondence with President's War Relief Control Board in re: ARI and appointment of trustees, meetings of trustees, newspaper clippings, etc. ~~re: ARI and appointment of trustees, meetings of trustees, newspaper clippings, etc.~~

Radio Address: Myron C. Taylor, Rome, Italy, December 24, 1944.

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Correspondence re: ARI, January-March, 1945.

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Correspondence re: ARI, April-December, 1945.

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Correspondence re: ARI, January-December, 1946.

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Correspondence re: ARI, January, 1947-May, 1948.

Box 18.

Correspondence re: ARI, June, 1948-1953

Box 19.

Miscellaneous Material re: ARI, 1944-1951. American Relief for Italy, Inc.: Activities in Italy. (a brief history by Msgr. Carroll-Abbing, 1951).

American Relief for Italy, Inc.: Boys' Republic of Italy, Inc. 1944-1951. (a perspectus, copy 1)

Folder 1. Chronological File: June, 26-December, 1944.
Letters, cables, transcripts of conferences, narrative and statistical reports re: relief programs in Italy.

Folder 2. 1944-1947.
Report: National Committee for Distribution of Relief for Italy, Rome, September 18, 1944 (2 copies: printed, 31 pp.)

Correspondence:

Memo. Marcello to Fitch w. atts.: Marchisio to Xanthaky 2/6/45
Contini to Marchisio 2/16/45
Davies to Taylor 1/29/45
Cable. Taylor to FDR 1/24/45
Cable. Taylor to FDR 1/9/45
Telegram. Xanthaky to Rome 1/26/45
Keeny (UNRRA) to Lehman 12/2/44
Xanthaky (UNRRA) to Marchisio 1/22/45
Bailey to Marcello (ARI) 2/4/47
Acheson to Taylor 3/20/45
Memo. re: UNRRA operations, undated, unsigned
Letter. G.B. Vincentini to Taylor 3/24/47

Remarks: (1) Taylor at Luncheon in honor of Alcide de Gasperi^e 1/12/47
(2) Taylor at ARI Press Conference 1/2/47
Taylor re: future activities of ARI. no date.

Clipping: N.Y. Herald Tribune 1/3/47

Folder 3. 1946.

Correspondence. Miscellaneous letters, cables, reports etc. re: ARI and ENDSI.

Folder 4. 1946-1948

List: Material sent by American Relief to the Italian Red Cross.

ARI: Analysis of Shipments to Italy, October 13-December 31, 1947.
Financial Statements, February-March, 1948

Negotiations: IRC - ENDSI, June 1-October 25, 1946; October 26-November 13, 1946 (English and Italian).

Correspondence:

Memo. J. Graham Parsons to Taylor 5/3/48 w. atts.

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Folder 4. 1946-1948 (continued)

Carroll-Abbing to Taylor 4/6/48 w. att. memo re: free feeding programs.

Marchiso to Taylor 3/26/48

Article: "Italian 'Boys Town' Salvages Shoe Shiners," Paul Ward, Baltimore Sun 5/9/48.

Folder 5. 1947.

Correspondence:

Memo W.C.F. to Taylor w. att.:

Charles Spofford to Taylor 3/18/47

Fitch to Taylor 3/15/47

Misc. letters and cables

Press Conference 1/2/47

Transportation Report for September, 1947

Newspaper Clipping: Stars and Stripes. January 13, 1947

Pictorial Report: The Boys Republic. Santa Marinella, Rome, 1947.

Folder 6. 1948.

Statements: Contributions, Expenses, Distributions of IRA, inc. April 10, 1944-August 31, 1948.

Correspondence:

David E. Austin to Taylor 12/1/48 w. atts.

Austin to Zellerbach 12/15/48 and 12/17/48 w. atts. re:

ECA operations in Italy

Budelacci to Taylor 7/20/48 (Italian) miscellaneous letters.

Newspaper Clipping: New York Times 1/31/48.

Folder 7. 1949.

Correspondence:

Msgr. John Carroll-Abbing to Taylor, June-July, 1949

Taylor to Marchisio 6/27/49

Taylor to Truman 10/4/49

Misc. letters to and from Taylor, June, 1949

Cost estimates re: Santa Marinella (Boys' Republic).

Miscellaneous newspaper clippings.

Box 20.

ARI, Inc. Board of Directors' Meetings:

August 24, 1944
September 27, 1945
September 9, 1946
November 12, 1946

ARI, Inc. Annual Meetings of Corporate Members and Board of Directors:

April 3, 1946
April 2, 1947
April 11, 1949
April 24, 1950
April 16, 1951

ARI, Inc. Report of Operations. October 20, 1947

ARI, Inc. Program and Budget Request for 1948 (submitted: 11/25/47).

Box 21.

ENDSI Reports (National Committee for Distribution of Relief in Italy), 1944-1945.

Accounting and merchandise reports, summaries of operations in transportation, distribution and general activities. (English and Italian)

VI. Myron C. Taylor: Speeches and Addresses. 1928-1954.

Box 22.

1. Minutes. (1) Annual Stockholders Meeting of April 16, 1928.
(2) United States Steel Corporation.
2. Address. Special Convocation. Colgate University April 12, 1929.
3. Address. Annual Carnegie Day Exercises. Carnegie Institute of Technology. November 26, 1929.
4. Dinner Remarks. "The Cultural Values of Education,"
Cornellian Council Roll Call. Hotel
Commodore, New York. April 1, 1930
5. Remarks. Cornell Club of the Finger Lakes. Hobart College,
April 10, 1930.
6. Minutes. Annual Meeting of Stockholders. U.S. Steel
Corporation. April 21, 1930.

Box 22 (continued).

7. Address. "The Importance of Being a Lawyer." New York State Bar Association. January 17, 1931.
8. Radio Talk. "A Few Observations on Employment." New York. January 27, 1931.
9. Address. "The Importance of Planning a Career." Hobart College. March 27, 1931.
10. Address. "The Importance of Coal to Civilization." The Third International Conference on Bituminous Coal. Pittsburgh, November 16, 1931.
11. Address. "The Importance of Leadership." The St. Nicholas Society. New York. December 7, 1931.
12. Address. "The Importance of Reaffirming Our Faith in Well Established Principles." Boston. March 24, 1932
13. Speech. Dedication of Myron Taylor Hall. Cornell University. October 15, 1932.
14. Luncheon Remarks. Share the Work Movement, New York. December 2, 1932.
15. Impromptu Remarks. Annual Meeting of Stockholders. United States Steel Corporation. Hoboken. April 17, 1933.
16. Statement. "The Importance of Social Compassion." Citizens Family Welfare Committee. (Reprinted from the New York Times, October 28, 1934).
17. Remarks. Annual Meeting of Stockholders. United States Steel Corporation. Hoboken. April 1, 1935.
18. Radio Address. "Steel's Salute to Motors." New York:WOR November 5, 1935.
19. Radio Remarks. "The Importance of Our Hospitals." New York: WJZ. December 11, 1935.
20. Remarks. Annual Meeting of Stockholders. United States Steel Corporation. Hoboken. April 6, 1936.
21. Address. "Remarks." American Iron and Steel Institute. New York. May 28, 1936.
22. Remarks. Luncheon Meeting. Tutwiler Hotel. Birmingham. October 15, 1936.

Box 22 (continued).

23. Remarks. "The Importance of Cooperation." Pittsburgh, January 15, 1937
24. Remarks. Annual Meeting of Stockholders. United States Steel Corporation. Hoboken. April 5, 1937
25. Remarks. Gridiron Club Dinner. Washington, D.C. April 10, 1937.
26. Remarks. "Ten Years of Steel." Annual Meeting of Stockholders. United States Steel Corporation. Hoboken. April 4, 1938.
27. Address. Department of State: Council on Foreign Relations. New York. October 3, 1938. (2 copies)
28. Address. "The Lawyer's Opportunity." Cornell Law School. Ithaca. May 29, 1941.
29. Remarks. "Reservoirs of Peace." Notre Dame Club. New York. December 7, 1941.
30. Remarks. "The Importance of Religious Cooperation." Conference of Christians and Jews. Boston. April 23, 1942.
31. Remarks. Luncheon in Honor of H.E. Alcide de Gasperi. New York. January 12, 1947.
32. Dedication Program. The Boy and Girl Scouts Building. Lyons, New York. May 3, 1952.
33. Address: Dedication of Anabel Taylor Hall. Cornell University. October 26, 1952.
34. Program: Dedication of the Taylor Memorial Chancel Screens. St. Bartholomew's Church. New York. January 10, 1954.

Box 23.

Miscellaneous Published and Bound Materials. 1939-1953.

Books.

- Deti, Emma. Villa Schifanoia. Firenze: Fratelli Stianti Press. 1953.
- Simpson, Sir John Hope. Refugees: A Review of the Situation Since September, 1938. London: The Royal Institute of International Affairs. 1939.

Box 23 (continued).

Bound Materials

Meeting of Officers of the Intergovernmental Committee on Political Refugees. Washington, D.C.: Department of State, October 17, 1939. (copy 2)

American Relief for Italy, Inc. Boys' Republic of Italy, Inc. 1944-1951. (copy 2)

Pamphlet

L'Heureux, Alfred J. "Cesare Barbieri," no date.

Maps and Clippings

"Post-war Studies re: Europe." (1 volume)

Appendix I:

Condolence Messages Received by Myron C. Taylor at Time of FDR's Death. April, 1945.

Messages sent and received by Taylor. Includes telegrams sent by him to President Truman, Mrs. Roosevelt, Harry Hopkins and others; condolence messages received by Mr. Taylor from officials of the Italian Government, the Italian Royal Family, the Allied Commission, diplomats to the Holy See, Church dignitaries, religious orders and organizations; a press release of Taylor's, April 13, 1945; and copies of prayers delivered in churches at Rome on the occasion of President Roosevelt's death.

Taylor sent this volume to Mrs. Roosevelt on June 28, 1956 and Mrs. Roosevelt forwarded the volume to this Library on January 23, 1957.