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Biographical Note

Born as Vero Recchioni, later anglicised to Vernon Richards: born in London 19 July 1915, died in Hadleigh, Suffolk 10 December 2001; civil engineer, anarchist and editor; helped his father with propaganda work against Mussolini; arrested in Paris in January 1935 and extradited from France; in 1936, he published in collaboration with Camillo Berneri a bilingual anarchist and antifascist paper Italia Libera/Free Italy; founded and edited Spain and the World, which became Revolt in 1939, and eventually was followed by War Commentary 1939-1945 and Freedom from 1945; imprisoned for nine months for inciting agitation among soldiers in 1945; editor of Freedom until 1964; continued to run Freedom Press; among his publications are `Lessons of the Spanish Revolution' 1953 and 'Errico Malatesta - Life and Ideas' 1965. Berneri, Marie Louise: his first wife, born in Arezzo, Italy 1918, died in London 1949; took part in the publication of Revision Paris; went to Spain in 1936 where her father Camillo Berneri edited Guerra di Classe; returned to Paris to study psychology at the Sorbonne; went again to Spain after the assassination of her father; in October 1937 she went to London to help her companion Vernon Richards with the publication of Spain and the World; member of the group that edited Revolt and then War Commentary and Freedom until her premature death; among her publications are 'Journey through Utopia' 1950 and 'Neither East nor West' 1952. Recchioni, Emidio: his father, born in Russi near Ravenna, Italy 1864, died in Paris 1934; railroad employee; originally a republican and follower of Giuseppe Mazzini; converted to anarchism in the early 1890s; contributed to Sempre Avanti; founded and edited, with Cesare Agostinelli and others, L'art. 248 Ancona in 1894; arrested in June 1894 in connection with the shooting of Prime Minister Crispi and confined for three years; started with Malatesta and friends L' Agitazione Ancona in 1897; soon arrested again and sent back to the prison isles, but managed to escape; emigrated to England in 1900; stayed involved in all Italian anarchist publications published in Ancona before and during the First World War; contributor to La Protesta and L' Adunata dei refrattari and other papers, mainly under his pen name Nemo; organized and financed a number of attempts on Mussolini. See also the obituary by Colin Ward in The Guardian.

Acquisition

The papers were purchased by the IISH from Vernon Richards in 1984; with an accrual in 2001.

Content

Vernon Richards papers: correspondence relating to Freedom, 1924, 1933-1987 and n.d., including some personal letters, with Camillo Berneri, Gerald Brenan, Havelock Ellis, Emma Goldman, Jim Huggon and Steve Sorba, August John, Max Nettlau, George Orwell, Sylvia Pankhurst, Herbert Read, Raffaele Schiavina and many other anarchists mainly from France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy and the USA; personal papers relating to education, study, finance, family members, memberships and business activities 1926-1983; manuscripts of articles and books, including 'Malatesta - Life and Ideas' and 'Lessons of the Spanish Revolution', with some other documents; manuscripts and notes by Camillo Berneri, Max Nettlau and others 1858-1984; manuscripts of translations, including 'Kropotkin's The State - Its Historic Role' and Gaston Leval's 'Collectives in the Spanish Revolution' by (1937) 1969, 1973-1975, 1978; files relating to Freedom Press, including minutes of meetings 1946-1948, 1965-1967; documents relating to organization, finance and premisis, partly also concerning Spain and the World and Revolt 1936-1984; manuscripts by various authors; documents on publishing activities, the Freedom bookshop, a conflict with the Anarchist Federation Group 1941-1946, the prosecution of Freedom members on charges of conspiracy 1940-1941, 1944-1945; documents relating to a protest meeting against political trials in Spain 1952, including single letters from Benjamin Brittan, Fenner Brockway, E.M. Foster, Aldous Huxley, Lewis Mumford and Bertrand Russell; documents on other subjects and printed material. Marie Louise Berneri papers: correspondence with anarchists 1936, 1938-1949, including Volin (pseudonym of Vsevelod M. Eichenbaum); letters from her mother Giovanna Berneri 1937, 1939 and from Vernon Richards 1945; diaries 1934, 1939, 1947-1949; documents relating to education and study 1933-1936; manuscript of 'Workers in Stalin's Russia' 1941-1945 and of articles and speeches 1937-1938, 1940-1943; notes 1929, 1935-1944, 1949; documentation 1932-1947; letters by Marie Louise Berneri to her grandmother Aldalgisa Berneri-Fochi 1947-1949. Emidio Recchioni papers: letters received from Luigi Fabbri, Carlo Frigero, Luigi Galleani, Errico Malatesta, Max Nettlau, Raffaele Schiavina (1904-) 1921-1934; notebooks kept during his illness 1934; manuscripts of articles 1921 and n.d.; financial documents relating to his Italian produce store 'King Bomba' in London 1917-1919 and Carrara marble trading 1925, 1931-1933; some documents concerning Michele Schirru's attempt on Mussolini and Recchioni's involvement 1930-1932. Papers of other relatives: papers of Camillo Berneri (1897-1937) consisting of letters received by Berneri 1916, 1920, 1929, 1935, manuscripts of articles primarily on the catholic church and fascism 1905-1906, 1909, 1926-1927, 1932-1937, notes on Spain 1936-1937, printed material; papers of Giovanna Berneri, Giliane Berneri, Constanza Recchioni, Vera Balfour-Recchioni.

Correspondence relating to Freedom Press, including personal correspondence 1945-2000; correspondence with Chip's Booksearch 1997-1999, Marianne Enckel 1988-1996, Simone Gangnet 1999-2000, Sidonie Goossens 1999-2000, Bob Jones 1985-1992, Morag 1999-2000; passport and other personal documents 1942, 1960; typescripts and manuscripts of his books and articles 1964-1999; correspondence with Freedom Press office 1998; typescripts and manuscripts of books and articles to be published by Freedom Press, including notes and documentation 1931-1933, 1964-1995; documents concerning the publication of books, pamphlets and the periodicals Freedom, The Raven and other publications 1932, 1941, 1995-1996; documents concerning the Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee 1949-1952, 1954, a Freedom readership survey 1960, Freedom Press bookshop 1973-1994, Friends of Freedom Press 1975-1990; financial documents of Freedom Press 1990-1999; documents concerning his activities as photographer, secondhand bookseller and tour guide 1946-1968; file on Herbert Read and other documents 1939-1969; documentation on reviews of his publications and of others 1949-1996, on persons, including George Orwell and Colin Ward 1947-1999, on communist countries 1939-1994, on anarchism and other documentation 1881-2000.

Papers of other relatives: papers of Giliane Berneri 1949-1954, 1999; papers of Marie Louise Berneri (1918-1949), including correspondence 1937-1948, typescript and personal notes 1936-1937, printed articles, published in War Commentary and Freedom 1939-1948.

Arrangement

The documents from Vernon Richards(no. 1-267) on the one hand and Marie Louise Berneri, Emidio Recchioni, other relatives and Freedom staff members (no. 268-367) on the other hand have been entered into separate sections.

In some cases though a strict separation proved not to be possible. Cross references have been made in these instances. Apart from this, the existing order has been maintained as far as possible, although inconsistencies have been corrected. Some remarks should be made as to the nature of the documents within the different sections.

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Also the documents under the heading "Documentation" probably partly concern Freedom Press documentation, while another part may have been collected by Vernon Richards personally.

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The documents of the Freedom Defense Committee have been separated from the archives and added to the Freedom Defense Committee archive.

Books, pamphlets, periodicals and a series of 38 volumes of the Reclus' Universal Geography have been brought to the institutes' library.

Photographs and posters, which had been taken to the audiovisual department of the institute, added at the end of the list.

The archives measure 9.25 meter.

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THE ARCHIVES

The papers of Vernon Richards were bought in 1987 and transferred to the International Institute of Social History in 1988.

They contained not only the archive of Vernon Richards himself, but also papers of his companion Marie Louise Berneri, his father Emidio Recchioni, and the papers of some other relatives and staff members of Freedom Press, to which Vernon Richards dedicated the larger part of his life.

BIOGRAPHICAL AND HISTORICAL DATA

Vero Recchioni, later anglicised to Vernon Richards, was born in London in 1915 as the son of the Italian refugees Emidio and Constanza Recchioni.

He began his political career helping his father with propaganda work against Mussolini's fascist system. He was arrested in Paris in 1935 and expelled from France. Early in 1936 he published in collaboration with Camillo Berneri, a bilingual anarchist and antifascist paper Italia Libera/Free Italy. He founded and edited Spain and the World, which became Revolt in 1939. Later is was called War Commentary(1939-1945) and then Freedom, from 1945.

In 1945 Vernon Richards was accused of inciting agitation among soldiers and was sentenced to nine months imprisonment along with Philip Sansom and John Hewetson.

From 1949 until 1952 he was a member of the Freedom Press Group. He was the editor of Freedom from 1952 until 1964. After he retired from the editorship, he continued to manage Freedom Press financially. He wrote many books and articles on anarchist topics and translated some books from the French and Italian into English. Trained as a civil engineer he was employed during the Second World War by Caffin & Co. Ltd as engineer/agent on several contracts, mostly for the Main Line Railway Companies (1).

From 1968 he worked as a commercial gardener. He also lead tours, did photography and was engaged in his father's wine and pasta store "King Bomba" in London.

MARIE LOUISE BERNERI (1918-1949)

Marie Louise Berneri was born in 1918 in Arezzo, Italy. She was a member of a well-known anarchist family. Her father Camillo Berneri was a leading theoretician of the Italian anarchist movement. Because he refused to accept the demands laid upon the teaching profession by the Fascists the family left Italy and went into exile in France.

Marie Louise Berneri soon became involved in the anarchist movement and took part in the publication of Révision in Paris with a group of French militants. In 1936 she went to Spain where Camillo Berneri edited Guerra di Classe. She returned to Paris to study psychology at the Sorbonne but went back to Spain after the assassination of her father in 1937 during the Spanish Civil War.

Later in 1937 she moved to London to help her companion Vernon Richards with the publication of Spain and the World. She became a member of the group that edited Revolt, which was later renamed War Commentary and Freedom(from 1945 on). In order to escape from the wandering expatriate existence of a political refugee she married Vernon Richards(2). She wrote books, pamphlets, articles, editorials and reviews and edited anarchist publications. She also organized meetings, initiated weekly lectures and sold the papers and pamphlets in the Freedom bookshop, during meetings and in the streets. She maintained an extensive correspondence with anarchists in Europe and South America and played a leading role in the anarchist movement in England. In 1949 she died at an early age.

EMIDIO RECCHIONI (1864-1934)

Emidio Recchioni, Vernon Richards' father, was born in Russi near Ravenna, Italy in 1864. He was employed as a railroad-employee. Originally a republican and follower of Giuseppe Mazzini, he was converted to anarchism in the early 1890s by Cesare Agostinelli in Ancona.

He started to write, in particular satirical and polemical articles on local subjects for the anarchist press, mainly Sempre Avanti. With Agostinelli and others he founded and edited L'art. 248 in 1894.

In June 1894 he was arrested in connection with the shooting of the Italian Prime Minister Crispi and eventually confined to three years in prison. Released in March 1897 he started together with Errico Malatesta and friends L'Agitazione in Ancona. Soon he was arrested again and was sent to the prison isles from which he managed to escape (3).

Having lost his job at the railroad company he emigrated to England in 1900 (4), and started a wine and pasta store in London named "King Bomba", in memory of the notorious tyrant of Naples, King Ferdinand II (5). He also traded in Carrara marble.

He was involved in all Italian anarchist publications published before and during the First World War and was also a regular contributor to La Protesta and L'Adunata dei refrattari, mainly under his pen name Nemo. He organized and financed a number of attempts on Mussolini.

He died in Paris in 1934.

FREEDOM AND FREEDOM PRESS

Published by Freedom PressFreedom was originally founded in October 1886 by a group of people which included Peter Kropotkin, who lived in Britain from 1886 to 1917 and was a frequent contributor until the First World War. Other foreign exiles were also involved, but the group consisted mainly of native activists and was run for the major part of its existence by Tom Keell. When Freedom ceased to appear in 1927 he moved Freedom Press to Whiteway Colony near Stroud and ran it from there publishing at irregular intervals a Freedom Bulletin between 1928 to 1932. A rival paper called Freedom(New Series) was published from 1930 to 1936 by a group of opponents.

A second period in the history of the Freedom Press began in 1936 at the time of the Spanish Civil War. The achievements of the Spanish anarchist movement resulted in a revival of activity amongst anarchists and considerable interest and sympathy in a broader part of the general public.

In 1936 therefore Spain and the World was set up at the initiative of Vernon Richards and was supported by Marie Louise Berneri and some members of the old group. After Tom Keell's death in 1938, Freedom and Spain and the World were combined.

In 1939 a few months after the collapse in Spain the periodical appeared under the new title Revolt, with Vernon Richards still a editor, but several others as co-editors. The last issue of this paper appeared on June 3rd 1939.

Two months after the outbreak of war, November 1939, the first issue of War Commentary appeared, which had been founded by Vernon Richards, Albert Meltzer and Marie Louise Berneri.

As one of the former co-editors of RevoltTom Brown was asked to join and later, as they entered the movement, John Hewetson and George Woodcock were also invited. In 1945 War Commentary changed its name back to Freedom, which it has retained ever since.

Freedom Press issued several other periodicals, notably the monthly magazine Anarchy during the 1960s, and also a large number of pamphlets and books, including reprints and anthologies of anarchist classics and a new quarterly magazine The Raven, whose first issue appeared in November 1986.

The work of running Freedom Press came under several headings: Office administration, editing, publishing, distribution and finances (6) and was done on a voluntary basis. Neither the staff nor the authors of the publications received any payment. Staff and editors had often been harassed by the authorities and the editors had been imprisoned for opposing both world wars. Freedom Press changed its premises many times (7).

Freedom Press publications were printed by Express Printers. In 1981 Aldgate Press was launched with funds from the Friends of Freedom Press and operated as an autonomous commercial printing partnership (8).

The Freedom Bookshop has been the main outlet for anarchist literature as well as a selection of relevant non-anarchist titles.

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Notes:

- 1) See no. 50.
- 2) "Letter to the Past; An Autobiography" by George Woodcock, p. 246.
- 3) Max Nettlau collection no. 118: Manuscript "Die italienische anarchistische Bewegung von 1894 bis 1900"
- 4) Studi Sociali, 16-5-1934.
- 5) "Letter to the Past; An Autobiography" by George Woodcock, p. 246.
- 6) See no. 134.
- 7) Freedom Centenary Edition. "A Hundred Years; October 1886 to October 1986". Vol.47, nr.9. 1986, London.
- 8) Freedom. Centenary Edition. "A Hundred Years; October 1886 to October 1986". Vol.47, nr.9. 1986, London. p. 27.

LITERATURE

Marie Louise Berneri; A Tribute. Published by the Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee, 1949, London;

Freedom. Centenary Edition. A Hundred years; October 1886 to October 1986. Vol. 47, no.9. 1986, London. (IISH);

Freedom Press. Leaflet. Published by the Friends of Freedom Press. N.d. (IISH Bro An 1485/185);

Woodcock, G. Letter to the Past; An Autobiography. 1982. Ontario, Canada. (IISH 351/72).

INTRODUCTION TO ACCRUAL

In June 2001 the IISH received an accrual to the papers of Vernon Richards. He died later that year in Hadleigh on December 10, 2001, aged 86.

The papers mainly consist of Freedom Press and personal correspondence. Besides the papers there are some personal documents, manuscripts and typescripts of his publications, manuscripts and typescripts and other Freedom Press documents, some documents of his other activities, documentation on reviews of publications, documentation on persons, countries and other documentation.

The papers also contain documents from Giliane Berneri and Marie Louise Berneri(wife of Vernon Richards). In the annex obituaries on Vernon Richards and a photo album from Joan Toner(?) can be found.

The size of the accrual is 2,25 m.

LIST OF THE MICROFILMS

(Inv.nos. with * are closed or partly closed. See list of the archive)

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Geographic Names

United Kingdom

Themes

Anarchist movements
Fascism and Nazism/ Fascist and Nazist movements and parties/Anti-fascist movements
Culture, media and arts
International organizations
Press/Journalism

Material Type

Archival material Photos

Persons

Goldman, Emma Orwell, George Nettlau, Max Ward, Colin

Organizations

Freedom Press

VERNON RICHARDS (1915-2001)

GENERAL

Chronological correspondence

- 1-27 Correspondence.1924, 1934-1940, 1942, 1944-1987 and n.d. 25 boxes and 2 folders
 - 1 1924, 1934-1940, 1942, 1944-1950 and n.d.
 - 2 1951-1953 and n.d.
 - 3 1953-1954 and n.d.
 - 4 1954-1955 and n.d.
 - 5 1955 and n.d.
 - 6 1955-1956 and n.d.
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 - 8 1958-1960 and n.d.
 - 9 1961-1963 and n.d.
 - 10 1963-1964 and n.d.
 - 11 1964-1965 and n.d.
 - 12 1965-1966 and n.d.
 - 13 1967-1968 and n.d.

- 14 1969-1970 and n.d.
- 15 1970-1971 and n.d.
- 16 1971-1972 and n.d.
- 17 1972-1973 and n.d.
- 18 1973-1974 and n.d.
- 19 1975-1976 and n.d.
- 20 1976-1978 and n.d.
- 21 1978-1979 and n.d.
- 22 1980-1982 and n.d.
- 23 1983-1984 and n.d.
- 24 1984-1985 and n.d.
- 25 1985-1986 and n.d. .
- 26 1986 and n.d. (folder).
- 27 1987 and n.d. (folder).

Alphabetical correspondence

- 28 Correspondence with Camillo Berneri.1936 and n.d. 1 cover
- 29 Letters from Gerald Brenan and Hazel. 1949 and n.d. 1 cover
- 30 Correspondence with Lain Diez.1958-1959 and n.d. 1 cover
- 31 Letters from Havelock Ellis.1936-1937 and n.d. 1 cover
- 32 Letter from Luigi Fabbri. 1934. (3 p.) 1 cover
- 33 Correspondence with Pat Flanagan. 1983-1985. 1 cover
- 34 Letter from Carlo Frigerio.1962. 1 piece
- 35 Letters from Emma Goldman.; 17-2-1933. 2 p. 28-4-1933. 2 p. 19-8-1933. 2 p. 5-7-1939. 1 p. 25-7-1939. 1 p. 2-8-1939. 1 p.1933, 1939. 1 cover
- 36 Letters from E.A. Gutkind.1954-1955. 1 cover
- 37-38 Correspondence, mainly with Jim Huggon and Steve [Sorba].1979-1983 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 37 1979-1981 and n.d.
 - 38 1979-1983 and n.d.
 - 39 Letters from Augustus John. 1942, 1948, 1953-1954 and N.d. 1 cover
 - 40 Letters from Max Nettlau.1935-1938 and n.d. 1 cover

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15-4-1935. 1 p.
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29-4-1935. 1 p.

n.d. 1 p.

22-6-1935. 1 p.

12-8-1935. 1 p.

3-10-1935. 2 p.

16-12-1935. 1 p.

30-3-1936. 1 p.

18-12-1935. 1 p. With a postcard from P. Reclus to Nettlau.

15-12-1935. 1 p.

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18-6-1936. 2 p.
        2-7-1936, 2 p.
        30-7-1936. 1 p.
        5-10-1936. 2 p.
        11-10-1936. 5 p. With notes from M. Nettlau.
        23-10-1936. 2 p.
        21-11-1936. 3 p.
        30-11-1936. 2 p.
        2-12-1936. 2 p.
        5-12-1936. 1 p.
        8-1-1937. 1 p.
        n.d. 2 p.
        23-2-1937. 2 p.
        26-3-1937. 2 p. With a carbon copy of a letter from V. Richards. n.d. 2 p.
        19-7-1937. 6 p.
        13-7-1937. 2 p.
        29-7-1937. 4 p.
        22-4-1937. 3 p.
        15-11-1937. 1 p.
        n.d. 1 p.
        n.d. 1 p. 27-9-1938. 1 p.
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        Letters from George Orwell. 1946, 1949 and n.d. With letters from the Library of
        the University College, London concerning the use of the Orwell letters for a book.
        1968 and n.d.1946, 1949, 1968, n.d. 1 cover
        6-8-1946. 1 p.
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        7-4-1949. 1 p.
        13-4-1949. 1 p.
        22-6-1949. 1 p.
        N.d. 1 p.
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        20-5-1937. 3 p.
        24-5-1937. 1 p.
        28-6-1937. 4 p.
        23-7-1937. 2 p.
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        Letters from Herbert Read.1948, 1962 and n.d. 1 cover
        Correspondence with Raffaele Schiavina, pseudonym: Max Sartin. 1934-1936,
        1968, 1983. 1 cover
        Correspondence.1949-1954 and n.d. 3 folders
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- 51 Documents concerning the death of M.L. Berneri. 1949, 1952. 1 cover
- Certified copy from the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, concerning the guardianship of Vernon Richards for the children of Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1963. 1 piece

Education/Studies

- 53 Schoolreports from the Emanuel School, Wandsworth Common.1926-1932. 1 cover
- Mathematical notes and the cover of an exercise book from the Emanuel School, Wandsworth Common. n.d. 1 cover
- Certificate from the "Grand Concours Annuel de Langue et de Littérature Française", London.1934. 1 piece
- 56 "Architects (Registration) Act", Chapter 33, 1931; Chapter 38, 1934; Chapter 54, 1938. Printed. 1 cover

Finances

- 57-58 Documents, mainly concerning financial settlements with Constanza Recchioni, the settlement of the heritage from Constanza Recchioni and financial transactions made for Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1932, 1935-1947, 1955-1958. 2 covers
 - 57 1932, 1935-1947, 1955-1957.
 - 58 1956-1958.
 - 59 Documents concerning the rent of 11, Eton Place, London.1939, 1946, 1948, 1956-1958. 1 cover
 - 60 Post-War-Credit certificates.1942-1944, 1947. 1 cover
 - 61 "Ration Books" from the Ministry of Food.1948-1949, 1953-1954. 2 quires
 - Insurance policies, mainly concerning private- and Freedom Press insurances. With correspondence.1951-1952, 1956-1966, 1969-1970. 1 folder
- 63-66 Correspondence with the Inspector of Taxes, mainly concerning the maintenance of Vera Balfour-Recchioni's children and concerning Vernon Richards' activities as a market gardener.1959, 1963-1983. 4 folders
 - 63 1959, 1963-1968.
 - 64 1968-1971.
 - 65 1971-1978.
 - 66 1978-1983.
- 67-68 Documents concerning the selling of Charles Duff's books by V. Richards.1967-1968. 2 folders
 - 67 1967.
 - 68 1967-1968.
- 69-70 Documents concerning the selling of 17 Maxwell Road, the purchase of 84 Whitechapel Highstreet and the purchase and alteration of "The Golden Pightle", Evans Heath, Polstead.1967-1969. 2 folders
 - 69 1967-1969.

- 70 1968-1969.
- *71 Correspondence with the Department of Health and Social Security. With documentation. 1976-1981 and n.d. Closed. 1 folder

Memberships

- 72 Membership book from the London Co-operative Society. With a receipt for entrance fee.1947. 1 cover
- 73 Membership card from the Malatesta Club, London.1954. 1 piece
- 74 Membership card from King's College, London. C.1955. 1 piece
- 75 Membership card from the Soil Association.1970. 1 piece
- 76 Directory of members of King's College London Engineers' Association Officers.1971. 1 quire
- 77 Member's contribution cards from the National Union of Agricultural and Allied Workers.1976-1981. 1 cover

Miscellaneous

- 78 Documents concerning his expulsion from France.1935-1936 1 cover
- 79 Notes concerning his testament.1949, 1955. 1 cover
- 80 Documents concerning the "Maria Luisa Berneri" holiday camp for children.1950 and n.d. 1 cover
- 81 Appointment card from the Guy's Hospital, London.1971. 1 piece
- 82-87 Documents concerning a complaint by Dachine Rainer against the Westminster City Council on the accusation of maladministration.1972-1974, 1976-1981. 6 folders.
 - 82 1971-1973, 1976-1980.
 - 83 1972-1973, 1976-1979.
 - 84 1974, 1976-1980.
 - 85 1976-1980.
 - 86 1976-1981.
 - 87 1976-1981.
 - 88 Recipe. In Italian.N.d. 1 piece
 - 89 Drawing by Vernon Richards.N.d. 1 piece
 - 90 Copies of streetplans. With notes.N.d. 1 cover

AUTHORSHIP

Manuscripts

- 91-97 Manuscripts of articles. With correspondence and documentation. 1944, [1947], 1949-1950, 1953-1964, 1967 and n.d. 4 boxes and 3 folders.
 - 91 1944, [1947], 1949-1950, 1953-1954 and n.d.
 - 92 1955-1956 and n.d. (box).

- 93 1957-1958 and n.d. (box).
- 94 1958-1961 and n.d. (box).
- 95 1959-1964 and n.d. (box).
- 96 1963-1964 and n.d.
- 97 1963-1964, 1967 and n.d.
- 98 Manuscripts of articles on the death of George Orwell.1950. 1 cover
- 99 Manuscript of an article about Lilian Wolfe on the occasion of her 90th birthday. With the text of an interview with her and the announcement of her death in 1974.1972, 1974 and n.d. 1 cover
- 100 Manuscripts of articles on Freedom Press.C. 1975 and N.d. 1 cover
- 101 Manuscript of the article "Proposals to be put to Resistance Group".N.d. 1 cover
- 102-106 Manuscript "Malatesta Life and Ideas". English and Italian version. With correspondence, notes, proofs and documentation.C. 1894-1968. 3 boxes and 2 folders
 - 102 C.1894-1935, 1951-1954, 1960, 1968 and n.d. Contains also: Documentation and manuscript from Camillo Berneri.
 - 103 C.1913-1935. Contains also: Text on Errico Malatesta by Max Nettlau; postcards and letters from Errico Malatesta to Thomas H. Keell and Lilian Wolfe.
 - 104 C. 1908-1965. (box).

 Contains also: Letters from Errico Malatesta to Emidio Recchioni and notes from Camillo Berneri.
 - 105 1934, 1950 and n.d. (box).
 - 106 1961-1966 and n.d. (box). Contains also: Notes by Max Nettlau.
- 107-111 Manuscript "Lessons of the Spanish Revolution". With correspondence, notes, proofs and documentation.C. 1858-1948, 1951-1954, 1972 and n.d. 5 boxes
 - 107 C. 1958-1937.; Contains also: File "Clera Fascista" from Camillo Berneri; manuscripts and notes from Camillo Berneri and Marie Louise Berneri; Letters to Emma Goldman; Statement by Emma Goldman concerning the assignment of her heirs; Statement from the Generalitat de Catalunya concerning Emma Goldman; Circular letter from the Committee Sustaining Fund for Emma Goldman; Lecture notes from John Hewetson; Documents on Charles Duff; Letter from G. Michaud probably to Camillo Berneri; Request-letter to Benito Mussolini from J.B. Madasiaga; Manuscript of an article by Avelino Gonzale-Mallada.
 - 108 1936-1939, 1943-1945, 1952-1954. .; Contains also: Manuscripts from various authors; Notes from Marie Louise Berneri; Emma Goldman correspondence.
 - 109 1937-1939 and n.d.; Contains also: Emma Goldman correspondence; Manuscripts from various authors; Notes from Marie Louise Berneri and Camillo Berneri.
 - 110 1939-1952 and n.d.; Contains also: Manuscripts from various authors and notes from Marie Louise Berneri.

- 111 1951-1952, 1972 and n.d.
- 112-113 Manuscript " Kropotkin's The State Its Historic Role", translated from the French: "L' Etat Son Role Historique" (1897). With proofs.1969 and n.d. 2 folders

112 1969.

113 N.d.

- 114 Manuscript " Malatesta's L' Anarchia", translated from the Italian: "L' Anarchia" (1891).1973. 1 folder
- 115-119 Manuscript "Collectives in the Spanish Revolution", translated from the French: "Espagne Libertaire" by Gaston Leval. With correspondence, contracts and documentation. (1937), 1973-1975 and n.d. 1 box and 4 folders

115 (1937) 1973-1975.

116 N.d.

117 N.d.

118 N.d. (box).

119 N.d.

120-121 Manuscript "The Impossibilities of Social Democracy". With correspondence.1978. 2 folders

120 1978.

- 121 1978.
- 122-124 Manuscript "Protest Without Illusions". With correspondence.1981 and n.d. 3 folders

122 1981 and n.d.

123 N.d.

124 N.d.

125-126 Manuscript "Why? Work? - Argument for the Leisure Society". With correspondence and documentation.1976, 1980-1984 and n.d. 2 folders

125 1976, 1980-1984 and n.d.

126 1981-1984 and n.d.

Notes

127 Notes concerning the IISH, the CNT/FAI and other subjects.N.d. 1 cover

Published articles

- 128 Articles in several newspapers.1947-1951, 1960, 1966 and n.d. 1 cover
- Press clipping of the article "The Situation in Madrid" by Vernon Richards and Marie Louise Berneri. N.d. 1 piece

EDITORSHIP FREEDOM PRESS

N.B. For Freedom Press correspondence see no. 17 and 26871.

Minutes

130 Minutes of the meetings. 1946-1948, 1965-1967. 1 folder

Organization

- 131 Certificates of the Registration of Business Names for Express Printers and The Aldgate Press.1943, 1958. 2 pieces
- Documents concerning an "Anarchist Library Project". 1967-1968 and n.d. 1 cover.
- Articles of Association of Friends of Freedom Press Ltd. With names, addresses and descriptions of the subscribers. 3 photocopies.1981. 1 cover
- 134 List of the organizational tasks within Freedom Press.N.d. 1 piece
- 135 Editorial notes on behalf of Freedom Press. N.d. 1 cover

Finances

- 136-137 Statements of accounts, balance sheets and reports on *Spain and the World*, Spain and the World Orphans and Refugees, *Revolt*, Express printers and Freedom Press.1936-1940, 1942-1950, 1953-1957. 1 volume and 1 folder
 - 136 1936-1940, 1942-1949, 1953-1957. (volume).
 - 137 1942-1950, 1956.
- 138-139 "Job books". With financial notes on Express Printers.1942-1952 2 volumes 138 1942-1949.
 - 139 1950-1952.
 - Financial notes and invoices from Express Printers to Freedom Press.1947-1948, 1951-1952 and n.d. 1 folder
 - Documents concerning a court case in 1981 over a legacy from Josephine Toner, left to Freedom Press. With annexes.1947, 1964, 1966-1969, 1978-1984. 1 box
 - Documents concerning a disagreement between Express Printers and *The Jewish Weekly* about the payment of rent.1949-1951. 1 cover
 - Financial notes, mainly on lent money to several persons and to Express Printers.1954, 1956-1957 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 144 Correspondence concerning the financial situation and the organization of Freedom Press and Express Printers. With notes.1960-1966. 1 cover
- 145-147 Bank statements from the Credit Lyonnais, London, to Vernon Richards, to Dorothy Hewetson, to John C. Hewetson trading as Freedom Press. With correspondence and financial notes.1971-1982. 3 folders
 - 145 1971-1979.
 - 146 1977-1981.
 - 147 1979-1982.
 - 148 Financial notes and correspondence with Jim Huggon about the finances.1975-1979, 1982-1983. 1 folder

Premises

149-151 Documents concerning the Whitechapel Highstreet premises.1923, 1948-1949, 1967-1971 and n.d. 3 folders

- 149 1923, 1948-1949, 1967-1968 and n.d.
- 150 1968-1969.
- 151 1970-1971.

Manuscripts from various authors

- "Neither East Nor West" by Marie Louise Berneri. With proofs and clippings.1939-1948, 1951-1952 and n.d. 3 folders
 - 152 1939-1948 and n.d.
 - 153 1943 and n.d.
 - 154 1951-1952 and n.d.N.B. Published by the Marie Louise Berneri Committee.
 - 155 Manuscripts of the articles "Les événements dans le Sud" and "Le facteur Kurde ou la tragédie caricaturale" by Damashki.N.d. 1 cover
 - 156 Manuscript of the article "Carta de Garcia Oliver a Vivancos" by Garcia Oliver. N.d. 1 cover.
 - 157 Manuscript of the article "A Radical Theoretician Treats the Subject of Fascism" by Arnold H. Kamiat. C.1941. 1 cover
 - 158 Manuscripts of articles by Mat Kavanagh. With lists of recommended books.N.d. 1 cover
 - Manuscripts of the articles "Le Dante Alighieri", "L'attentato di Roma" and "La politica parlamentare nel movimente socialista" by Errico Malatesta. N.d. 1 cover.
 - Manuscript of the article "La situation politique et sociale des musulmans d'Alg.eacute;rie" by N. Molinsy Fabregas.1944. 1 cover
 - Manuscript of the article "Errico Malatesta- Rough Outlines of his Life up till 1920
 "by Max Nettlau. With corrections and additions (published in *Freedom*, oct.-nov. 1920) Photocopy.N.d. 1 cover
 - Manuscripts of the articles "Les étudiants Argentins résistent à la 'formation politique' que leur impose le gouvernement Péron", "Une tactique antianarchiste", "Le troisième front", "Deux mots à nos adversaires", "Un jour viendra", "Bilan d'un demi-siècle d'évolution dans la structure de la France (1900-1950)", "Notes sur la dualité des pouvoirs dans la révolution" and "Même un simple soldat auraut du^ désobéir aux ordres qu'il savait pertinemment être contraires aux intérêts du pais" by André Prudhommeaux.1951 and n.d. 1 cover
 - Manuscript of the article "An Anarchist's Comment on the New Structure of the Anarchist Federation of Spain (FAI)" by Pierre Ramus.N.d. 1 cover
 - Manuscripts of the articles "The Utopian Mentality" and "The Ape of Hitler" by Herbert Read.N.d. 1 cover
 - 165 Manuscripts of the articles "Vor dem Siege" and "The Tragic Week in May". [1937] by Augustin Souchy. N.d. 1 cover
 - Manuscript of the essay "Makhno. Contribution aux études sur l'énigme de la personnalité" by Volin. 3 versions. 1945 and n.d. 1 cover.
 - Manuscripts of articles on George Orwell by George Woodcock. With documentation. 1949-1951, 1955, 1960 and N.d. 1 folder
- 168-169 Manuscripts of articles by several other writers.1895, 1929, 1945, 1952-1953, 1974 and n.d. 2 folders

- 168 1895, 1929, 1945 and n.d.
- 169 1952-1953, 1974 and n.d.

Publishing activities

Correspondence

- 170 Correspondence with the Rocker Publications Committee, Los Angeles. With notes, 1947-1948. 1 cover
- 171 Correspondence with Routledge and Kegan Paul Ltd., London.1947, 1950-1960, 1971-1972, 1975. 1 cover
- 172 Correspondence with the League for Freedom, Melbourne. With notes.1948-1949 and n.d. 1 cover
- 173 Correspondence with the editor of the *Journal of Sex Education*, London. With notes.1948-1949, 1951 and n.d. 1 cover
- 174 Correspondence with the Maximoff Publication Committee, Chicago.1948-1951. 1 cover
- 175 Correspondence with the Vineyard Press Ltd., Colchester. With notes and invoices. 1976-1978 and n.d. 1 cover
- 176-182 Correspondence with various publishers. With contracts.1948, 1967-1985 and n.d. 7 folders
 - 176 1948, 1969-1974, 1976-1979, 1982.
 - 177 1967-1971 and n.d.
 - 178 1972-1977, 1979.
 - 179 1974-1977, 1979.
 - 180 1975-1977.
 - 181 1977-1985.
 - 182 1979-1983.

Other documents

- 183 Indexes on articles in *Freedom*.N.d. 1 cover
- 184 Lists and pamphlets of Freedom Press publications.1947, 1963, 1966, 1969-1970, 1980, 1982, 1984 and n.d. 1 cover
- Lay-out of the "Freedom Book Supplement Winter 1948". 1 piece
- Documents concerning the "Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee". 1949-1950, 1952 and n.d. 1 cover.
- "Colonialism on Trial; Selected Articles from the Anarchist Weekly Freedom". Vol.3. 1953. Published by Freedom Press. 1954. Incomplete. 1 volume
- Documents concerning an ideological dispute between Vernon Richards and J. García Pradas in a number of articles in *España Libre*.1954-1955, 1976 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 188 1954-1955 and n.d.
 - 189 1954, 1976 and n.d.
 - 190 Clippings of articles and published letters in *Freedom*. With notes.1962-1964 and n.d. 1 cover

- Documents concerning an ideological dispute between Vernon Richards and M. Mantovani, director of *Umanita Nova*, Rome.1965-1966. 1 cover
- 192 Anarchy, vol. 6, nr. 10, october 1966. With notes. 1 copy.
- 193 Proofs of *Anarchy*. Vol. 9. 1969 and Vol. 10.1970. 1 cover

Freedom Bookshop

- 194 List of subscribers to War Commentary. N.d. 1 piece
- 195 Lists with addresses of bookshops. With invoices.N.d. 1 cover
- 196 List of anarchist periodicals.N.d. 1 piece
- 197 Notes, mainly on the distribution and the book-sale.N.d. 1 piece
- 198 Cash book.1941-1943. 1 volume
- 199-200 Ledgers concerning the sale to bookshops.1943-1944, 1961-1967. 2 volumes 199 1943-1944.
 - 200 1961-1967.
 - 201 Stock lists concerning the booksupplies.1944, 1947-1954 and n.d. 1 folder
 - 202 List of sold copies of the book "ABC of Anarchism" by A. Berkman.1947. 1 piece
 - Notebook concerning the sold books, pamphlets and periodicals. With drafts of letters.1949 and n.d. 1 quire
 - "Duplicate book". Receipt book concerning the book-sale.1967-1968. 1 volume.
 - 205 Correspondence and invoices concerning the book-sale.1968, 1972-1973. 1 folder
- 206-209 Correspondence by M. Canipa, mainly with subscribers.1971-1978, 1980 and n.d. 4 folders
 - 206 1971-1974 and n.d.
 - 207 1971-1978, 1980 and n.d.
 - 208 1971-1975, 1977 and n.d.
 - 209 1971-1975, 1977 and n.d.

Other Freedom Press documents

- 210 Press clippings of lists with addresses from Adunata C.1933. 1 cover
- 211 Reviews of books and articles. 1938-1939, 1941-1942, 1946, 1948-1954, 1956, 1959-1961, 1970-1971, 1974 and 1986. 1 folder
- 212-214 Documents concerning a conflict between the Freedom Press Group and the Anarchist Federation Group.1941-1946. 3 folders
 - 212 1941-1946 and n.d.
 - 213 1942-1946 and n.d.
 - 214 1943-1945 and n.d.
- 215-216 Documents concerning a lawsuit on account of an accusation of conspiracy by the Central Criminal Court against Vernon Richards, Marie Louise Berneri, John Hewetson and Philip Sansom, including documents concerning a police raid on the Freedom Press premises.1940-1941, 1944-1945 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 215 1940, 1944-1945 and n.d.
 - 216 1941, 1944-1945 and n.d.

- 217 Press clippings of articles on Freedom Press. 1949, 1951 and 1986. 1 cover
- 218 Documents concerning a protest meeting organized by Freedom Press against the political trials in Spain.1952, n.d. 1 cover

With letters from a.o.:

Benjamin Britten. N.d.

Fenner Brockway. 5-3-1952.

Michael Foot. 10-3-1952.

E.M. Forster. 6-3-1952.

Aldous Huxley. 25-3-1952. (telegram)

Julian Huxley. 16-3-1952.

Augustus John. 8-3-1952.

Lewis Mumford. 20-3-1952.

Herbert Read. 22-3-1952 and n.d.

Bertrand Russell. 24-3-1952 and n.d.

- Documents concerning a donation on the occasion of Lilian Wolfe's 90th birthday.1965-1966. 1 cover
- Documents concerning a controversy between the Freedom Collective and Aldgate Press.1983-1984. 1 cover
- 221 Invitation card from "Friends of Freedom Press" concerning public lectures on social problems. N.d. 1 piece

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Business activities

Documents concerning "King Bomba, The Italian Produce Co. Ltd., Wine and Foodmerchants" London.1951, 1954 and n.d. 1 cover

Photography

- 223 Notebook on photographs.1947-1948 and n.d. 1 volume
- 224 Documents concerning photographical activities.1950, 1957, 1959 and n.d. 1 cover

Tour leading

225-227 Documents concerning tours conducted for "The Wayfarers Travel Agency Ltd.".1958-1968 and n.d. 3 folders

225 1958-1963.

226 1964-1968 and n.d.

227 1968.

228 Documents concerning cruises conducted for "Orientours London Ltd.".1965-1966. 1 folder

Gardening

229 Documentation on gardening.1952 and n.d. 1 cover

- 230 Documents concerning renderend services as a landscape gardener.1959-1960. 1 cover
- 231 Notes on gardening.1962, 1969. 1 cover
- 232 Clippings on farming.1975-1976, 1986 and n.d. 1 cover

DOCUMENTATION

- 233 Leaflets. 1904, 1930, 1941, 1952, 1954, 1967, 1980-1981, 1985 and n.d. 1 cover
- 234 Press clippings of the article "Emidio Recchioni", published in *Studi Sociali*, March 16, 1934, with reference to his death.1934. 1 piece
- 235 Press clippings on the assassination of Carlo Rosselli.1937. 1 cover
- "Cartas cruzadas". Copies of a correspondence between Indalecio Prieto and Juan Negrin.1939. 1 cover
- 237-238 Clippings on the imprisonment of Vernon Richards, John Hewetson and Philip Sansom for agitation among soldiers.1945. 1 volume and 1 cover.
 - 237 1945.
 - 238 1945-1946 (volume).
- 239-241 Documentation on crime and punishment.1929, 1941-1948 and n.d. 3 folders 239 1929, 1941-1948 and n.d.
 - 240 1943-1948 and n.d.
 - 241 1944-1948 and n.d.
 - 242 "Statutory Rules and Orders. The Aliens Order. 1920". Reprint. 1947. 1 guire
 - 243 Documentation on atomic energy 1947-1948 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 244 Documentation on the death of Marie Louise Berneri, 1949, 1 cover
 - 245 Documentation on Jankel Adler. 1949 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 246 Press clippings on Congo.1951, 1961 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 247 Documentation on Peace News Ltd. 1952 and n.d. 1 cover
 - Press clipping of the article "Le stregonerie della scienza. Pazzi per i reggitori del futuro stato mondiale gli nomini che penseranno con la propria testa" by Giovanna Berneri, published in *Il Lavoro Nuovo*, 26-3-1957. With notes from Giovanna Berneri. 1 piece
- 249-250 Documentation on Cuba.1959-1965 and n.d. 2 boxes
 - 249 1959-1964 and n.d.
 - 250 1961-1963, 1965.
 - 251 Press clippings on economics, recession and war industry in the U.S.A.1961 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 252 Press clippings on recession.1961 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 253 Press clippings on African governments. 1961 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 254 Press clippings of a "Ban The Bomb" demonstration.1962. 1 cover
 - "Mensaje de la Confederación Nacional del Trabajo de España". Pamphlet from the Comite Nacional.1963. 1 quire
 - "Goal". Article by John Hewetson, published in the *British Medical Journal*, Vol. 285, 25 Sept. 1982. Photocopy. 1 cover
 - 257 Frontline Info. Publications on resistance in the Netherlands. Typewritten. Circa 1986. 1 cover

- 258 "Qu'est-ce que la Russie?". Pamphlet.N.d. 1 quire
- 259 Catalogue from the B.S.P. Literature Department, London.N.d. 1 piece
- 260 List of lectures on the British revolutionary history. N.d. 1 piece
- 261-263 Documentation on several other subjects. C. 1931, 1937- 1985 and n.d. 3 folders

261 C.1931, 1937-1949 and n.d.

262 1950-1952 and n.d.

263 C.1953-1985 and n.d.

ANNEX

- Manuscript of a novel situated in Paris. With remarks from "Scrutator". Unknown handwriting.1932. 1 folder
- Letter from H. to Peg Duff.1950. 1 piece
 N.B. Probably originating from the selling of Charles Duff's books by Vernon Richards. See no. 67-68.
- 266-267 Photocopies of letters and manuscripts. With notes from Vernon Richards. Partly received by the IISH earlier in 1984 from Vernon Richards. C.1922-1962 and n.d. 2 folders

266 C.1922-1962 and n.d.

267 C.1923-1938 and n.d.

MARIE LOUISE BERNERI (1918-1949)

GENERAL

Chronological correspondence

268-271 Correspondence. With notes and some Freedom Press correspondence.1936, 1938-1949 and n.d. 4 folders

268 1936, 1938-1944 and n.d.

269 1945-1947 and n.d.

270 1948 and n.d.

271 1949 and n.d.

Alphabetical correspondence

- 272 Letters from Giovanna Berneri, 1937 and 1939, 1 cover
- 273 Letters from Juan Lopez.1941 and n.d. 1 cover
- 274 Letters from Vernon Richards during his imprisonment.1945. 1 cover
- Letters from the detained Spanish republicans at Hall o' the Hill Camp near Chorley, England. With documentation.1945-1946 and n.d. 1 folder
- 276 Correspondence with the Sécretariat Provisoire Rélations Internationales. With a report, notes and press clippings concerning the 3rd congress of the Fédération Anarchiste.1946-1948. 1 cover

- 277 Letters from Serge Senninger. With a handwritten table of contents of the book "Manifeste du mouvement anarchiste". 1946. 1 cover
- 278 Letters from Voline(pseudonym of Vsevolod M. Eichenbaum).1945. 1 cover

PERSONAL DOCUMENTS

Diaries

- Notepad, used as a diary in the period August/September 1934. 1 volume
- Notebook and diary of Marie Louise Berneri, 1939, and on the reverse side diary of Vernon Richards.1949 and n.d. 1 guire
- 281 Diaries. With annexes. 1947-1949. 1 cover

Education/Studies

- 282 Schoolreports.1933-1936 and n.d. 2 guires
- 283 Essays and notes on literature and philosophy. 1934-1936 and n.d. 1 cover.
- 284 Notebook on the Spanish language.N.d. 1 quire

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Manuscripts

285-287 "Workers in Stalin's Russia". With documentation.1922, 1941-1945 and n.d. 3 folders

285 1941, 1943-1945 and n.d.

286 1942, 1944-1945 and n.d.

287 1922, 1942-1945 and n.d.

288-290 Manuscripts of articles and speeches. With documentation.1937-1938, 1940-1943 and n.d. 3 folders

288 1937, 1941 1943 and n.d.

289 1938, 1940 and n.d.

290 N.d.

Notes

- Notebooks on several subjects, also used by Vernon Richards.1929, 1937, 1943-1944 and n.d. 1 folder
- Notebook with booktitles. With texts of poems by Serge Senninger, Patrick Waldberg and Helman.1935-1944. 1 folder
- 293 Notes on Marguis de Sade. With library request forms. 1949. 1 cover
- 294 Notes on African musical instruments.N.d. 1 piece
- 295 Notes on several subjects. With index cards. n.d. 1 cover

Published articles

- 296 "Italy after 1918" and "The Rise of Fascism in Italy". Articles in *War Commentary*, Vol. 21, Sept. 1943 and Vol. 22, Mid-Sept. 1943. 1 cover
- 297 "Revolución social en Mejico?". Article in Frente libertario, Vol. 4.N.d. 1 cover

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- List of the "Friday Night Lectures". With names, dates and subjects and of lectures held by Marie Louise Berneri.1941-1942. 1 cover
- 299 Press clipping with photographs of Naples, taken by Marie Louise Berneri.1946. 1 piece

DOCUMENTATION

- Documentation on anarchism, anarchists and authorities. With notes.1932, 1934, 1938-1942, 1945, 1947 and n.d. 1 cover
- 301 Calendar with quotations selected by Wilfred Wigham. 1944. 1 cover

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- 302 Personal notes. Unknown handwriting in French and English.1932-1932. 1 piece
- Letters from M.L. Berneri to "Nonna", Fochi Berneri, returned to Vernon Richards after M.L. Berneri's death.1947-1949. 1 cover
- Notes on animals, the terminology of Toscane and the characters of books and plays. Unknown handwriting in Italian. 1 cover

EMIDIO RECCHIONI (1864-1934)

Correspondence

- 305 Letter from Erasmo Abate, pseudonym: Hugo Rolland.1924. 1 piece
- 306 Postcard from Luigi Bertoni.1928. 1 piece
- 307 Letters and a postcard from Luigi Fabbri.1926, 1928-1929, 1933-1934. 1 cover 22-4-1926. 2 p.

16-5-1926. 2 p.

24-11-1926. 1 p.

3-7-1928. 1 p.

10-7-1928. 1 p.

6-7-1929. 1 p.

3-4-1933. 3 p.

308 Letters from Adalgisa Fochi.n.d. 1 cover

"29" 1 p.

"4 ott" 1 p.

"17 ott" 1 p.

"20 ott" 1 p.

N.d. 1 p.

309 Letters and postcards from Carlo Frigerio.1923-1925, 1928, 1931. 1 cover 7-4-1923. 1 p.

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27-3-1924. 1 p.
      28-5-1924. 1 p.
      14-6-1924. 1 p.
      10-5-1925. 2 p.
      7-6-1925. 2 p.
      14-11-1928. 1 p.
      12-6-1931. 1 p.
310
      Letters and postcards from Luigi Galleani. 1923, 1925, 1929. 1 cover
      20-12-1923. 1 p.
      1-6-1925. 1 p.
      24-12-1928. 1 p.
      2-5-1929. 4 p.
      1-111 p.
      N.d.1 p.
311
      Correspondence concerning "Mimi" (Evelyn), daughter of Dolores Grau. With a
      negative of a photograph.1925-1926 and n.d. 1 cover
312
      Letters from Sidney Greville, Buckingham Palace and St. James's Palace. 1904,
      1907. 1 cover
      4-4-1903. 1 p.
      2-4-1904. 1 p.
      4-4-1907. 1 p.
313
      Postcards and a letter from Errico Malatesta. 1923, 1928, 1931. 1 cover
      19-12-1923. 1 p.
      3-12-1928. 1 p.
      22-12-1931. 1 p.
      Draft of a letter to Errico Malatesta. With notes from Vernon Richards. 1923 and
314
      n.d. 1 cover.
315
      Letters and a postcard from Max Nettlau.1924-1926, 1928-1929, 1931-1933. 1
      cover
      12-8-1924. 1 p.
      18-8-1924. 1 p.
      20-2-1925. 2 p.
      24-5-1926. 2 p.
      9-12-1926. 2 p.
      9-11-1928. 3 p.
      23-9-1929. 2 p.
      29-9-1931. 1 p.
      19-12-1931. 1 p.
      5-8-1932. 2 p.
      10-8-1932. 1 p.
      26-9-1932. 1 p.
      5-10-1932. 2 p.
      13-11-1932. 1 p.
      30-7-1933. 1 p.
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      Letters and postcards from Raffaele Schiavina, pseudonym: Max Sartin.
      1924-1925, 1932-1933.
      27-11-1924. 3 p.
      28-12-1924. 10 p.
      12-1-1925. 9 p.
      26-5-1925. 1 p.
      6-6-1925. 1 p.
      27-6-1925. 8 p.
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11-7-1932. 3 p. 20-9-1933. 6 p.

- 317 Letter from E. Sylvia Pankhurst.N.d. 1 piece
- 318 Two letters from Michele Schirru. Both fragmentary.1930 and n.d. 1 cover
- 319 Other correspondence.1911, 1919, 1921-1931, 1933-1934 and n.d. 1 cover

Diaries

320-321 Notebooks, kept during his illness.1934. 2 folders

Manuscripts

322 Manuscripts of articles. With drafts of letters. 1921 and n.d. 1 folder.

N.B. Mostly published as "Letters from London" in *Suplemento de la Protesta*,

Studi Sociali and other American papers.

Finances

- 323 Stock book from "King Bomba", London.1917-1919. 1 volume
- Documents concerning the "Rigo Settlement", containing a declaration from his cousin Rigo Recchioni.1925, 1931, 1933 and n.d. 1 cover
- 325 "Estratto del Movimento Cassa Carrara". Abstract of account concerning Carrara marble.1932. 1 piece
- Financial statements from the "Banca Commerciale Italiana", London, concerning Carrara Marble and Granite Co. Ltd.1932. 1 cover
- 327 "File Tamburrini Papers". Documents concerning Carrara marble.1933. 1 cover

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- 328 Mortuary card in remembrance of Benvenuto Benerecetti.1908. 1 piece
- 329 Press clipping of an article on English music by R.H. Legge.1914. 1 piece
- 330 Muirhead's guide book "Southern Italy", London, 1930. With indications of the spots for an assault on Mussolini. (See last map of Naples, between p. 298-299, and the maps of Rome, after p. 537a, plan-index of Rome). 1 volume
- "Wonders of Italy"; A Handbook for Students and Travellers. Florence. 1930.
 Received from Michele Schirru. With inscription: "To my dear Nemo, as a souvenir for my travel in Italy. Mike". 1 volume
- Newspaper articles concerning assaults on Mussolini by anarchists and the conviction of Michele Schirru.1931-1932. 1 cover

ANNEX

- Telegram from Colon Truda Moscow to *Daily Herald for Freedom and Workers Friend*, London, concerning the death of Peter Kropotkin.1921. 1 piece
- Letter from Augustin Souchy to C. Edwards, London.1932. 1 piece

DOCUMENTS FROM OTHER RELATIVES

CAMILLO BERNERI (1897-1937)

Correspondence

- 335 Letter from D. Anzani.1935. 1 cover
- 336 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri, 1929 and n.d. 1 cover
- 337 Letter from N. Chiaromonte.N.d. 1 piece
- 338 Other letters to Camillo Berneri.1916, 1920 and n.d. 1 cover

Notes and manuscripts

- 339 Notes on "La filosofia del diretto". N.d. 1 cover
- Notes on Spain. With press clippings. 1936-1937 and n.d. 1 cover
- 341-344 Manuscripts of articles on the catholic church and fascism. With documentation.1905-1906, 1909, 1926-1927, 1932-1937 and n.d. 4 folders
 - 341 1909, 1923, 1926-1927, 1933-1937 and n.d.
 - 342 1905-1906, 1930, 1932, 1934-1937 and n.d.
 - 343 1923, 1933-1934 and n.d.
 - 344 1933, 1935-1937 and n.d.
 - 345 Manuscript of the article "La vie culturelle en Catalogne".N.d. 1 cover

Documentation

- 346 Documentation on agricultural reform in several countries.1906, 1921, 1930, 1935 and n.d. 1 cover
- Clippings of articles on the attitude of the catholic church in relation to communism and fascism.1935-1937 and n.d. 1 cover
- 348 Clippings on several other subjects.1927, 1935 and n.d. 1 cover

GIOVANNA BERNERI

- 349 Correspondence. 1929, 1937, 1946, 1948 and n.d. 1 cover
- 350 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri, 1935 and 1938, 1 cover

GILIANE BERNERI

- 351 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri.1938. 1 cover
- 352 Essays on philosophy, made during her studies. N.d. 1 cover
- 353 Prescription from the North Kensington Women's Welfare Centre, London.1951. 1 piece

CONSTANZA RECCHIONI

Letters to Constanza Recchioni.1913, 1934-1936 and n.d. 1 cover

Notebook concerning payments made by N. Tamburrini, as a settlement of an account.1938-1940, 1945-1947. 1 quire

VERA BALFOUR-RECCHIONI

356 Letters to Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1928-1929, 1934-1935. 1 cover

DOCUMENTS FROM FREEDOM PRESS STAFF MEMBERS

N.B. In future to be added to the Freedom archive.

JOHN HEWETSON

- 357 Correspondence.1942 and n.d. 1 cover
- 358-359 Manuscripts of articles and lectures. With correspondence, notes and documentation.1942, 1944, 1948-1949 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 358 1942, 1944, 1948,
 - 359 1949 and n.d.
 - 360 Manuscript "Genesis Exodus and Hebrews" N.d. 1 volume
 - 361 Memorandum concerning an anarchist policy pamphlet on education. Carbon copy.N.d. 1 cover

JIM HUGGON

362 Letters from Vernon Richards, mainly on publications and finances of Freedom Press.1974, 1976-1983. 1 folder

THOMAS H. KEELL (1866-1938)

- Letters from Errico Malatesta. With notes from Vernon Richards.1920, 1922 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 15-9-1920. 1 p.
 - 21-7-1922. 1 p.
- 364 Letters from Max Nettlau. Copies.1928-1938. 1 folder

LILIAN G. WOLFE (1875-1974)

- Postcard from Errico Malatesta to Thomas and Lilian Keell-Wolfe" Freedom Press".1931. 1 piece
- 366 Documents concerning the relief of Spanish refugees in Britain. 1938-1939 and n.d. 1 cover
- Christmas card from S. Corio and a written text about Max Nettlau.1948, 1958. 1 cover

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368-377 Correspondence.1945-1946, 1951-1952, 1954-1955, 1963-1969, 1971-1973, 1975-2000 and n.d. 8 boxes and 2 folders

NB. Contains personal and Freedom Press correspondence and occasionally some bills and notes.

- 368 1945-1946, 1951-1952, 1954-1955, 1960, 1962-1969, 1971- 1973, 1975-1990.
- 369 1991-1992.
- 370 1992-1994.
- 371 1994-1995.
- 372 1995-1997.
- 373 1997-1998.
- 374 1998-1999.
- 375 1999-2000.
- 376 2000. (folder)
- 377 N.d. (folder)
- 378-383 Correspondence. Alphabetically arranged.1985-1992, 1995-2000 and n.d. 6 covers
 - 378 Chip's Booksearch.1997- 1999.
 - 379 Enckel, Marianne.1988-1992, 1995-1996 and n.d.
 - 380 Gangnet, Simone.1999- 2000.
 - 381 Goossens, Sidonie.1999- 2000.
 - 382 Jones, Bob.1985-1990, 1992.
 - 383 Morag.1999- 2000.
 - 384 Christmas cards and letters.1999. 1 cover
 - 385 Lists with names and addresses. N.d. 1 cover

PERSONAL

- 386 List of items for an insurance policy. 1942. 1 piece
- 387 Passport.1960. 1 copy
- 388 Personal notes and drawings.N.d. 1 cover

PUBLIC LIFE

Authorship

- Part of the typescript of a book, chapter titled: 'This Government Won't Defend Your Freedom'. pp. 199-217.1964. 1 cover
- Typescript of the introduction for the new edition of *Lessons of the Spanish Revolution*.1983. 1 cover
- 391 Manuscript of the introduction to the second volume of 'A Weekend Photographer's Notebook' concerning photographs of men, including notes and a photocopy of a letter to Charles.1998-1999 and n.d. 1 cover
- 392 Typescripts and manuscripts of 'Notes on Malatesta and Bakunin'.N.d. 1 cover

393-395 Typescripts and manuscripts of articles. Partly photocopies.1964, 1966, 1972, 1975, 1980, 1992, 1995 and n.d. 1 box and 2 folders

393 1964, 1966, 1972, 1975, 1980, 1992, 1995.

394 N.d.

395 N.d. (box)

396 Notes.1954, 1967 and n.d. 1 cover

Freedom Press

Correspondence

397 Correspondence with Freedom Press office.1998. 1 cover NB. For Freedom Press correspondence see also inv.nos. 368-383.

Typescripts and manuscripts

- Typescripts of articles for a volume on Peter Kropotkin, including notes and documentation.1931-1933, 1969, 1977 and n.d. 1 folder
- Typescript of the children's book 'La Vache Bleue' (the Blue Cow) by John Olday. French translation by Marie Louise Berneri, including notes by Colin Ward.1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- Typescript of 'Thoughts on Revolution' by Errico Malatesta, edited by Vernon Richards. Partly in print.N.d. 1 cover
- 401-402 Typescripts and manuscripts of articles.1964, 1966, 1977, 1983, 1988, 1992 and n.d. 2 folders

401 1964, 1966, 1977, 1983, 1988, 1992.

402 N.d.

Publications

- Documents concerning the publication of the pamphlet *Revolutionary Government* by Peter Kropotkin.1932, 1941 and n.d. 1 cover
- 404 Documents concerning the publication of *A Weekend Photographers Notebook* by Vernon Richards.1996. 1 cover
- 405 Proof of the Anarchy pamphlet of Freedom Press(no. 5754/2911).N.d. 1 piece
- Other documents concerning the publication of *Freedom*, *The Raven* and other publications.1995 and n.d. 1 cover

Other documents

- 407 Documents concerning the Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee.1949-1952, 1954. 1 folder
- Documents concerning a *Freedom* readership survey. With a covering letter from Tony Gibson.1960, 1989. 1 cover
- 409 Documents concerning Freedom Press bookshop.1973, 1975, 1980, 1986, 1993-1994 and n.d.
- 410-411 Documents concerning Friends of Freedom Press.1975, 1981-1983, 1985-1990 and n.d. 2 folders

 NB. Vernon Richards was secretary of Friends of Freedom Press.

- 410 1975, 1981-1983, 1985-1986.
- 411 1987-1990 and n.d.
- 412-413 Financial documents.1990-1992, 1994-1995, 1999 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 412 1990-1992, 1994-1995 and n.d.
 - 413 1999.

Other activities

- 414 Book cover with a photograph of Sydney Silverman and photocopies of photographs of George Orwell and his adopted son, photographed by Vernon Richards.1946 and n.d. 1 cover NB. Photographs by Vernon Richards and Marie Louise Berneri were transferred to the audiovisual section of the IISH.
- 415 Notebooks on organized travels.1965-1967 and n.d. 1 cover
- Lists of second hand books, mainly originating from the library of Charles Duff, used for second hand book selling.c. 1967-1968. 1 cover

Other documents

- 417 File on Herbert Read.1939, 1949, 1951- 1953, 1968-1969 and n.d. 1 cover
- 418 *The Anarchists in London 1935-1955*. Paper by Albert Meltzer. With notes by Vernon Richards.1976. 1 copy
- Documents concerning an interview with Vernon Richards, including documentation on the Italian anarchist movement and on his father Emidio Recchioni.1986. 1 cover

DOCUMENTATION

Reviews

- 420 Reviews of the publications of Marie Louise Berneri.1949-1955, 1957, 1959 and n.d. 1 cover
- 421 Reviews of Freedom Press publications.1950, 1954, 1957, 1975-1978, 1983, 1985-1987, 1991-1992, 1995 and n.d. 1 folder
- 422 Reviews of the publications of Vernon Richards, including some correspondence.1965-1966, 1968, 1972, 1978-1979, 1981-1984, 1996 and n.d. 1 folder
- 423 Reviews of the publications of Colin Ward.1976-1977, 1984, 1993 and n.d. 1 cover
- 424 Other reviews of books.1985-1989, 1992-1995 and n.d. 1 cover

Persons

425 Printed articles in *Freedom*, mainly on George Orwell. Photocopies.1947, 1950, 1954-1956. 1 cover

- 426 Articles concerning John Olday.1977. 1 cover
- 427 Documentation concerning Louis Mercier Vega. 1977-1978 and n.d. 1 cover
- 428 Articles concerning Colin Ward.1988. 1 cover
- Obituaries concerning Jim Allen, Reynold Higgins, Philip Holgate, José Peirats, Philip Sansom and George Woodcock.1989, 1993, 1995, 1999. 1 cover

Countries

- 430 Documentation concerning the Soviet Union.1939, 1961, 1974-1976, 1978-1983, 1986, 1990, 1994 and n.d. 1 folder
- 431 Documentation concerning China.1976- 1977, 1980-1982, 1989 and n.d. 1 cover
- 432 Documentation concerning Hungary 1977, 1981 and n.d. 1 cover
- 433 Documentation concerning Poland.1978, 1980-1982 and n.d. 1 cover

Other documentation

- Documentation on anarchism. Partly photocopies.1881, 1893, 1911, 1953, 1980, 1984, 1986, 1989, 1993, 1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- Clippings of articles and clippings of received letters, including a letter from Vernon Richards, published in *Freedom*.1967, 1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- 436 Articles on Freedom, Anarchist Weekly.c. 1972, 1986. 1 cover
- 437 Leaflets.N.d. 1 cover
- 438-440 Miscellaneous documentation. Partly photocopies.1888, 1891, 1900, 1909, 1936-1937, 1939-1940, 1951, 1965-1968, 1975-1983, 1985-1986, 1988, 1990-1995, 1997-2000 and n.d. 3 folders
 - 438 1888, 1891, 1900, 1909, 1936-1937, 1939-1940, 1951, 1965-1968, 1975-1979.
 - 439 1980-1983, 1985-1986, 1988, 1990- 1995.
 - 440 1997-2000 and n.d.

DOCUMENTS FROM RELATIVES

Giliane Berneri

Letters from Vernon Richards to Giliane Berneri, including letters from Serge Senninger to Giliane Berneri, a letter from ? to Vernon Richards and a covering letter from Serge Senninger to Vernon Richards.1949-1954, 1999 and n.d. 1 folder

Marie Louise Berneri

Correspondence

Letters from Marie Louise Berneri and some others to Gaston Davoust-Chazé. Photocopies.1939-1940, 1946, 1953 and n.d. 1 cover

- Letters from Marie Louise Berneri to various persons, including documentation. Photocopies.1937, 1947-1948. 1 cover
- Letter from V. Aberghi? to Marie Louise Berneri. In twofold. Photocopies. With notes by Vernon Richards.N.d. 1 cover

Manuscripts and notes

- 445 Personal notes.1936-1937. 1 cover
- Typescript of the article 'Une école Anglaise oú régne la liberté absolue'.N.d. 1 cover

Publications

447-448 Printed articles, mainly from Marie Louise Berneri, published in *War Commentary*, from 1945 in *Freedom*, including notes by Vernon Richards.1939-1948. 2 folders 447 1939-1944.

448 1945-1948.

ANNEX

- 449 Obituaries on Vernon Richards.2001. 1 cover
- Photo album with family photos, including a letter from Emilie Bunting to Joan Toner(?), notes and a visiting card of E. Knight.N.d. 1 cover

Accrual 2018

Flyer on an acquisition of photographs by Vernon Richards 'Un attimo di verità. Vernon Richards fotografo' in Eggio Emilia, Italy, 31 October - 5 December 2004.2004. 1 cover

Photographs

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- Visual material belonging to "Correspondence" files 1 photographs and 6 postcards See inv.nos. 1-47
- Visual material belonging to "Leval" file 1 photograph See inv.nos. 115-119
- 454 Giovanna Berneri and others 13 photographs and 1 negative
- 455 Marie Louise Berneri 7 photoraphs and 11 cards
- 456 Unknown portraits 4 photographs
- 457 George Orwell 2 photographs See inv.no. 414
- 458 File "Correspondence 1955" 1 photograph See inv.no. 5
- 459 Various visual material belonging to Correspondence Vernon Richards 13 photographs

- 460 File "Correspondence Marie Louise Berneri" 4 photographs
- Visual documentation detained Spanish republicans at Hall o' the Hill Camp 3 photographs
 See inv.no. 275
- Writer Charles Duff with wife and daughter, Suffolk, England 6 photographs and 1 negative
- Visual documentation on agricultural reform, education and collectivisations in Spain 1937 8 photographs
 See inv.no. 346
- 464 File "Malatesta Life and Ideas" 3 photographs See inv.nos. 102-106
- 465 Various photographs Spanish Civil War 25 photographs
- Photographs Spanish Civil War from newspapers 58 photographs and 1 booklet Booklet title: "Galicia Martir", estampas por Castelao
- Various photographs Spanish Civil War 80 photographs and 4 drawings Contains sensitive material
- 468 Various photographs Spanish Civil War 100 photographs Contains sensitive material
- 469 Various photographs Spanish Civil War 29 photographs

THE ARCHIVES

The papers of Vernon Richards were bought in 1987 and transferred to the International Institute of Social History in 1988.

They contained not only the archive of Vernon Richards himself, but also papers of his companion Marie Louise Berneri, his father Emidio Recchioni, and the papers of some other relatives and staff members of Freedom Press, to which Vernon Richards dedicated the larger part of his life.

BIOGRAPHICAL AND HISTORICAL DATA

Vero Recchioni, later anglicised to Vernon Richards, was born in London in 1915 as the son of the Italian refugees Emidio and Constanza Recchioni.

He began his political career helping his father with propaganda work against Mussolini's fascist system. He was arrested in Paris in 1935 and expelled from France. Early in 1936 he published in collaboration with Camillo Berneri, a bilingual anarchist and antifascist paper Italia Libera/Free Italy. He founded and edited Spain and the World, which became Revolt in 1939. Later is was called War Commentary(1939-1945) and then Freedom, from 1945.

In 1945 Vernon Richards was accused of inciting agitation among soldiers and was sentenced to nine months imprisonment along with Philip Sansom and John Hewetson.

From 1949 until 1952 he was a member of the Freedom Press Group. He was the editor of Freedom from 1952 until 1964. After he retired from the editorship, he continued to manage Freedom Press financially. He wrote many books and articles on anarchist topics and translated some books from the French and Italian into English. Trained as a civil engineer he was employed during the Second World War by Caffin & Co. Ltd as engineer/agent on several contracts, mostly for the Main Line Railway Companies (1).

From 1968 he worked as a commercial gardener. He also lead tours, did photography and was engaged in his father's wine and pasta store "King Bomba" in London.

MARIE LOUISE BERNERI (1918-1949)

Marie Louise Berneri was born in 1918 in Arezzo, Italy. She was a member of a well-known anarchist family. Her father Camillo Berneri was a leading theoretician of the Italian anarchist movement. Because he refused to accept the demands laid upon the teaching profession by the Fascists the family left Italy and went into exile in France.

Marie Louise Berneri soon became involved in the anarchist movement and took part in the publication of Révision in Paris with a group of French militants. In 1936 she went to Spain where Camillo Berneri edited Guerra di Classe. She returned to Paris to study psychology at the Sorbonne but went back to Spain after the assassination of her father in 1937 during the Spanish Civil War.

Later in 1937 she moved to London to help her companion Vernon Richards with the publication of Spain and the World. She became a member of the group that edited Revolt, which was later renamed War Commentary and Freedom(from 1945 on). In order to escape from the wandering expatriate existence of a political refugee she married Vernon Richards(2). She wrote books, pamphlets, articles, editorials and reviews and edited anarchist publications. She also organized meetings, initiated weekly lectures and sold the papers and pamphlets in the Freedom bookshop, during meetings and in the streets. She maintained an extensive correspondence with anarchists in Europe and South America and played a leading role in the anarchist movement in England. In 1949 she died at an early age.

EMIDIO RECCHIONI (1864-1934)

Emidio Recchioni, Vernon Richards' father, was born in Russi near Ravenna, Italy in 1864. He was employed as a railroad-employee. Originally a republican and follower of Giuseppe Mazzini, he was converted to anarchism in the early 1890s by Cesare Agostinelli in Ancona.

He started to write, in particular satirical and polemical articles on local subjects for the anarchist press, mainly Sempre Avanti. With Agostinelli and others he founded and edited L'art. 248 in 1894.

In June 1894 he was arrested in connection with the shooting of the Italian Prime Minister Crispi and eventually confined to three years in prison. Released in March 1897 he started together with Errico Malatesta and friends L'Agitazione in Ancona. Soon he was arrested again and was sent to the prison isles from which he managed to escape (3).

Having lost his job at the railroad company he emigrated to England in 1900 (4), and started a wine and pasta store in London named "King Bomba", in memory of the notorious tyrant of Naples, King Ferdinand II (5). He also traded in Carrara marble.

He was involved in all Italian anarchist publications published before and during the First World War and was also a regular contributor to La Protesta and L'Adunata dei refrattari, mainly under his pen name Nemo. He organized and financed a number of attempts on Mussolini.

He died in Paris in 1934.

FREEDOM AND FREEDOM PRESS

Published by Freedom PressFreedom was originally founded in October 1886 by a group of people which included Peter Kropotkin, who lived in Britain from 1886 to 1917 and was a frequent contributor until the First World War. Other foreign exiles were also involved, but the group consisted mainly of native activists and was run for the major part of its existence by Tom Keell. When Freedom ceased to appear in 1927 he moved Freedom Press to Whiteway Colony near Stroud and ran it from there publishing at irregular intervals a Freedom Bulletin between 1928 to 1932. A rival paper called Freedom(New Series) was published from 1930 to 1936 by a group of opponents.

A second period in the history of the Freedom Press began in 1936 at the time of the Spanish Civil War. The achievements of the Spanish anarchist movement resulted in a revival of activity amongst anarchists and considerable interest and sympathy in a broader part of the general public.

In 1936 therefore Spain and the World was set up at the initiative of Vernon Richards and was supported by Marie Louise Berneri and some members of the old group. After Tom Keell's death in 1938, Freedom and Spain and the World were combined.

In 1939 a few months after the collapse in Spain the periodical appeared under the new title Revolt, with Vernon Richards still a editor, but several others as co-editors. The last issue of this paper appeared on June 3rd 1939.

Two months after the outbreak of war, November 1939, the first issue of War Commentary appeared, which had been founded by Vernon Richards, Albert Meltzer and Marie Louise Berneri.

As one of the former co-editors of RevoltTom Brown was asked to join and later, as they entered the movement, John Hewetson and George Woodcock were also invited. In 1945 War Commentary changed its name back to Freedom, which it has retained ever since.

Freedom Press issued several other periodicals, notably the monthly magazine Anarchy during the 1960s, and also a large number of pamphlets and books, including reprints and anthologies of anarchist classics and a new quarterly magazine The Raven, whose first issue appeared in November 1986.

The work of running Freedom Press came under several headings: Office administration, editing, publishing, distribution and finances (6) and was done on a voluntary basis. Neither the staff nor the authors of the publications received any payment. Staff and editors had often been harassed by the authorities and the editors had been imprisoned for opposing both world wars. Freedom Press changed its premises many times (7).

Freedom Press publications were printed by Express Printers. In 1981 Aldgate Press was launched with funds from the Friends of Freedom Press and operated as an autonomous commercial printing partnership (8).

The Freedom Bookshop has been the main outlet for anarchist literature as well as a selection of relevant non-anarchist titles.

INVENTORY

The documents from Vernon Richards(no. 1-267) on the one hand and Marie Louise Berneri, Emidio Recchioni, other relatives and Freedom staff members (no. 268-367) on the other hand have been entered into separate sections.

In some cases though a strict separation proved not to be possible. Cross references have been made in these instances. Apart from this, the existing order has been maintained as far as possible, although inconsistencies have been corrected. Some remarks should be made as to the nature of the documents within the different sections.

Although Vernon Richards' papers mainly consist of Freedom Press material resulting from his work as editor and treasurer, personal papers were mixed in with these. In particular this was the case in the correspondence (no. 1-27) which contains personal as well as Freedom Press letters and some letters to others, i.e. his second wife Dorothy (Peta) Hewetson. Occasionally some bills, notes and bank statements may be found between the letters. Time did not allow a more rigorous split.

Also the documents under the heading "Documentation" probably partly concern Freedom Press documentation, while another part may have been collected by Vernon Richards personally.

In 1984 the institute received photocopies of letters and manuscripts from Vernon Richards. Although the originals of these documents have been received by the institute in 1988, these

photocopies have been entered into an annex because they partly contain notes made by Vernon Richards.

The documents of the Freedom Defense Committee have been separated from the archives and added to the Freedom Defense Committee archive.

Books, pamphlets, periodicals and a series of 38 volumes of the Reclus' Universal Geography have been brought to the institutes' library.

Photographs and posters have been taken to the audiovisual department of the institute.

The archives measure 9.25 meter.

Notes:

- 1) See no. 50.
- 2) "Letter to the Past; An Autobiography" by George Woodcock, p. 246.
- 3) Max Nettlau collection no. 118: Manuscript "Die italienische anarchistische Bewegung von 1894 bis 1900"
- 4) Studi Sociali, 16-5-1934.
- 5) "Letter to the Past; An Autobiography" by George Woodcock, p. 246.
- 6) See no. 134.
- 7) Freedom Centenary Edition. "A Hundred Years; October 1886 to October 1986". Vol.47, nr.9. 1986, London.
- 8) Freedom. Centenary Edition. "A Hundred Years; October 1886 to October 1986". Vol.47, nr.9. 1986, London. p. 27.

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Marie Louise Berneri; A Tribute. Published by the Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee, 1949, London:

Freedom. Centenary Edition. A Hundred years; October 1886 to October 1986. Vol. 47, no.9. 1986, London. (IISH);

Freedom Press. Leaflet. Published by the Friends of Freedom Press. N.d. (IISH Bro An 1485/185); Woodcock, G. Letter to the Past; An Autobiography. 1982. Ontario, Canada. (IISH 351/72).

INTRODUCTION TO ACCRUAL

In June 2001 the IISH received an accrual to the papers of Vernon Richards. He died later that year in Hadleigh on December 10, 2001, aged 86.

The papers mainly consist of Freedom Press and personal correspondence. Besides the papers there are some personal documents, manuscripts and typescripts of his publications, manuscripts and typescripts and other Freedom Press documents, some documents of his other activities, documentation on reviews of publications, documentation on persons, countries and other documentation.

The papers also contain documents from Giliane Berneri and Marie Louise Berneri(wife of Vernon Richards). In the annex obituaries on Vernon Richards and a photo album from Joan Toner(?) can be found.

The size of the accrual is 2,25 m.

LIST OF THE MICROFILMS

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VERNON RICHARDS (1915-2001)

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Chronological correspondence

- 1-27 Correspondence.1924, 1934-1940, 1942, 1944-1987 and n.d. 25 boxes and 2 folders
 - 1 1924, 1934-1940, 1942, 1944-1950 and n.d.
 - 2 1951-1953 and n.d.
 - 3 1953-1954 and n.d.
 - 4 1954-1955 and n.d.

- 5 1955 and n.d.
- 6 1955-1956 and n.d.
- 7 1956-1958 and n.d.
- 8 1958-1960 and n.d.
- 9 1961-1963 and n.d.
- 10 1963-1964 and n.d.
- 11 1964-1965 and n.d.
- 12 1965-1966 and n.d.
- 13 1967-1968 and n.d.
- 14 1969-1970 and n.d.
- 15 1970-1971 and n.d.
- 16 1971-1972 and n.d.
- 17 1972-1973 and n.d.
- 18 1973-1974 and n.d.
- 19 1975-1976 and n.d.
- 20 1976-1978 and n.d.
- 21 1978-1979 and n.d.
- 22 1980-1982 and n.d.
- 23 1983-1984 and n.d.
- 24 1984-1985 and n.d.
- 25 1985-1986 and n.d. .
- 26 1986 and n.d. (folder).
- 27 1987 and n.d. (folder).

Alphabetical correspondence

- 28 Correspondence with Camillo Berneri.1936 and n.d. 1 cover
- 29 Letters from Gerald Brenan and Hazel. 1949 and n.d. 1 cover
- 30 Correspondence with Lain Diez.1958-1959 and n.d. 1 cover
- 31 Letters from Havelock Ellis.1936-1937 and n.d. 1 cover
- 32 Letter from Luigi Fabbri. 1934. (3 p.) 1 cover
- 33 Correspondence with Pat Flanagan. 1983-1985. 1 cover
- 34 Letter from Carlo Frigerio. 1962. 1 piece
- 35 Letters from Emma Goldman.; 17-2-1933. 2 p. 28-4-1933. 2 p. 19-8-1933. 2 p. 5-7-1939. 1 p. 25-7-1939. 1 p. 2-8-1939. 1 p.1933, 1939. 1 cover
- 36 Letters from E.A. Gutkind.1954-1955. 1 cover
- 37-38 Correspondence, mainly with Jim Huggon and Steve [Sorba].1979-1983 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 37 1979-1981 and n.d.
 - 38 1979-1983 and n.d.

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39
     Letters from Augustus John. 1942, 1948, 1953-1954 and N.d. 1 cover
40
     Letters from Max Nettlau.1935-1938 and n.d. 1 cover
     15-4-1935. 1 p.
     29-4-1935. 1 p.
     n.d. 1 p.
     22-6-1935. 1 p.
     12-8-1935. 1 p.
     3-10-1935. 2 p.
     16-12-1935. 1 p.
     30-3-1936. 1 p.
     18-12-1935. 1 p. With a postcard from P. Reclus to Nettlau.
     15-12-1935. 1 p.
     18-6-1936. 2 p.
     2-7-1936. 2 p.
     30-7-1936. 1 p.
     5-10-1936. 2 p.
     11-10-1936. 5 p. With notes from M. Nettlau.
     23-10-1936. 2 p.
     21-11-1936. 3 p.
     30-11-1936. 2 p.
     2-12-1936. 2 p.
     5-12-1936. 1 p.
     8-1-1937. 1 p.
     n.d. 2 p.
     23-2-1937. 2 p.
     26-3-1937. 2 p. With a carbon copy of a letter from V. Richards. n.d. 2 p.
     19-7-1937. 6 p.
     13-7-1937. 2 p.
     29-7-1937. 4 p.
     22-4-1937. 3 p.
     15-11-1937. 1 p.
     n.d. 1 p.
     n.d. 1 p. 27-9-1938. 1 p.
41
     Letters from George Orwell. 1946, 1949 and n.d. With letters from the Library of
     the University College, London concerning the use of the Orwell letters for a book.
     1968 and n.d.1946, 1949, 1968, n.d. 1 cover
     6-8-1946. 1 p.
     10-3-1949. 1 p.
     7-4-1949. 1 p.
     13-4-1949. 1 p.
     22-6-1949. 1 p.
     N.d. 1 p.
42 Correspondence with E. Sylvia Pankhurst. 1936-1937. 1 cover
     6-3-1936. 1 p.
     20-5-1937. 3 p.
     24-5-1937. 1 p.
     28-6-1937. 4 p.
     23-7-1937. 2 p.
43
    Letters from Herbert Read.1948, 1962 and n.d. 1 cover
44
     Correspondence with Raffaele Schiavina, pseudonym: Max Sartin.1934-1936,
     1968, 1983. 1 cover
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Correspondence.1949-1954 and n.d. 3 folders

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45 a - h.

46 i-r.

47 s-z.

PERSONAL DOCUMENTS

Official documents

- 48 Identity card.1947. 1 piece
- 49 Passport.1950. 1 quire
- 50 References of competence. 1950. 1 cover
- 51 Documents concerning the death of M.L. Berneri. 1949, 1952. 1 cover
- 52 Certified copy from the Principal Probate Registry of the High Court of Justice, concerning the guardianship of Vernon Richards for the children of Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1963. 1 piece

Education/Studies

- 53 Schoolreports from the Emanuel School, Wandsworth Common.1926-1932. 1 cover
- Mathematical notes and the cover of an exercise book from the Emanuel School, Wandsworth Common. n.d. 1 cover
- 55 Certificate from the "Grand Concours Annuel de Langue et de Littérature Française", London.1934. 1 piece
- 56 "Architects (Registration) Act", Chapter 33, 1931; Chapter 38, 1934; Chapter 54, 1938. Printed. 1 cover

Finances

- 57-58 Documents, mainly concerning financial settlements with Constanza Recchioni, the settlement of the heritage from Constanza Recchioni and financial transactions made for Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1932, 1935-1947, 1955-1958. 2 covers
 - 57 1932, 1935-1947, 1955-1957.
 - 58 1956-1958.
 - 59 Documents concerning the rent of 11, Eton Place, London.1939, 1946, 1948, 1956-1958. 1 cover
 - 60 Post-War-Credit certificates.1942-1944, 1947. 1 cover
 - 61 "Ration Books" from the Ministry of Food.1948-1949, 1953-1954. 2 quires
 - Insurance policies, mainly concerning private- and Freedom Press insurances. With correspondence.1951-1952, 1956-1966, 1969-1970. 1 folder
- 63-66 Correspondence with the Inspector of Taxes, mainly concerning the maintenance of Vera Balfour-Recchioni's children and concerning Vernon Richards' activities as a market gardener.1959, 1963-1983. 4 folders

- 63 1959, 1963-1968,
- 64 1968-1971.
- 65 1971-1978.
- 66 1978-1983.
- 67-68 Documents concerning the selling of Charles Duff's books by V. Richards.1967-1968. 2 folders
 - 67 1967.
 - 68 1967-1968.
- 69-70 Documents concerning the selling of 17 Maxwell Road, the purchase of 84 Whitechapel Highstreet and the purchase and alteration of "The Golden Pightle", Evans Heath, Polstead, 1967-1969, 2 folders
 - 69 1967-1969.
 - 70 1968-1969.
 - *71 Correspondence with the Department of Health and Social Security. With documentation. 1976-1981 and n.d. Closed. 1 folder

Memberships

- 72 Membership book from the London Co-operative Society. With a receipt for entrance fee.1947. 1 cover
- 73 Membership card from the Malatesta Club, London.1954. 1 piece
- 74 Membership card from King's College, London. C.1955. 1 piece
- 75 Membership card from the Soil Association.1970. 1 piece
- 76 Directory of members of King's College London Engineers' Association Officers.1971. 1 quire
- 77 Member's contribution cards from the National Union of Agricultural and Allied Workers.1976-1981. 1 cover

Miscellaneous

- 78 Documents concerning his expulsion from France.1935-1936 1 cover
- 79 Notes concerning his testament.1949, 1955. 1 cover
- 80 Documents concerning the "Maria Luisa Berneri" holiday camp for children.1950 and n.d. 1 cover
- 81 Appointment card from the Guy's Hospital, London.1971. 1 piece
- 82-87 Documents concerning a complaint by Dachine Rainer against the Westminster City Council on the accusation of maladministration.1972-1974, 1976-1981. 6 folders.
 - 82 1971-1973, 1976-1980.
 - 83 1972-1973, 1976-1979.
 - 84 1974, 1976-1980.
 - 85 1976-1980.
 - 86 1976-1981.

- 87 1976-1981.
- 88 Recipe. In Italian.N.d. 1 piece
- 89 Drawing by Vernon Richards.N.d. 1 piece
- 90 Copies of streetplans. With notes.N.d. 1 cover

AUTHORSHIP

Manuscripts

- 91-97 Manuscripts of articles. With correspondence and documentation. 1944, [1947], 1949-1950, 1953-1964, 1967 and n.d. 4 boxes and 3 folders.
 - 91 1944, [1947], 1949-1950, 1953-1954 and n.d.
 - 92 1955-1956 and n.d. (box).
 - 93 1957-1958 and n.d. (box).
 - 94 1958-1961 and n.d. (box).
 - 95 1959-1964 and n.d. (box).
 - 96 1963-1964 and n.d.
 - 97 1963-1964, 1967 and n.d.
 - 98 Manuscripts of articles on the death of George Orwell.1950. 1 cover
 - 99 Manuscript of an article about Lilian Wolfe on the occasion of her 90th birthday. With the text of an interview with her and the announcement of her death in 1974.1972. 1974 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 100 Manuscripts of articles on Freedom Press.C. 1975 and N.d. 1 cover
 - 101 Manuscript of the article "Proposals to be put to Resistance Group".N.d. 1 cover
- 102-106 Manuscript "Malatesta Life and Ideas". English and Italian version. With correspondence, notes, proofs and documentation.C. 1894-1968. 3 boxes and 2 folders
 - 102 C.1894-1935, 1951-1954, 1960, 1968 and n.d. Contains also: Documentation and manuscript from Camillo Berneri.
 - 103 C.1913-1935. Contains also: Text on Errico Malatesta by Max Nettlau; postcards and letters from Errico Malatesta to Thomas H. Keell and Lilian Wolfe.
 - 104 C. 1908-1965. (box).
 Contains also: Letters from Errico Malatesta to Emidio Recchioni and notes from Camillo Berneri.
 - 105 1934, 1950 and n.d. (box).
 - 106 1961-1966 and n.d. (box). Contains also: Notes by Max Nettlau.
- 107-111 Manuscript "Lessons of the Spanish Revolution". With correspondence, notes, proofs and documentation.C. 1858-1948, 1951-1954, 1972 and n.d. 5 boxes
 - 107 C. 1958-1937.; Contains also: File "Clera Fascista" from Camillo Berneri; manuscripts and notes from Camillo Berneri and Marie Louise Berneri; Letters to Emma Goldman; Statement by Emma

Goldman concerning the assignment of her heirs; Statement from the Generalitat de Catalunya concerning Emma Goldman; Circular letter from the Committee Sustaining Fund for Emma Goldman; Lecture notes from John Hewetson; Documents on Charles Duff; Letter from G. Michaud probably to Camillo Berneri; Request-letter to Benito Mussolini from J.B. Madasiaga; Manuscript of an article by Avelino Gonzale-Mallada.

- 108 1936-1939, 1943-1945, 1952-1954. .; Contains also: Manuscripts from various authors; Notes from Marie Louise Berneri; Emma Goldman correspondence.
- 109 1937-1939 and n.d.; Contains also: Emma Goldman correspondence; Manuscripts from various authors; Notes from Marie Louise Berneri and Camillo Berneri.
- 110 1939-1952 and n.d.; Contains also: Manuscripts from various authors and notes from Marie Louise Berneri.
- 111 1951-1952, 1972 and n.d.
- 112-113 Manuscript " Kropotkin's The State Its Historic Role", translated from the French: "L' Etat Son Role Historique" (1897). With proofs.1969 and n.d. 2 folders 112 1969.
 - 113 N.d.
 - 114 Manuscript " Malatesta's L' Anarchia", translated from the Italian: "L' Anarchia" (1891).1973. 1 folder
- 115-119 Manuscript "Collectives in the Spanish Revolution", translated from the French: "Espagne Libertaire" by Gaston Leval. With correspondence, contracts and documentation. (1937), 1973-1975 and n.d. 1 box and 4 folders
 - 115 (1937) 1973-1975.
 - 116 N.d.
 - 117 N.d.
 - 118 N.d. (box).
 - 119 N.d.
- 120-121 Manuscript "The Impossibilities of Social Democracy". With correspondence.1978. 2 folders
 - 120 1978.
 - 121 1978.
- 122-124 Manuscript "Protest Without Illusions". With correspondence.1981 and n.d. 3 folders
 - 122 1981 and n.d.
 - 123 N.d.
 - 124 N.d.
- 125-126 Manuscript "Why? Work? Argument for the Leisure Society". With correspondence and documentation.1976, 1980-1984 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 125 1976, 1980-1984 and n.d.
 - 126 1981-1984 and n.d.

Notes

127 Notes concerning the IISH, the CNT/FAI and other subjects.N.d. 1 cover

Published articles

- 128 Articles in several newspapers.1947-1951, 1960, 1966 and n.d. 1 cover
- 129 Press clipping of the article "The Situation in Madrid" by Vernon Richards and Marie Louise Berneri. N.d. 1 piece

EDITORSHIP FREEDOM PRESS

N.B. For Freedom Press correspondence see no. 17 and 26871.

Minutes

130 Minutes of the meetings.1946-1948, 1965-1967. 1 folder

Organization

- 131 Certificates of the Registration of Business Names for Express Printers and The Aldgate Press.1943, 1958. 2 pieces
- Documents concerning an "Anarchist Library Project". 1967-1968 and n.d. 1 cover.
- Articles of Association of Friends of Freedom Press Ltd. With names, addresses and descriptions of the subscribers. 3 photocopies.1981. 1 cover
- List of the organizational tasks within Freedom Press.N.d. 1 piece
- 135 Editorial notes on behalf of Freedom Press. N.d. 1 cover

Finances

- Statements of accounts, balance sheets and reports on *Spain and the World*, Spain and the World Orphans and Refugees, *Revolt*, Express printers and Freedom Press.1936-1940, 1942-1950, 1953-1957. 1 volume and 1 folder
 - 136 1936-1940, 1942-1949, 1953-1957. (volume).
 - 137 1942-1950, 1956.
- 138-139 "Job books". With financial notes on Express Printers.1942-1952 2 volumes 138 1942-1949.
 - 139 1950-1952.
 - Financial notes and invoices from Express Printers to Freedom Press.1947-1948, 1951-1952 and n.d. 1 folder
 - Documents concerning a court case in 1981 over a legacy from Josephine Toner, left to Freedom Press. With annexes.1947, 1964, 1966-1969, 1978-1984. 1 box
 - Documents concerning a disagreement between Express Printers and *The Jewish Weekly* about the payment of rent.1949-1951. 1 cover
 - 143 Financial notes, mainly on lent money to several persons and to Express Printers.1954, 1956-1957 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 144 Correspondence concerning the financial situation and the organization of Freedom Press and Express Printers. With notes.1960-1966. 1 cover

145-147 Bank statements from the Credit Lyonnais, London, to Vernon Richards, to Dorothy Hewetson, to John C. Hewetson trading as Freedom Press. With correspondence and financial notes.1971-1982. 3 folders

145 1971-1979.

146 1977-1981.

147 1979-1982.

Financial notes and correspondence with Jim Huggon about the finances.1975-1979, 1982-1983. 1 folder

Premises

149-151 Documents concerning the Whitechapel Highstreet premises.1923, 1948-1949, 1967-1971 and n.d. 3 folders

149 1923, 1948-1949, 1967-1968 and n.d.

150 1968-1969.

151 1970-1971.

Manuscripts from various authors

152-154 "Neither East Nor West" by Marie Louise Berneri. With proofs and clippings.1939-1948, 1951-1952 and n.d. 3 folders

152 1939-1948 and n.d.

153 1943 and n.d.

154 1951-1952 and n.d.

N.B. Published by the Marie Louise Berneri Committee.

- 155 Manuscripts of the articles "Les événements dans le Sud" and "Le facteur Kurde ou la tragédie caricaturale" by Damashki.N.d. 1 cover
- 156 Manuscript of the article "Carta de Garcia Oliver a Vivancos" by Garcia Oliver. N.d. 1 cover.
- 157 Manuscript of the article "A Radical Theoretician Treats the Subject of Fascism" by Arnold H. Kamiat. C.1941. 1 cover
- 158 Manuscripts of articles by Mat Kavanagh. With lists of recommended books.N.d. 1 cover
- Manuscripts of the articles "Le Dante Alighieri", "L'attentato di Roma" and "La politica parlamentare nel movimente socialista" by Errico Malatesta. N.d. 1 cover.
- Manuscript of the article "La situation politique et sociale des musulmans d'Alg.eacute;rie" by N. Molinsy Fabregas.1944. 1 cover
- Manuscript of the article "Errico Malatesta- Rough Outlines of his Life up till 1920
 "by Max Nettlau. With corrections and additions (published in *Freedom*, oct.-nov. 1920) Photocopy.N.d. 1 cover
- Manuscripts of the articles "Les étudiants Argentins résistent à la 'formation politique' que leur impose le gouvernement Péron", "Une tactique antianarchiste", "Le troisième front", "Deux mots à nos adversaires", "Un jour viendra", "Bilan d'un demi-siècle d'évolution dans la structure de la France (1900-1950)", "Notes sur la dualité des pouvoirs dans la révolution" and "Même un simple soldat auraut du^ désobéir aux ordres qu'il savait pertinemment être contraires aux intérêts du pais" by André Prudhommeaux.1951 and n.d. 1 cover

- Manuscript of the article "An Anarchist's Comment on the New Structure of the Anarchist Federation of Spain (FAI)" by Pierre Ramus.N.d. 1 cover
- 164 Manuscripts of the articles "The Utopian Mentality" and "The Ape of Hitler" by Herbert Read.N.d. 1 cover
- 165 Manuscripts of the articles "Vor dem Siege" and "The Tragic Week in May". [1937] by Augustin Souchy. N.d. 1 cover
- Manuscript of the essay "Makhno. Contribution aux études sur l'énigme de la personnalité" by Volin. 3 versions. 1945 and n.d. 1 cover.
- Manuscripts of articles on George Orwell by George Woodcock. With documentation. 1949-1951, 1955, 1960 and N.d. 1 folder
- 168-169 Manuscripts of articles by several other writers.1895, 1929, 1945, 1952-1953, 1974 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 168 1895, 1929, 1945 and n.d.
 - 169 1952-1953, 1974 and n.d.

Publishing activities

Correspondence

- 170 Correspondence with the Rocker Publications Committee, Los Angeles. With notes.1947-1948. 1 cover
- 171 Correspondence with Routledge and Kegan Paul Ltd., London.1947, 1950-1960, 1971-1972, 1975. 1 cover
- 172 Correspondence with the League for Freedom, Melbourne. With notes.1948-1949 and n.d. 1 cover
- 173 Correspondence with the editor of the *Journal of Sex Education*, London. With notes.1948-1949, 1951 and n.d. 1 cover
- 174 Correspondence with the Maximoff Publication Committee, Chicago.1948-1951. 1 cover
- 175 Correspondence with the Vineyard Press Ltd., Colchester. With notes and invoices. 1976-1978 and n.d. 1 cover
- 176-182 Correspondence with various publishers. With contracts.1948, 1967-1985 and n.d. 7 folders
 - 176 1948, 1969-1974, 1976-1979, 1982.
 - 177 1967-1971 and n.d.
 - 178 1972-1977, 1979.
 - 179 1974-1977, 1979.
 - 180 1975-1977.
 - 181 1977-1985.
 - 182 1979-1983.

Other documents

- 183 Indexes on articles in *Freedom*.N.d. 1 cover
- 184 Lists and pamphlets of Freedom Press publications. 1947, 1963, 1966, 1969-1970,1980, 1982, 1984 and n.d. 1 cover

- 185 Lay-out of the "Freedom Book Supplement Winter 1948". 1 piece
- Documents concerning the "Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee". 1949-1950, 1952 and n.d. 1 cover.
- "Colonialism on Trial; Selected Articles from the Anarchist Weekly Freedom". Vol.3. 1953. Published by Freedom Press. 1954. Incomplete. 1 volume
- Documents concerning an ideological dispute between Vernon Richards and J. García Pradas in a number of articles in *España Libre*.1954-1955, 1976 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 188 1954-1955 and n.d.
 - 189 1954, 1976 and n.d.
 - 190 Clippings of articles and published letters in *Freedom*. With notes.1962-1964 and n.d. 1 cover
 - Documents concerning an ideological dispute between Vernon Richards and M. Mantovani, director of *Umanita Nova*, Rome.1965-1966. 1 cover
 - 192 Anarchy, vol. 6, nr. 10, october 1966. With notes. 1 copy.
 - 193 Proofs of *Anarchy*. Vol. 9. 1969 and Vol. 10.1970. 1 cover

Freedom Bookshop

- 194 List of subscribers to War Commentary. N.d. 1 piece
- 195 Lists with addresses of bookshops. With invoices.N.d. 1 cover
- 196 List of anarchist periodicals. N.d. 1 piece
- 197 Notes, mainly on the distribution and the book-sale.N.d. 1 piece
- 198 Cash book.1941-1943. 1 volume
- 199-200 Ledgers concerning the sale to bookshops.1943-1944, 1961-1967. 2 volumes 199 1943-1944.
 - 200 1961-1967.
 - 201 Stock lists concerning the booksupplies.1944, 1947-1954 and n.d. 1 folder
 - 202 List of sold copies of the book "ABC of Anarchism" by A. Berkman. 1947. 1 piece
 - Notebook concerning the sold books, pamphlets and periodicals. With drafts of letters.1949 and n.d. 1 quire
 - "Duplicate book". Receipt book concerning the book-sale.1967-1968. 1 volume.
 - 205 Correspondence and invoices concerning the book-sale.1968, 1972-1973. 1 folder
- 206-209 Correspondence by M. Canipa, mainly with subscribers.1971-1978, 1980 and n.d. 4 folders
 - 206 1971-1974 and n.d.
 - 207 1971-1978, 1980 and n.d.
 - 208 1971-1975, 1977 and n.d.
 - 209 1971-1975, 1977 and n.d.

Other Freedom Press documents

- 210 Press clippings of lists with addresses from *Adunata* C.1933. 1 cover
- 211 Reviews of books and articles. 1938-1939, 1941-1942, 1946, 1948-1954, 1956, 1959-1961, 1970-1971, 1974 and 1986. 1 folder

- 212-214 Documents concerning a conflict between the Freedom Press Group and the Anarchist Federation Group.1941-1946. 3 folders
 - 212 1941-1946 and n.d.
 - 213 1942-1946 and n.d.
 - 214 1943-1945 and n.d.
- 215-216 Documents concerning a lawsuit on account of an accusation of conspiracy by the Central Criminal Court against Vernon Richards, Marie Louise Berneri, John Hewetson and Philip Sansom, including documents concerning a police raid on the Freedom Press premises.1940-1941, 1944-1945 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 215 1940, 1944-1945 and n.d.
 - 216 1941, 1944-1945 and n.d.
 - 217 Press clippings of articles on Freedom Press. 1949, 1951 and 1986. 1 cover
 - Documents concerning a protest meeting organized by Freedom Press against the political trials in Spain.1952, n.d. 1 cover

With letters from a.o.:

Benjamin Britten. N.d.

Fenner Brockway. 5-3-1952.

Michael Foot. 10-3-1952.

E.M. Forster. 6-3-1952.

Aldous Huxley. 25-3-1952. (telegram)

Julian Huxley. 16-3-1952.

Augustus John. 8-3-1952.

Lewis Mumford, 20-3-1952.

Herbert Read. 22-3-1952 and n.d.

Bertrand Russell. 24-3-1952 and n.d.

- Documents concerning a donation on the occasion of Lilian Wolfe's 90th birthday.1965-1966. 1 cover
- Documents concerning a controversy between the Freedom Collective and Aldgate Press.1983-1984. 1 cover
- 221 Invitation card from "Friends of Freedom Press" concerning public lectures on social problems. N.d. 1 piece

OTHER ACTIVITIES

Business activities

Documents concerning "King Bomba, The Italian Produce Co. Ltd., Wine and Foodmerchants" London.1951, 1954 and n.d. 1 cover

Photography

- 223 Notebook on photographs.1947-1948 and n.d. 1 volume
- 224 Documents concerning photographical activities.1950, 1957, 1959 and n.d. 1 cover

Tour leading

- 225-227 Documents concerning tours conducted for "The Wayfarers Travel Agency Ltd.".1958-1968 and n.d. 3 folders
 - 225 1958-1963.
 - 226 1964-1968 and n.d.
 - 227 1968.
 - 228 Documents concerning cruises conducted for "Orientours London Ltd.".1965-1966. 1 folder

Gardening

- 229 Documentation on gardening.1952 and n.d. 1 cover
- 230 Documents concerning renderend services as a landscape gardener.1959-1960. 1 cover
- 231 Notes on gardening.1962, 1969. 1 cover
- 232 Clippings on farming.1975-1976, 1986 and n.d. 1 cover

DOCUMENTATION

- 233 Leaflets. 1904, 1930, 1941, 1952, 1954, 1967, 1980-1981, 1985 and n.d. 1 cover
- 234 Press clippings of the article "Emidio Recchioni", published in *Studi Sociali*, March 16, 1934, with reference to his death.1934. 1 piece
- 235 Press clippings on the assassination of Carlo Rosselli.1937. 1 cover
- "Cartas cruzadas". Copies of a correspondence between Indalecio Prieto and Juan Negrin.1939. 1 cover
- 237-238 Clippings on the imprisonment of Vernon Richards, John Hewetson and Philip Sansom for agitation among soldiers.1945. 1 volume and 1 cover.
 - 237 1945.
 - 238 1945-1946 (volume).
- 239-241 Documentation on crime and punishment.1929, 1941-1948 and n.d. 3 folders 239 1929, 1941-1948 and n.d.
 - 240 1943-1948 and n.d.
 - 241 1944-1948 and n.d.
 - 242 "Statutory Rules and Orders. The Aliens Order. 1920". Reprint. 1947. 1 quire
 - 243 Documentation on atomic energy.1947-1948 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 244 Documentation on the death of Marie Louise Berneri.1949. 1 cover
 - 245 Documentation on Jankel Adler.1949 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 246 Press clippings on Congo.1951, 1961 and n.d. 1 cover
 - 247 Documentation on Peace News Ltd. 1952 and n.d. 1 cover
 - Press clipping of the article "Le stregonerie della scienza. Pazzi per i reggitori del futuro stato mondiale gli nomini che penseranno con la propria testa" by Giovanna Berneri, published in *Il Lavoro Nuovo*, 26-3-1957. With notes from Giovanna Berneri. 1 piece
- 249-250 Documentation on Cuba.1959-1965 and n.d. 2 boxes 249 1959-1964 and n.d.

- 250 1961-1963, 1965.
- 251 Press clippings on economics, recession and war industry in the U.S.A.1961 and n.d. 1 cover
- 252 Press clippings on recession.1961 and n.d. 1 cover
- 253 Press clippings on African governments.1961 and n.d. 1 cover
- 254 Press clippings of a "Ban The Bomb" demonstration.1962. 1 cover
- 255 "Mensaje de la Confederación Nacional del Trabajo de España". Pamphlet from the Comite Nacional.1963. 1 quire
- "Goal". Article by John Hewetson, published in the *British Medical Journal*, Vol. 285, 25 Sept. 1982. Photocopy. 1 cover
- 257 Frontline Info. Publications on resistance in the Netherlands. Typewritten. Circa 1986. 1 cover
- 258 "Qu'est-ce que la Russie?". Pamphlet.N.d. 1 quire
- 259 Catalogue from the B.S.P. Literature Department, London.N.d. 1 piece
- 260 List of lectures on the British revolutionary history.N.d. 1 piece
- 261-263 Documentation on several other subjects. C. 1931, 1937- 1985 and n.d. 3 folders 261 C.1931, 1937-1949 and n.d.
 - 262 1950-1952 and n.d.
 - 263 C.1953-1985 and n.d.

ANNEX

- Manuscript of a novel situated in Paris. With remarks from "Scrutator". Unknown handwriting.1932. 1 folder
- Letter from H. to Peg Duff.1950. 1 piece
 N.B. Probably originating from the selling of Charles Duff's books by Vernon Richards. See no. 67-68.
- 266-267 Photocopies of letters and manuscripts. With notes from Vernon Richards. Partly received by the IISH earlier in 1984 from Vernon Richards. C.1922-1962 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 266 C.1922-1962 and n.d.
 - 267 C.1923-1938 and n.d.

MARIE LOUISE BERNERI (1918-1949)

GENERAL

Chronological correspondence

268-271 Correspondence. With notes and some Freedom Press correspondence.1936, 1938-1949 and n.d. 4 folders

268 1936, 1938-1944 and n.d.

269 1945-1947 and n.d.

270 1948 and n.d.

271 1949 and n.d.

Alphabetical correspondence

- 272 Letters from Giovanna Berneri. 1937 and 1939. 1 cover
- 273 Letters from Juan Lopez.1941 and n.d. 1 cover
- 274 Letters from Vernon Richards during his imprisonment.1945. 1 cover
- Letters from the detained Spanish republicans at Hall o' the Hill Camp near Chorley, England. With documentation.1945-1946 and n.d. 1 folder
- 276 Correspondence with the Sécretariat Provisoire Rélations Internationales. With a report, notes and press clippings concerning the 3rd congress of the Fédération Anarchiste.1946-1948. 1 cover
- 277 Letters from Serge Senninger. With a handwritten table of contents of the book "Manifeste du mouvement anarchiste". 1946. 1 cover
- 278 Letters from Voline(pseudonym of Vsevolod M. Eichenbaum).1945. 1 cover

PERSONAL DOCUMENTS

Diaries

- Notepad, used as a diary in the period August/September 1934. 1 volume
- Notebook and diary of Marie Louise Berneri, 1939, and on the reverse side diary of Vernon Richards.1949 and n.d. 1 quire
- 281 Diaries. With annexes. 1947-1949. 1 cover

Education/Studies

- 282 Schoolreports.1933-1936 and n.d. 2 quires
- 283 Essays and notes on literature and philosophy. 1934-1936 and n.d. 1 cover.
- 284 Notebook on the Spanish language.N.d. 1 quire

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Manuscripts

285-287 "Workers in Stalin's Russia". With documentation.1922, 1941-1945 and n.d. 3 folders

285 1941, 1943-1945 and n.d.

286 1942, 1944-1945 and n.d.

287 1922, 1942-1945 and n.d.

288-290 Manuscripts of articles and speeches. With documentation.1937-1938, 1940-1943 and n.d. 3 folders

- 288 1937, 1941 1943 and n.d.
- 289 1938, 1940 and n.d.
- 290 N.d.

Notes

- Notebooks on several subjects, also used by Vernon Richards.1929, 1937, 1943-1944 and n.d. 1 folder
- Notebook with booktitles. With texts of poems by Serge Senninger, Patrick Waldberg and Helman.1935-1944. 1 folder
- 293 Notes on Marquis de Sade. With library request forms.1949. 1 cover
- 294 Notes on African musical instruments.N.d. 1 piece
- 295 Notes on several subjects. With index cards. n.d. 1 cover

Published articles

- 296 "Italy after 1918" and "The Rise of Fascism in Italy". Articles in *War Commentary*, Vol. 21, Sept. 1943 and Vol. 22, Mid-Sept. 1943. 1 cover
- 297 "Revolución social en Mejico?". Article in Frente libertario, Vol. 4.N.d. 1 cover

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- List of the "Friday Night Lectures". With names, dates and subjects and of lectures held by Marie Louise Berneri.1941-1942. 1 cover
- 299 Press clipping with photographs of Naples, taken by Marie Louise Berneri.1946. 1 piece

DOCUMENTATION

- Documentation on anarchism, anarchists and authorities. With notes.1932, 1934, 1938-1942, 1945, 1947 and n.d. 1 cover
- 301 Calendar with quotations selected by Wilfred Wigham. 1944. 1 cover

ANNEX

- 302 Personal notes. Unknown handwriting in French and English.1932-1932. 1 piece
- Letters from M.L. Berneri to "Nonna", Fochi Berneri, returned to Vernon Richards after M.L. Berneri's death.1947-1949. 1 cover
- Notes on animals, the terminology of Toscane and the characters of books and plays. Unknown handwriting in Italian. 1 cover

EMIDIO RECCHIONI (1864-1934)

Correspondence

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305
      Letter from Erasmo Abate, pseudonym: Hugo Rolland.1924. 1 piece
306
      Postcard from Luigi Bertoni.1928. 1 piece
307
      Letters and a postcard from Luigi Fabbri. 1926, 1928-1929, 1933-1934. 1 cover
      22-4-1926. 2 p.
      16-5-1926. 2 p.
      24-11-1926. 1 p.
      3-7-1928. 1 p.
      10-7-1928. 1 p.
      6-7-1929. 1 p.
      3-4-1933. 3 p.
308
     Letters from Adalgisa Fochi.n.d. 1 cover
      "29" 1 p.
      "4 ott" 1 p.
      "17 ott" 1 p.
      "20 ott" 1 p.
      N.d. 1 p.
309
      Letters and postcards from Carlo Frigerio. 1923-1925, 1928, 1931. 1 cover
      7-4-1923. 1 p.
      27-3-1924. 1 p.
      28-5-1924. 1 p.
      14-6-1924. 1 p.
      10-5-1925. 2 p.
      7-6-1925. 2 p.
      14-11-1928. 1 p.
      12-6-1931. 1 p.
310
      Letters and postcards from Luigi Galleani.1923, 1925, 1929. 1 cover
      20-12-1923. 1 p.
      1-6-1925. 1 p.
      24-12-1928. 1 p.
      2-5-1929.4 p.
      1-111 p.
      N.d.1 p.
311
      Correspondence concerning "Mimi" (Evelyn), daughter of Dolores Grau. With a
      negative of a photograph.1925-1926 and n.d. 1 cover
312
      Letters from Sidney Greville, Buckingham Palace and St. James's Palace. 1904,
      1907. 1 cover
      4-4-1903. 1 p.
      2-4-1904. 1 p.
      4-4-1907. 1 p.
313
      Postcards and a letter from Errico Malatesta. 1923, 1928, 1931. 1 cover
      19-12-1923. 1 p.
      3-12-1928. 1 p.
      22-12-1931. 1 p.
314
      Draft of a letter to Errico Malatesta. With notes from Vernon Richards. 1923 and
      n.d. 1 cover.
315
      Letters and a postcard from Max Nettlau.1924-1926, 1928-1929, 1931-1933. 1
      cover
      12-8-1924. 1 p.
      18-8-1924. 1 p.
      20-2-1925. 2 p.
      24-5-1926. 2 p.
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9-12-1926. 2 p.
      9-11-1928. 3 p.
      23-9-1929. 2 p.
      29-9-1931. 1 p.
      19-12-1931. 1 p.
      5-8-1932. 2 p.
      10-8-1932. 1 p.
      26-9-1932. 1 p.
      5-10-1932. 2 p.
      13-11-1932. 1 p.
      30-7-1933. 1 p.
Letters and postcards from Raffaele Schiavina, pseudonym: Max Sartin.
      1924-1925, 1932-1933.
      27-11-1924. 3 p.
      28-12-1924. 10 p.
      12-1-1925. 9 p.
      26-5-1925. 1 p.
      6-6-1925. 1 p.
      27-6-1925. 8 p.
      11-7-1932. 3 p.
      20-9-1933. 6 p.
      Letter from E. Sylvia Pankhurst.N.d. 1 piece
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318
      Two letters from Michele Schirru. Both fragmentary. 1930 and n.d. 1 cover
319
      Other correspondence.1911, 1919, 1921-1931, 1933-1934 and n.d. 1 cover
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Diaries

320-321 Notebooks, kept during his illness.1934. 2 folders

Manuscripts

322 Manuscripts of articles. With drafts of letters. 1921 and n.d. 1 folder.

N.B. Mostly published as "Letters from London" in *Suplemento de la Protesta*,

Studi Sociali and other American papers.

Finances

- 323 Stock book from "King Bomba", London.1917-1919. 1 volume
- Documents concerning the "Rigo Settlement", containing a declaration from his cousin Rigo Recchioni.1925, 1931, 1933 and n.d. 1 cover
- 325 "Estratto del Movimento Cassa Carrara". Abstract of account concerning Carrara marble.1932. 1 piece
- Financial statements from the "Banca Commerciale Italiana", London, concerning Carrara Marble and Granite Co. Ltd.1932. 1 cover
- 327 "File Tamburrini Papers". Documents concerning Carrara marble.1933. 1 cover

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- 328 Mortuary card in remembrance of Benvenuto Benerecetti.1908. 1 piece
- 329 Press clipping of an article on English music by R.H. Legge.1914. 1 piece

- 330 Muirhead's guide book "Southern Italy", London, 1930. With indications of the spots for an assault on Mussolini. (See last map of Naples, between p. 298-299, and the maps of Rome, after p. 537a, plan-index of Rome). 1 volume
- "Wonders of Italy"; A Handbook for Students and Travellers. Florence. 1930.
 Received from Michele Schirru. With inscription: "To my dear Nemo, as a souvenir for my travel in Italy. Mike". 1 volume
- Newspaper articles concerning assaults on Mussolini by anarchists and the conviction of Michele Schirru.1931-1932. 1 cover

ANNEX

- Telegram from Colon Truda Moscow to *Daily Herald for Freedom and Workers Friend*, London, concerning the death of Peter Kropotkin.1921. 1 piece
- Letter from Augustin Souchy to C. Edwards, London.1932. 1 piece

DOCUMENTS FROM OTHER RELATIVES

CAMILLO BERNERI (1897-1937)

Correspondence

- 335 Letter from D. Anzani.1935. 1 cover
- 336 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri. 1929 and n.d. 1 cover
- 337 Letter from N. Chiaromonte. N.d. 1 piece
- 338 Other letters to Camillo Berneri.1916, 1920 and n.d. 1 cover

Notes and manuscripts

- 339 Notes on "La filosofia del diretto". N.d. 1 cover
- Notes on Spain. With press clippings.1936-1937 and n.d. 1 cover
- 341-344 Manuscripts of articles on the catholic church and fascism. With documentation.1905-1906, 1909, 1926-1927, 1932-1937 and n.d. 4 folders
 - 341 1909, 1923, 1926-1927, 1933-1937 and n.d.
 - 342 1905-1906, 1930, 1932, 1934-1937 and n.d.
 - 343 1923, 1933-1934 and n.d.
 - 344 1933, 1935-1937 and n.d.
 - 345 Manuscript of the article "La vie culturelle en Catalogne".N.d. 1 cover

Documentation

- 346 Documentation on agricultural reform in several countries.1906, 1921, 1930, 1935 and n.d. 1 cover
- Clippings of articles on the attitude of the catholic church in relation to communism and fascism.1935-1937 and n.d. 1 cover

348 Clippings on several other subjects.1927, 1935 and n.d. 1 cover

GIOVANNA BERNERI

- 349 Correspondence.1929, 1937, 1946, 1948 and n.d. 1 cover
- 350 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri. 1935 and 1938. 1 cover

GILIANE BERNERI

- 351 Letters from Marie Louise Berneri.1938. 1 cover
- 352 Essays on philosophy, made during her studies.N.d. 1 cover
- Prescription from the North Kensington Women's Welfare Centre, London.1951. 1 piece

CONSTANZA RECCHIONI

- 354 Letters to Constanza Recchioni.1913, 1934-1936 and n.d. 1 cover
- Notebook concerning payments made by N. Tamburrini, as a settlement of an account.1938-1940, 1945-1947. 1 quire

VERA BALFOUR-RECCHIONI

356 Letters to Vera Balfour-Recchioni.1928-1929, 1934-1935. 1 cover

DOCUMENTS FROM FREEDOM PRESS STAFF MEMBERS

N.B. In future to be added to the Freedom archive.

JOHN HEWETSON

- 357 Correspondence.1942 and n.d. 1 cover
- 358-359 Manuscripts of articles and lectures. With correspondence, notes and documentation.1942, 1944, 1948-1949 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 358 1942, 1944, 1948.
 - 359 1949 and n.d.
 - 360 Manuscript "Genesis Exodus and Hebrews" N.d. 1 volume
 - 361 Memorandum concerning an anarchist policy pamphlet on education. Carbon copy.N.d. 1 cover

JIM HUGGON

362 Letters from Vernon Richards, mainly on publications and finances of Freedom Press.1974, 1976-1983. 1 folder

THOMAS H. KEELL (1866-1938)

363 Letters from Errico Malatesta. With notes from Vernon Richards.1920, 1922 and n.d. 1 cover

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15-9-1920. 1 p. 21-7-1922. 1 p.
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364 Letters from Max Nettlau. Copies. 1928-1938. 1 folder

LILIAN G. WOLFE (1875-1974)

- Postcard from Errico Malatesta to Thomas and Lilian Keell-Wolfe" Freedom Press".1931. 1 piece
- Documents concerning the relief of Spanish refugees in Britain. 1938-1939 and n.d. 1 cover
- 367 Christmas card from S. Corio and a written text about Max Nettlau.1948, 1958. 1 cover

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GENERAL

368-377 Correspondence.1945-1946, 1951-1952, 1954-1955, 1963-1969, 1971-1973, 1975-2000 and n.d. 8 boxes and 2 folders

NB. Contains personal and Freedom Press correspondence and occasionally some bills and notes.

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368 1945-1946, 1951-1952, 1954-1955, 1960, 1962-1969, 1971- 1973, 1975-1990.
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369 1991-1992.

370 1992-1994.

371 1994-1995.

372 1995-1997.

373 1997-1998.

374 1998-1999.

375 1999-2000.

376 2000. (folder)

377 N.d. (folder)

378-383 Correspondence. Alphabetically arranged.1985-1992, 1995-2000 and n.d. 6 covers

378 Chip's Booksearch.1997- 1999.

379 Enckel, Marianne.1988-1992, 1995-1996 and n.d.

380 Gangnet, Simone. 1999-2000.

381 Goossens, Sidonie.1999- 2000.

382 Jones, Bob.1985-1990, 1992.

383 Morag.1999- 2000.

384 Christmas cards and letters.1999. 1 cover

385 Lists with names and addresses.N.d. 1 cover

PERSONAL

- 386 List of items for an insurance policy.1942. 1 piece
- 387 Passport.1960. 1 copy
- 388 Personal notes and drawings.N.d. 1 cover

PUBLIC LIFE

Authorship

- Part of the typescript of a book, chapter titled: 'This Government Won't Defend Your Freedom'. pp. 199-217.1964. 1 cover
- Typescript of the introduction for the new edition of *Lessons of the Spanish Revolution*.1983. 1 cover
- 391 Manuscript of the introduction to the second volume of 'A Weekend Photographer's Notebook' concerning photographs of men, including notes and a photocopy of a letter to Charles.1998-1999 and n.d. 1 cover
- 392 Typescripts and manuscripts of 'Notes on Malatesta and Bakunin'. N.d. 1 cover
- 393-395 Typescripts and manuscripts of articles. Partly photocopies.1964, 1966, 1972, 1975, 1980, 1992, 1995 and n.d. 1 box and 2 folders

393 1964, 1966, 1972, 1975, 1980, 1992, 1995.

394 N.d.

395 N.d. (box)

396 Notes.1954, 1967 and n.d. 1 cover

Freedom Press

Correspondence

397 Correspondence with Freedom Press office.1998. 1 cover NB. For Freedom Press correspondence see also inv.nos. 368-383.

Typescripts and manuscripts

- Typescripts of articles for a volume on Peter Kropotkin, including notes and documentation.1931-1933, 1969, 1977 and n.d. 1 folder
- Typescript of the children's book 'La Vache Bleue' (the Blue Cow) by John Olday. French translation by Marie Louise Berneri, including notes by Colin Ward.1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- Typescript of 'Thoughts on Revolution' by Errico Malatesta, edited by Vernon Richards. Partly in print.N.d. 1 cover
- 401-402 Typescripts and manuscripts of articles.1964, 1966, 1977, 1983, 1988, 1992 and n.d. 2 folders

401 1964, 1966, 1977, 1983, 1988, 1992.

402 N.d.

Publications

- Documents concerning the publication of the pamphlet *Revolutionary Government* by Peter Kropotkin.1932, 1941 and n.d. 1 cover
- 404 Documents concerning the publication of *A Weekend Photographers Notebook* by Vernon Richards.1996. 1 cover
- 405 Proof of the Anarchy pamphlet of Freedom Press(no. 5754/2911).N.d. 1 piece
- 406 Other documents concerning the publication of *Freedom*, *The Raven* and other publications.1995 and n.d. 1 cover

Other documents

- 407 Documents concerning the Marie Louise Berneri Memorial Committee.1949-1952, 1954. 1 folder
- Documents concerning a *Freedom* readership survey. With a covering letter from Tony Gibson.1960, 1989. 1 cover
- 409 Documents concerning Freedom Press bookshop.1973, 1975, 1980, 1986, 1993-1994 and n.d.
- 410-411 Documents concerning Friends of Freedom Press.1975, 1981-1983, 1985-1990 and n.d. 2 folders
 - NB. Vernon Richards was secretary of Friends of Freedom Press.
 - 410 1975, 1981-1983, 1985-1986.
 - 411 1987-1990 and n.d.
- 412-413 Financial documents.1990-1992, 1994-1995, 1999 and n.d. 2 folders
 - 412 1990-1992, 1994-1995 and n.d.
 - 413 1999.

Other activities

- 414 Book cover with a photograph of Sydney Silverman and photocopies of photographs of George Orwell and his adopted son, photographed by Vernon Richards.1946 and n.d. 1 cover NB. Photographs by Vernon Richards and Marie Louise Berneri were transferred to the audiovisual section of the IISH.
- 415 Notebooks on organized travels.1965-1967 and n.d. 1 cover
- Lists of second hand books, mainly originating from the library of Charles Duff, used for second hand book selling.c. 1967-1968. 1 cover

Other documents

- 417 File on Herbert Read.1939, 1949, 1951- 1953, 1968-1969 and n.d. 1 cover
- 418 *The Anarchists in London 1935-1955*. Paper by Albert Meltzer. With notes by Vernon Richards.1976. 1 copy
- 419 Documents concerning an interview with Vernon Richards, including documentation on the Italian anarchist movement and on his father Emidio Recchioni.1986. 1 cover

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Reviews

- 420 Reviews of the publications of Marie Louise Berneri.1949-1955, 1957, 1959 and n.d. 1 cover
- 421 Reviews of Freedom Press publications.1950, 1954, 1957, 1975-1978, 1983, 1985-1987, 1991-1992, 1995 and n.d. 1 folder
- 422 Reviews of the publications of Vernon Richards, including some correspondence.1965-1966, 1968, 1972, 1978-1979, 1981-1984, 1996 and n.d. 1 folder
- 423 Reviews of the publications of Colin Ward.1976-1977, 1984, 1993 and n.d. 1 cover
- 424 Other reviews of books.1985-1989, 1992-1995 and n.d. 1 cover

Persons

- 425 Printed articles in *Freedom*, mainly on George Orwell. Photocopies.1947, 1950, 1954-1956. 1 cover
- 426 Articles concerning John Olday.1977. 1 cover
- 427 Documentation concerning Louis Mercier Vega. 1977-1978 and n.d. 1 cover
- 428 Articles concerning Colin Ward.1988. 1 cover
- Obituaries concerning Jim Allen, Reynold Higgins, Philip Holgate, José Peirats, Philip Sansom and George Woodcock.1989, 1993, 1995, 1999. 1 cover

Countries

- 430 Documentation concerning the Soviet Union.1939, 1961, 1974-1976, 1978-1983, 1986, 1990, 1994 and n.d. 1 folder
- 431 Documentation concerning China.1976- 1977, 1980-1982, 1989 and n.d. 1 cover
- 432 Documentation concerning Hungary.1977, 1981 and n.d. 1 cover
- 433 Documentation concerning Poland.1978, 1980-1982 and n.d. 1 cover

Other documentation

- Documentation on anarchism. Partly photocopies.1881, 1893, 1911, 1953, 1980, 1984, 1986, 1989, 1993, 1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- Clippings of articles and clippings of received letters, including a letter from Vernon Richards, published in *Freedom*.1967, 1995 and n.d. 1 cover
- 436 Articles on *Freedom, Anarchist Weekly*.c. 1972, 1986. 1 cover
- 437 Leaflets.N.d. 1 cover
- 438-440 Miscellaneous documentation. Partly photocopies.1888, 1891, 1900, 1909, 1936-1937, 1939-1940, 1951, 1965-1968, 1975-1983, 1985-1986, 1988, 1990-1995, 1997-2000 and n.d. 3 folders
 - 438 1888, 1891, 1900, 1909, 1936-1937, 1939-1940, 1951, 1965-1968, 1975-1979.
 - 439 1980-1983, 1985-1986, 1988, 1990- 1995.
 - 440 1997-2000 and n.d.

DOCUMENTS FROM RELATIVES

Giliane Berneri

Letters from Vernon Richards to Giliane Berneri, including letters from Serge Senninger to Giliane Berneri, a letter from ? to Vernon Richards and a covering letter from Serge Senninger to Vernon Richards.1949-1954, 1999 and n.d. 1 folder

Marie Louise Berneri

Correspondence

- Letters from Marie Louise Berneri and some others to Gaston Davoust-Chazé. Photocopies.1939-1940, 1946, 1953 and n.d. 1 cover
- Letters from Marie Louise Berneri to various persons, including documentation. Photocopies.1937, 1947-1948. 1 cover
- Letter from V. Aberghi? to Marie Louise Berneri. In twofold. Photocopies. With notes by Vernon Richards.N.d. 1 cover

Manuscripts and notes

- 445 Personal notes.1936-1937. 1 cover
- Typescript of the article 'Une école Anglaise oú régne la liberté absolue'.N.d. 1 cover

Publications

447-448 Printed articles, mainly from Marie Louise Berneri, published in *War Commentary*, from 1945 in *Freedom*, including notes by Vernon Richards.1939-1948. 2 folders 447 1939-1944.

448 1945-1948.

ANNEX

- 449 Obituaries on Vernon Richards. 2001. 1 cover
- Photo album with family photos, including a letter from Emilie Bunting to Joan Toner(?), notes and a visiting card of E. Knight.N.d. 1 cover

Accrual 2018

Flyer on an acquisition of photographs by Vernon Richards 'Un attimo di verità. Vernon Richards fotografo' in Eggio Emilia, Italy, 31 October - 5 December 2004.2004. 1 cover

Photographs

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452	Visual material belonging to "Correspondence" files 1 photographs and 6 postcards See inv.nos. 1-47
453	Visual material belonging to "Leval" file 1 photograph See inv.nos. 115-119
454	Giovanna Berneri and others 13 photographs and 1 negative
455	Marie Louise Berneri 7 photoraphs and 11 cards
456	Unknown portraits 4 photographs
457	George Orwell 2 photographs See inv.no. 414
458	File "Correspondence 1955" 1 photograph See inv.no. 5
459	Various visual material belonging to Correspondence Vernon Richards 13 photographs
460	File "Correspondence Marie Louise Berneri" 4 photographs
461	Visual documentation detained Spanish republicans at Hall o' the Hill Camp 3 photographs See inv.no. 275
462	Writer Charles Duff with wife and daughter, Suffolk, England 6 photographs and 1 negative
463	Visual documentation on agricultural reform, education and collectivisations in Spain 1937 8 photographs See inv.no. 346
464	File "Malatesta - Life and Ideas" 3 photographs See inv.nos. 102-106
465	Various photographs Spanish Civil War 25 photographs
466	Photographs Spanish Civil War from newspapers 58 photographs and 1 booklet Booklet title: "Galicia Martir", estampas por Castelao
467	Various photographs Spanish Civil War 80 photographs and 4 drawings Contains sensitive material

Various photographs Spanish Civil War 100 photographs Contains sensitive material

Various photographs Spanish Civil War 29 photographs

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