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Papers Rosa Manus

Collection ID  IIAV00000099
Creator  Manus, Rosa (1881-1942)
Period  1908-1975
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Language of Material  English, Dutch, French, German

Context

Biographical Note
Born August 20, 1881 in Amsterdam as Rosette Susanna Manus, died in 1942; active in the International Woman Suffrage Alliance (IWSA) since 1908, from 1926 named International Alliance of Women for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship (IAWSEC) and from 1946 International Alliance of Women (IAW); organised with Mia Boissevain the Exhibition 'Woman 1813-1913' (Tentoonstelling 'De Vrouw 1813-1913'); co-organiser of the International Congress of Women (Internationaal Congres van Vrouwen) in The Hague 1915; close friend of Carrie Chapman Catt, with whom she travelled through Europe and Latin America in 1922-1923; Vice President of the IAW since 1926, Secretary of the Peace Committee in 1926 en from 1926 President of the in that year established Women Police Committee of the International Alliance of Women; she was Secretary and later Vice President of the Peace and Disarmament Committee of the Women's International Organisations, also called Dingman Comité after its President Mary Dingman, which was founded for the disarmament conference of the Liaison Committee of Women's International Organizations; Rosa Manus organised the petition of more than 9 million signatures; she was the Secretary of the peace conference of the Rassemblement Universel pour la Paix (RUP) in Brussels 1936; co-founder of the Dutch Women Electricity Association (Nederlandse Vrouwen Electriciteits Vereniging) in 1932 and of the International Archives for the Women's Movement (Internationaal Archief voor de Vrouwenbeweging, IAV) in 1935 of which she became the first president; board member of the in 1938 established Corps Female Volunteers (Korps Vrouwelijke Vrijwilligers); in 1941 arrested and imprisoned in Scheveningen because of her pacifism and alleged communism; eventually transported to the concentration camp Ravensbrück; Myriam Everard established that she was gassed in a sanatorium in Bernburg in March 1942; see Myriam Everard and Francisca de Haan (eds), Rosa Manus (1881-1942). The International Life and Legacy of a Jewish Dutch Feminist (Brill 2017), p. 294.

Custodial History
In the beginning of 1936 Rosa Manus donated about 300 books from her library to the International Archives for the Women's Movement; among these books were books original from Aletta which Manus had received in 1930 and had added to her library; in later years she donated more books; 'In the first months of 1940, she brought all documents and letters which she had collected in the past thirty years of her involvement with the women's movement in tranches to the IAV, thinking they would be safer there than at her own place, an operation which she completed in the first days of May' (Myriam Everard in Rosa Manus (1881-1942) (2017), p. 283; already on 12 July 1940 the German occupier closed the IAV at Keizersgracht 264 in Amsterdam and took everything away, including the papers and books from Rosa Manus were looted with everything else from the International Archives of the Women's Movement, Keizersgracht 264 in Amsterdam in July 1940. In 1992 it became known that (part of) the archives of the IAW had ended up in a 'secret archive' in Moscow, to be finally returned to Amsterdam in 2003; a large part were Rosa Manus's papers, and most of the hundreds of photographs originated from her; the more than 33,000 documents were in disorder and it was not always easy to arrange the documents properly.

Content and Structure
Content
Rosa Manus: correspondence, among others with Clara Hyde 1926-1939, Elfriede Zippel 1930-1931, Jane Addams 1931, Johanna Naber 1931-1934 and Katharina von Kardorff 1929-1935; photo album of the Exhibition 'De Vrouw 1813-1913'; documents concerning the Vereeniging voor Vrouwenkiesrecht, the Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Staatsburgeressen and the Nederlandse Vereniging voor Vrouwenbelangen en Gelijk Staatsburgerschap, Head Quarters and Amsterdam branch 1919-1939; documents concerning the International Alliance, Head Quarters, Nationaal Comité voor Internationale belangen and the International Committee for Peace and the League of Nations 1926-1940; documents concerning the Peace and Disarmament Committee of the Women's International Organisations 1931-1940; documents concerning the celebration of the seventieth birthday of Carrie Chapman Catt, organised by Rosa Manus 1928; passport 1935; Royal Decree (Koninklijk Besluit) concerning her appointment to 'Officier in de Orde van Oranje-Nassau' 1936.

Anna C. Jacobi Manus (1885-[1975]): postcard from Rosa 1911; letters from Rosa to Lucy E. Anthony 1920, 1926; letters from American feminists in response to Rosa's death and concerning a Memorial Service 1942, 1945; text of a radio speech of Anna Jacobi-Manus for the Dutch Hour of the National Broadcasting Corporation (NBC) concerning in response to the death of Carrie Chapman Catt 1947; cuttings from English and American papers concerning Carrie Chapman Catt 1940-c.1944 and concerning Rosa's death 1942 and n.y.

Collected documents: texts of biographical articles for an English publication about the live of Rosa Manus and a speech n.y.; death certificate 1942, letter of a notary office with a confirmation of her death 1947 and a note concerning her captivity n.y.; photocopies of the family Manus grave on the cemetery Zorgvlied in Amsterdam 1949-1950, 1975; documents collected by Hilde Brand during her research on Rosa Manus in 2005-2007.

NB. Documents of Rosa Manus as Secretary of the international peace conference of the RUP in Brussels 1936 are present in the collection of the RUP in the International Institute for Social History. See also the papers of Carrie Chapman Catt.

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Subjects

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Access and Use

Access
Not restricted

Restrictions on Use
Only to be consulted digitally except numbers 136-157 and 166-170

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Inventory

Rosa Manus Papers

Activities in the Vereeniging voor Vrouwenkiesrecht, from 1919 Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Staatsburgeressen, from 1930 Nederlandsche Vereeniging voor Vrouwenbelangen en Gelijk Staatsburgerschap (VVGS)
NB. Rosa Manus was secretary from 1917-1920 and from 1930-1935 vice-president of the executive board. Of the Amsterdam branch she was secretary (1928-?) and president (1929-March 1935).

National

1 Menu, programme and song texts (by Rosa Manus and Kee Groot) of the celebration of 25 years Vereeniging voor Vrouwenkiesrecht (1894-1919) on 27 September 1919 in the Concertgebouw in Amsterdam. Dutch. 1919. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

2 Letter from A. Uiterwijk Stam, secretary of the Leeuwarden branch of the Nederlandsche Bond voor Vrouwenkiesrecht holding an invitation to a speech, not for certain addressed to Rosa Manus. Dutch. October 7, 1919. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

3 Documents concerning the celebration of the merger of the Nederlandsche Unie voor Vrouwenbelangen and the Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Staatsburgeressen on 3 May 1930. Dutch. 1930. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

4 International reports written for the annual meetings. Dutch. 1932-1938. 7 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

5 Minutes of board meetings, with notes by Rosa Manus. Dutch. 1929 November-1934. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

6 Correspondence with the board (mainly with the president E.H. Piepers) as member of the executive committee and as vice-president of the International Alliance. Dutch and English. 1928, 1934-1937, 1939. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

7-10 Documents of the Amsterdamsch Comité van de Wereldbond voor Vrouwenbelangen en Gelijk Staatsburgerschap (International Alliance of Women for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship) of which Rosa Manus was president; it organised among other things a market (voorjaarsmarkt) and the performance of the Spieghel Historiael in the Stedelijk Museum in Amsterdam on 28 February 1931. Dutch. 1930-1931. 4 folders
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

7 Correspondence. July-December 1930.
8 Correspondence. January-March 1931.
10 Text of and press clippings on the 'Spieghel Historiael'.

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11-17 Minutes of meetings and correspondence received or produced as president of the Amsterdam branch of the Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Staatsburgeressen, after 1930 Nederlandsche Vereeniging voor Vrouwenbelangen en Gelijk Staatsburgerschap (VVGS). Dutch. 1928-1936. 7 folders
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

11 1928-1929.
12 1930.
13 1931.
14 1932.
15 1933.
16 1934.
17 1935-1936.

Activities in the International Woman Suffrage Alliance (IWSA), from 1926
International Alliance of Women for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship (IAWSEC), from 1946 International Alliance of Women (IAW)
NB. Rosa Manus was vice-president from 1926-1940, secretary of the International Committee for Peace and the League of Nations (Peace Committee) from 1926-1940 and chairman of the Police Committee.

General

18 Documents concerning the International Alliance in general and the Finance Committee, among other things correspondence with Frantiska Plaminkova 1926, Emilie Gourd 1927, Avra Theodoropoulos 1929, 1933 and Necile Terfik. Dutch, English and French. 1926-1927, 1929, 1933, 1935. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

19 Documents concerning the twelfth congress of the International Alliance of Women in Istanbul 16-26 April 1935 and her journey through Syria, Palestine, Turkey and Egypt. 1935. With photographs and letter of thanks from H.K.H. Prinses Juliana for the received stamps with portraits of women 1 August 1935. Dutch, English, French and German. 1935. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

20 Letter from Dorothy Heneker May 14, 1939 and from Corry Tendeloo June 29, 1939 regarding the conference in Copenhagen. English and Dutch. 1939. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Nationaal Comité voor Internationale Belangen / National Committee for International Affairs

21 Annual reports and correspondence of the Nationaal Comité voor Internationale Belangen of the International Alliance (from 1927 onwards formed by the Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Staatsburgeressen and the Nederlandsche Unie voor Vrouwenbelangen) of which Rosa Manus was secretary. Dutch, English and German. 1925-1929. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

International Committee for Peace and the League of Nations (Peace Committee)

22 Press clippings and photographs on the conference on peace questions in the Koloniaal Instituut in Amsterdam 17-19 November 1927, an initiative of the International Committee for Peace and the League of Nations (Commissie voor Vrede en Volkenbond) of the International Alliance of Women and organised by Rosa Manus. Dutch, French, German, Spanish and English. 1927. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photographs are digitized.

23 Reports and correspondence of the International Committee for Peace and the League of Nations of the International Alliance of Women for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship, of which Rosa Manus was secretary and Ruth Morgan chairman. Dutch and English. 1927-1933, 1935-1940. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Activities in the Peace and Disarmament Committee of the Women's International Organisations, founded 5 September 1931 in Geneva.
NB. Rosa Manus was secretary and from June 1932 vice-president; see also archive of the Algemeene Nederlandsche Vrouwen Vredebond (ANVV).

24-33 Minutes of meetings of the committee and of the board. English. 1931-1940. 10 folders
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

24 1931.
25 1932.
26 with a letter from Mary Dingman. 19 December 1933. 1933.
27 1934.
28 1935.
29 1936.
30 1937.
31 1938.
32 1939.
33 1940.

34 Press releases and Communiqué's nos. 100-287. Not complete. English, German and French. October 1931-April 1940. 1 pack
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow; see also archive of the Algemeene Nederlandsche Vrouwen Vredebond (ANVV).

35-36 Correspondence, speeches, texts, reports and pamphlets and papers concerning the presentation of petitions to the Disarmament Conference Geneva February 6, 1932. English, French, German, Dutch, Italian. (1928) 1931-1940. 2 folders
35 (1928) 1931-1932.
36 1933, 1936-1940.
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photographs are digitized. See also archive of the Algemeene Nederlandsche Vrouwen Vredebond (ANVV), especially for the year 1934.
37 Statutes and constitution. English and French. 1937, 1939. 1 folder
   NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. See archive of the Algemeene Nederlandsche
   Vrouwen Vredebond (ANVV) for a draft constitution.

38 ‘A federal outlook’ by Jan Hostie (1931), ‘Economic Development policy for federal
   union’ and ‘Some economic problems of federal union by Archibald A. Evans (1931) and
   ‘Documents illustrative of the Activities of the Committee 1931-1937’. English. [1938]. 4
   items
   NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Other activities in the women’s movement

Seventieth birthday Catt 1929

39 Circular letter to colleagues and friends of Carrie Chapman Catt, in which Rosa Manus asks
   to send her a page for a liber amicarum for Catt’s seventieth birthday on 9 January 1929 or
   to send a recipe or flower seeds for Catt’s ‘international garden’ and lists of names. Dutch,
   French and English. 1928. 4 items
   NB. The album is in archive Catt inv.no. 6.

40 Correspondence concerning the celebration of Carrie Chapman Catt’s seventieth birthday,
   of which Rosa Manus was the organizer. 1928. English, German, French. Alphabetically
   ordered by country: America, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Czechoslovakia, Denmark,
   England, Finland, Germany, Holland, Hungary, Iceland, India, Ireland, Italy, Norway,
   Palestine, Romania, South Africa, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine. 1928. 1 folder

41 Recipes from different countries for Catt’s seventieth birthday. English, French and
   German. [1928]. 1 folder

42 Letters of congratulations from women’s organisations to give to Catt on her seventieth
   birthday by Rosa Manus. English. [1928]. 1 folder

43 Financial document concerning Carrie Chapman Catt’s seventieth birthday. Dutch. [1928].
   1 item

44 Carbon copy of a letter to Selma Lagerlöf concerning her page for Catt’s album. 1929 April
   3. 1 item
   NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

45 Letters of thanks from Catt to Rosa Manus and to the British contributors. English. 1 May
   1929. 2 items
   NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Contact with Katharina von Kardorff and her visit to the Netherlands in 1930

46 Letter from E.C. van Dorp and carbon copy of Rosa’s answering letter from 5 November
   1929. Dutch. 1929. 2 items

47 Letter from Anna-Maria Garschagen 22 January 1930 and carbon copy of Rosa’s answering
   letter from 24 January 1930. German. 1930. 2 items

48 Carbon copy of Rosa’s letter to consul Von Bülow. German. 23 January 1930. 1 item

49 Carbon copy of Rosa’s letter to Hannah Ackerman. German. 2 May 1930. 1 item
Letter from the Berlin 'Damenclub 1930', Anna Schlitter 25 October 1930 and carbon copy of Rosa’s answering letter 30 October 1930. German. 1930. 2 items

Correspondence with Elfriede Zippel, Von Kardorff’s secretary. German. 1930-1931. 4 items

Correspondence with Katharina von Kardorff. With enclosures. German. 1929-1935. 4 folders
  52 1929.
  53 1930.
  54 1931.
  55 1935.

List with names of persons present at the souper on the occasion of Katharina von Kardorff’s visit to the Netherlands. Dutch. 1930. 1 item

Accounts of the speech of Katharina von Kardorff held 28 January 1930 in Amsterdam. Dutch. [1930]. 2 items

Documentation, photographs and press clippings concerning Katharina von Kardorff, mostly with reference to her visit in January 1930 to the Netherlands and a visiting card of p. Dutch and German. 1930. 1 folder

NB. Photographs are digitized and in the picture department

Paper with a description of Katharina von Kardorff by Louise Freifrau von Reibnitz-Maltzan. German. n.y. 1 item

National and International Council of Women.

Correspondence with and concerning the Nationale Vrouwenraad van Nederland as a member of the Internationaal Comité voor Vrouwenkiesrecht. With a letter from Plaminkova and a report of the Commission permanente de Suffrage et des Droits civiques de la Femme du CIF 1934-1936. Dutch and French. 1927-1928, 1932-1934, 1936. 1 folder

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Correspondence with and concerning the Nationale Vrouwenraad van Nederland as a member of the Propagandacomité van de Bibliografiecommissie. Dutch. 1937. 1 folder

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Correspondence with and concerning the Nationale Vrouwenraad van Nederland as a member of the Comité van Aanbeveling 70 jaar Elisabeth Baelde. Dutch. 1929. 1 folder

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Programme of the Council Sessions van de International Council of Women 11-21 July 1938 in Edinburgh. With the name of Rosa Manus. English. 1938. 1 item

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Remaining activities in chronological order

Photo album and 2 photographs on a paper of the Tentoonstelling 'De Vrouw 1813-1913'. 1913. 1 folder

NB. Photographs are digitized.

Documents and photographs concerning the Nederlandsche Vrouwenclub Lyceumclub, of which Rosa Manus was a (board) member and a member of the Internationale Commissie;
she rented a room in this club until October 1932. Dutch and Swedish. 1924-1937. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow; the photographs are digitized.

66 Drafts of texts regarding the women’s movement in the Netherlands and the IWSA, e.g 'De Vrouwenbeweging 1908-1918’, with a letter of Johanna Westerman August 29, 1926. Dutch and English. 1926. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

67 Documents concerning the fourth congress of the International Federation of University Women 1926 in Amsterdam. With photograph. English. 1926. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photograph is digitized.

68 Carbon copies of letters to Jane Addams, 29 July 1930 and 6 July 193, and letter from Jane Addams 25 May 1931, concerning the English translation of Aletta Jacobs’s Memories. English. 1930-1931. 3 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

69 Documents concerning the (Voorlooppig) Comité van voorbereiding der Tentoonstelling 'Moeder en Kind 1932’ of which Rosa Manus was a member. Dutch. 1930-1931. 1 pack
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

70 Invitation of the Comité ter bevordering van de waardering van Vrouwenarbeid in Gezin en Maatschappij, of which Rosa Manus was a member, for a tea on 27 March 1935 as opening of the propaganda week for women’s labour. Dutch. 15 March 1935. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

71 Correspondence with the Nederlandsche Vereeniging van Werkende Vrouwen. Dutch. 1935, 1937. 3 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

72 Carbon copy of a letter to J.W. Huizinga-Huisman concerning her gift to the IAV; on it Rosa has written that she has given the original letter to the IAV, to Coby van der Griendt on July 7, 1936. June 15, 1936. Dutch. 1936. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

73 Letter from S. v. Overvelde Biekart from Kendal, Dutch Indies about the League of Nations and women in politics. Dutch. May 16, 1937. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

74 Letter from and carbon copy of answering letter to the Contactcommissie van de Centrale Bond van Ned. Verbruikscôoperaties and the Plaatselijke Coöperatieve Vrouwenclubs concerning cooperation with other women’s organisations. With documentation. Dutch. 3 and 6 December, 1938. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

75 Documents on the Korps Vrouwelijke Vrijwilligers Amsterdam of which Rosa Manus was a member. Dutch and English. 1939. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Other activities in the (women’s) peace movement

76 Invitation of the Henry Ford Peace Expedition for a banquet in Hotel Wittebrug. With photograph. English. 1916. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photograph is digitized.

77 Letter from the Universal Peace League holding a request to write a message about peace to be read at the World Symposium on Peace in December. English. November 25, 1935. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow, but from another fond (1440-1-58).
78 Circular letter from A. Benteli ‘pour un groupe d’amis de la paix’ from Bern. French. February 24, 1937. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

79 Documents concerning the Centraal Comité Vrouwen Vredesgang. Rosa Manus held a speech in 1938. Dutch. 1935-1940. 1 cover
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

80 Letter of the editor of the monthly ‘Vrede’ in which he asks Rosa to write an article whether an international conference about disarmament and economic issues would be useful, March 9, 1939 and carbon copy of Rosa’s answering letter March 14, 1939, in which she says she is too ill to write such an article but certainly thinks such a conference would be useful if all countries would participate. Dutch. 1939. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

Family, personal papers and general correspondence
81 Documents from and concerning Henry P. Manus. Dutch and English. 1913, 1926, 1931-1932, 1936. 1 cover
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

82 Call for the elections for the Tweede Kamer (Lower House) 5 July 1922. With list of candidates. Dutch. 1922. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

83 Passport, issued 27 August 1935 in Amsterdam, valid (twice renewed 27 July 1937 and 18 August 1938) until 27 August 1941. 1935. 1 item
NB. Received in 1988 from Anneke Krings-Mets.

84 Certification of the Royal decree (Koninklijk Besluit) of 22 August 1936 in which Rosa Manus is appointed Officier in de Orde van Oranje-Nassau. With a letter and an announcement. Dutch. 1936. 3 items
NB. Received in 1948 from Anneke Krings-Mets.

85 Letter from Rosika Schwimmer mainly about woman’s suffrage 4 June 1914. English and German. 1914. 1 item

86 Letter in pencil signed M, (=Mia Boissevain], Boschzigt? Dutch. November 29, 192?. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

87 Photograph of Anna Howard Shaw (from 1908?) dedicated to Rosa Manus. [1908?]. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

88 Photographs of Catt dedicated to Rosa Manus and clippings about Catt. English. 1923, 1928-1929, 1939 and n.y. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

89 Menu with song and photograph of the celebration of the silver jubilee of Ida Mollinger. Dutch. 1925. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photograph is digitized and in the picture department.

90 Postcard of L. Puech containing a Christmas wish and hoping to see her on the congress in Paris in 1926. French. December 23, 1925. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

91 Correspondence with Clara Hyde. English. 1926, 1928, 1930. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

92 Correspondence with Johanna Naber. Dutch. 1931, 1933-1934. 1 folder
93 Letter from Bert Brugman Marionetten asking for financial support. Dutch. September 9, 1932. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

94 Letters and photographs from Ishbel Aberdeen. English. 1934, 1937 and n.y. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photographs are digitized and in the picture department.

95 Pamphlet ‘Vrouwenarbeid .... een maatschappelijk belang?’ with dedication ‘voor juffr. Manus om te laten zien dat wij oòk nog werkten, toen zij voor ‘t feminisme door ‘t Nabije Oosten trok!’. Published by the Werkcomité tot Verdediging van Vrijheid van Arbeid voor de Vrouw. Dutch. 14 February 1935. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

-- Postcard from Alice Salomon. German. 22 July 1935. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. In picture department, see 100014588.

96 Correspondence with Jane de Iongh, among other things about the upcoming opening of the Internationaal Archief voor de Vrouwenbeweging (IAV). Dutch. 1935-1936. 1 folder
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

97 ABC verse and menu for and press clipping concerning the silver jubilee of Clara Meijers as director of Robaver, the women’s bank. Dutch. 1936. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

98 Carbon copy of a personal letter of thanks to Cohen Tervaert-Israels concerning the gift of the painting of Aletta Jacobs to the IAV. Dutch. 10 December 1936. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

99 Postcard from Frida Katz in which she announces her marriage with C.W.F. baron Mackay, September 1937 and press cutting of Katz and Mackay. Dutch. 1937. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

100 Postcard from T. from Belgrade about her planned journey to Bucarest and Budapest. Dutch. n.y. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

101 Telegrams sent to queen Wilhelmina on the occasion of her forty years queen’s jubilee. Dutch. 9 September 1938. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

102 Invitation and admission tickets from the City Council of Amsterdam for a gala concert on the occasion of the visit of the king of Belgium. 31 October 1938. 2 items
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

103 Carbon copy of a letter to Thérèse Hoven with congratulations on her 80th birthday. 2 April 1940. 1 item
NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

104 Christmas card with envelope from M.A.D. [Mary Dingman] from New York. English. 6 December 1940. 1 item
NB. Opened by the German occupier.

105 Postcard with portrait of Carrie Chapman Catt from New Rochelle, 19 July 1941 with greetings of Catt and friends. 1941. 1 item

Documents collected by Rosa Manus

169 Issues of the *Maandblad Vereeniging voor Vrouwenkiesrecht*, with ex libris Rosa Manus. 1897-1902, 1909-1918. 5 volumes
To be consulted digital on www.delpher.nl.


NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

107 Songs and lyrics about peace and woman’s suffrage collected by Rosa. Dutch, Czech and English. 1908, 1913, 1919 and n.y. 1 folder

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

108 Jubilee issue of Het Leven concerning the silver jubilee of Queen Wilhelmina, with Rosa’s name on it. Dutch. September 10, 1923. 1 item

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

165 Charlotte Perkins [Stetson] Gilman, Concerning Children, Boston: Small, Maynard & Company 1901 Met opdracht ‘To my good friend Rosa Manus with grateful remembrance of the author Charlotte Perkins Gilman 1921’. With ex libris Rosa Manus. Received 3 December 2015 from Jan Aarts, who bought the book in the 1980’s on the Waterlooplein in Amsterdam. 1921. 1 item

109 Herinneringen by Aletta Jacobs with an inscription of Jacobs for Rosa Manus ‘Voor mijn lieve Rosa voor al hare vriendelijke liefdesdiensten. Aletta H. Jacobs. April, 1924’. Received in 2003 of the library of the ministerie van Onderwijs, Cultuur en Wetenschappen. 1924. 1 volume

NB. Only the first pages are digitized.

110 Publication of The Artists' Suffrage League Jane Bull to John Bull. Comedy & Tragedy. Pictures for Grown-Ups, with ex libris of Rosa Manus. In 2003 returned from Moscow. n.y. 1 item large seize

111 Documents concerning ‘De vrouw bij de politie’. With photographs. Dutch and French. 1928 and n.y. 1 folder

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow. The photographs are digitized.


NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

113 Articles concerning the position of women in Finland, 'Die Estnische Hauswirtschaftskammer und ihre Aufgaben', 'Le développement du mouvement feministe en Espagne, and two versions of ‘The woman’s vote in New South Wales’ by Rose Scott. 1938 and n.y. 5 items

NB. In 2003 returned from Moscow.

114 Documentation and press cuttings concerning Rosika Schwimmer, being suspected of spying for the Germans, of Bolshevism and of swindling Henry Ford’. English and German. 1924-1925, 1927-1928. 1 folder

**Collected Papers concerning Rosa Manus**

**Donated by Anna Manus Jacobi in 1953**

115 Postcard (portrait Carrie Chapman Catt) from Rosa Manus in Stockholm to Anna Manus about the congress of the IWSA. Dutch. June 1911. 1 item

116 Letters from Rosa Manus to Lucy E. Anthony, from Geneva about the congress and Shaw, June 1920 and from Baarn about Shaw and Catt et. al., English. November 1926. 2 items
117 Press cuttings, mainly concerning Carrie Chapman Catt. English. 1940-1944. 1 folder
118 Report of the Inter-allied Information Center in New-York concerning ‘Allied Women in the War’. English. circa 1941. 1 item
119 Cuttings concerning Rosa Manus’s death. English. 1942. 1 folder
120 Letters to Anna Manus Jacobi from Lucy Anthony (30 July 1942), Emily Balch (8 July 1942), Laura Dreyfus Barney (16 July 16 and 8 August 1942), Carrie Chapman Catt (18 June 1945), Mary Dingman (1942) and Caroline Reilly (17 November 1942) concerning Rosa Manus’s and Anna Manus’s daughter Erica’s death. With a carbon copy of a letter from Anna to Laura D. Barney 5 October 1942. English. 1942, 1945. 1 folder
121 Typed and handwritten manuscript of a radio talk by Anna Manus held on 11 March 1947 on radio New York about Carrie Chapman Catt who had died 9 March 1947. German. 1947. 2 items
122 Handwritten notes of a speech by Anna Manus in memory of Rosa Manus. English. n.y. 1 item
123 Carbon copy of a letter by Anna Manus Jacobi to the Readers Digest concerning Susan B. Anthony. English. With 2 postcards of Susan B. Anthony. 5 February 1947. 1 folder

**Donated by Kurt Warschauer**

124 Letter from Rosa Manus to Kurt Warschauer holding congratulations with his birthday and some information about the family. 17 April 1941. 1 item
NB. Received from Kurt Warschauer 31 August 1992.

**Donated by Anneke Krings-Mets**

125 Carbon copy of a note, named enclosure (bijlage) A (unknown to what it belongs) concerning the possible dates of the imprisonments and death of Rosa Manus. Dutch. 1941-1942, n.y. 1 item
126 Death certificate, dated 23 July 1942 in Ravensbrück stating that Rosa Manus has died there on 29 May 1942. German. 1942. 1 item
127 Letter from Nelia Epker from The Hague, 3 October 1945, to miss Hans van der Meulen concerning Rosa Manus, with whom Nelia Epker was in prison, both in Scheveningen and in Ravensbrück. Dutch. 1945. 1 item
NB. An English translation in inv.no. 124.
128 Letter to Anneke Stern-Mets from the notary office P.W. van der Ploeg /F.H. Charbon in Amsterdam, 10 October 1947, concerning place and date of Rosa Manus’s death. Based on testimonies and official death certificate was asked for 28 April 1943. Dutch. 1947. 1 item

**Collected papers, donated by others or of unknown provenance**

158-164 Collection of envelopes, received in 2014. Probably collected and saved because of the stamps. 1918-1954 7 folders
158 Addressed to Rosa Manus. 1936-1940.
159 Addressed to family Manus. z.j.
160 Addressed to Emma Stern-Manus. 1936-1939 en z.j.
161
Addressed to Erica Jacobi. 1936-1938.


164 Addressed to Erwin Warschauer and to Laura Meyerhoff. 1938-1939.

129 Typed manuscript on Rosa Manus, written as a preface for a publication with contributions of Carrie Chapman Catt, Mia Boissevain, Margery Corbett Ashby and Hans van der Meulen (probably the author). English. n.y. 5 pages
NB. See also archive Clara Meijers inv.no.13.

130 Typed manuscript of Carrie Chapman Catt with memories of Rosa Manus. English. n.y. 5 pages

131 Typed manuscript of Mia Boissevain, a remembrance of Rosa Manus. English. n.y. 26 pages

132 Typed manuscript [of Hans van der Meulen] about Rosa Manus’s last years, entitled ‘Chapter III. Martyrdom’. English. n.y. 11 pages

133 Manuscript of a speech held by Charlotte A. Matthes in remembrance of Rosa Manus. Dutch. n.y. [>1945]. 6 pages

134 Documents from the cemetery Zorgvlied in Amsterdam concerning the grave of the Manus family and the commemorative stone for Rosa Manus. With a picture of the stone. Dutch. Photocopies. 1933-1975. 1 folder
NB. See also archive Clara Meijers inv.no.14.

135 Cutting of a review by Jane de Iongh of the book by Clara M. Meijers, Rosa Manus. Een vrouw van formaat (Leiden 1946). [1946]. 1 item
NB. Returned from Moscow 2003.

147-157 Documents created and gathered by Hilde Brand during her research about Rosa Manus in 2005-2007. n.y. 11 folders
NB. Not digitized; read here the index.

170 Interview with the daughter of Anneke Krings-Mets on 12 October 2008 by Dineke Stam and Hilde Brand. 2008. 2 tapes
NB. Not online available.


Photocopies of letters present in other archives and repositories.
NB. Not digitized.

136 Letter from Anna Manus to Mrs McCullogh, 9 September 1908. 1 item
NB. Original in the Schlesinger Library, Cambridge MA.

137 Letters from Rosa Manus to Mrs McCullogh. 1908-1909. 2 items
NB. Originals in the Schlesinger Library, Cambridge MA.

138 Letters from Rosa Manus to Lucy E. Anthony. 1920-1921, 1926. 1 folder
NB. Originals in the Schlesinger Library, Cambridge MA.

139 Letter from Rosa Manus to Clara Hyde. 28 April 1923. 1 item
140 33 Letters from Rosa Manus to Josephine Schain. 1932-1936, 1939-1940. 1 folder.
NB. Originals in the Sophia Smith Collection, Northampton MA.

141 Letters from Clara Hyde to Rosa Manus. 1922. 3 items.

142 Letter from Kathleen D. Courtney to Rosa Manus. 21 December 1931. 1 item.

143 Carbon copies of 22 letters from Josephine Schain to Rosa Manus. 1931-1940. 1 folder.
NB. Originals in the Sophia Smith Collection, Northampton MA.

144 Copy of the front page of the visitors book of the 12th Congress of the International
Alliance of Women 18-25 April 1935 in Istanbul with the signature of Rosa Manus, vice-
president of the IAW. 1935. 1 item.
NB. Original in the Women’s Library in Istanbul.

145 Letter from Rosa Manus to Margery C. Ashby 8 December 1931; letter from Carrie
Chapman Catt to Margery Corbett Ashby 14 August 1941 and 19 August 1946; letter from
Anna Manus Jacobi to Margery Corbett Ashby 10 March 1945 and 5 July 1945; letter from
NB. Originals in the archive of the IAW in the Women’s Library in London.

146 Letter from Rosa Manus to Necile Terfik concerning the International Alliance of Women
for Suffrage and Equal Citizenship. French. 17 July 1935. 1 item.
NB. Original in the archive of Necile Terfik in the Women's Library in Istanbul.

166 Letters from and concerning Rosa Manus to Margery Corbett Ashby. English. 1931,
NB. Originals in the Margery Corbett Ashby Papers in the Women's Library in London.

167 Letters from Rosa Manus and others to Ruth Bodenheimer. German, English, French,
NB. Originals in the Bodenheimer Papers in the Central Zionist Archives in Jerusalem,
reference number A15. Received from Myriam Everard in 2011.