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Abstract

The George M. Weiss scrapbooks are comprised of 38 chronologically-arranged scrapbooks detailing the career of Weiss as well as a history of the teams that he ran. The first baseball executive voted into the Baseball Hall of Fame, Weiss is often perceived as an extremely successful, yet cold, callous man. Though the collection does not necessarily dispute this, it does downplay Weiss’ adverse personal side, concentrating instead on his phenomenal success as a baseball executive.

The scrapbooks consist of: newspaper and magazine clippings; original and reproduced cartoons; letters, invitations, and greeting cards; telegrams; original and reproduced photographs (color and black and white); box scores; schedules; rosters; team yearbooks, press guides, programs, and scorecards; pamphlets; press releases; brochures; tickets; clubhouse and parking passes; press credential tags; identification buttons, ribbons, and stickers; business cards; radio scripts; menus; and a checkbook.

As newspaper clippings make up the bulk of this collection, many prestigious local and national sports columnists are represented in these pages. These writers include Parke Carroll, Bill Corum, Arthur Daley, Dan Daniel, Ben Epstein, Frank Graham, Milton Gross, Barney Kremenko, Dan Parker, Westbrook Pegler, Jimmy Powers, J. Lester Scott, Red Smith, Joe Williams, and Dick Young.

The collection, however, consists of far more than just clippings; there is more than a fair share of correspondence, original photographs, and ephemera which was lovingly and carefully collected (possibly by Weiss’ long-time secretary, Betty King). The end result is a detailed chronicle of Weiss and his work.

Provenance: This collection was donated to the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum in 1975 by the Estate of George M. Weiss, Mrs. George M. Weiss. Collection arranged and described by Russell Wolinsky in June 2003.

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Separations: None.

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Historical Background

George Martin Weiss was born on June 25, 1895 to Conrad and Anna Weiss, New Haven, CT grocery-store owners. He began his baseball career in 1912 as manager of the New Haven High School team. By 1915, while also attending Yale University, he began his professional career as manager, director, and operator of the New Haven Colonials, a semi-professional team. Weiss’ marketing and promotional skills began to blossom with the Colonials. Taking advantage of Blues Laws, which forbid professional baseball to be played on Sundays, Weiss booked games on the Sabbath, often using idle contemporary major-league players such as Ty Cobb and Walter Johnson, developing life-long relationships with both men. He also scheduled exhibition games against major league teams (New York Yankees, Boston Red Sox and Braves) and unique barnstorming teams like the all-female Bloomer Girls as well as an all-Chinese team. Weiss would later popularize promotions such as Ladies’ Day and Old-Timers Day. The Colonials competed for fans with the Eastern League’s New Haven franchise, and by 1919 that club’s management, brought to its knees by Weiss’ success, offered to sell him the team for $5,000.

For the next ten years, under Weiss’ leadership, the Eastern League franchise prospered both on the field and at the gate. In 1920, a new ball park, named Weiss Field, was erected. The team finished in first place three times and produced major leaguers such as long-time A’s catcher Jimmie Wilson. In 1929, following the death of Jack Dunn, Weiss assumed the general manager position of the Baltimore Orioles (International League). During his three-year tenure there, Weiss negotiated player sales to major league teams totaling nearly a quarter of a million dollars, a phenomenal achievement in the era of the Great Depression.

Weiss’ success in Baltimore caught the eye of New York Yankees owner Col. Jacob Ruppert. Influenced by the success of Branch Rickey and the St. Louis Cardinals, Ruppert wanted to establish a “farm system” for his American League (AL) club. Weiss was the man he wanted for the job and on February 2, 1932 George Weiss was named farm director of the Yankees.

Under Weiss, the Yankees minor-league system (as well as the parent club) went through a period of unprecedented success. Buoyed by a superior scouting staff and farm system, organized by Weiss, the Yankees were supplied with stars such as Joe DiMaggio, Bill Dickey, and Charley Keller. Their top farm club, the Newark Bears, won seven pennants in 11 seasons; the Kansas City Blues three in four seasons. During the 15 years that Weiss ran the Yankees minor league system, the parent club won nine American League pennants and eight World Series.

In October 1947, Weiss was named general manager of the Yankees. He hired Casey Stengel as manager in 1949, and provided the skipper with such Hall of Fame stars as Mickey Mantle, Whitey Ford, and Yogi Berra. Weiss also possessed an uncanny talent as a deal-maker. Via the trade route, Weiss acquired Bob Turley, Johnny Mize, Enos Slaughter, Don Larsen, and Roger Maris for Stengel, giving away little in return. The net
result was ten AL pennants and seven world championships for the Bronx Bombers from the period 1948-1960.

After a seven-game defeat by Pittsburgh in the 1960 World Series, both Stengel and Weiss were “retired” by the Yankees, the manager on October 18, his boss three weeks later, on November 3. In early 1961, Weiss was tabbed to serve as president of the expansion New York Mets. He quickly hired the 70-year-old Stengel to serve as the team’s manager. The Mets, beginning in 1962, set on-field records for futility in their early seasons, but Weiss was sowing the seeds, through a fertile minor league system, that would result in a 1969 World Championship for the National League club. In 1966, aided by a new ballpark (Shea Stadium) and the New York World’s Fair across the street, the Mets would set a New York City major-league attendance record by drawing 1,932,693 fans.

The 72-year-old Weiss stepped down as president of the team on November 14, 1966, but remained with the club as a consultant until 1971, the year he was elected to the Baseball Hall of Fame. George Weiss died, at the age of 78, on August 13, 1972 at a nursing home in Greenwich, CT. He was survived by his wife, Boston sculptor Hazel Wood, whom he married in 1937.

Scope and Content

The George M. Weiss scrapbooks are divided in 38 parts, generally by year, chronologically.

Each scrapbook, with some exceptions, follows a similar pattern. Narrated by the use of newspaper clippings, the books run chronologically, beginning with spring training and contract-signing, moving through the regular season and into World Series play (if applicable). This is followed by awards, banquets, and holiday greetings and festivities. Feature articles, photos, and ephemera are interspersed in each book, again generally keeping in chronological order.

One archival box contains correspondence from 1924 – 1952 and 1966. These were pulled from the scrapbooks and are filed by volume number. This box also contains a scorecard from 1891.

Volume 1, 1914-19, 1924 (scrapbook BL-135.75): Clips: New Haven Colonials vs. Boston Red Sox, Boston Braves, New York Yankees (including game played at Polo Grounds), New York Giants, Chicago White Sox, Bloomer Girls, an all-Chinese team (many of these accounts include box scores); Colonials and Sunday baseball, with Ty Cobb in the lineup; “Wild Bill” Donovan; Weiss purchases New Haven Eastern League franchise; “Chief” Bender; “Chief” Meyer.

Correspondence: Holograph from Ty Cobb; various telegrams.
Photographs: Originals; Ty Cobb; “Home Run” Baker; Joe Dugan; Lighthouse Point Park; 1916 Colonals team; Magazine photo: 1914 Colonials.

Ephemera: Contracts; 1918 rental agreement of Lighthouse Point Park to New Haven Eastern League franchise; Colonials contract agreement for (2) specific games, 1917; purchase agreement of New Haven Eastern League franchise to Weiss and partners; Weiss checks written to the order of Ty Cobb, Walter Johnson; unidentified dinner program autographed by many major league players, newspaper writers; Weiss Selected Service information, 1916.

**Volume 2, 1920 (scrapbook BL-134.75):** This scrapbook is all clippings: New Haven Indians (Eastern League); opening of Weiss Park; Ty Cobb; “Chief” Bender; Jack Gillespie; Jake Hehl; Johnny Nagle; George Nutter; Frankie McGowan; Red Torphy; Neal Ball; Frank Woodward.

**Volume 3, 1919-24 (scrapbook BL-136.75):** Clips: New Haven Profs game accounts and box scores; dedication of Weiss Park; “Chief” Meyer; Danny Murphy; “Wild Bill” Donovan; Babe Ruth; Kenesaw Mountain Landis; Neal Ball; testimonial dinner for Ty Cobb/“Chief” Bender; Walter Johnson and Weiss proposed purchase of Oakland Oaks (Pacific Coast League).


Correspondence: Holograph; Walter Johnson; Correspondence, checks from Fred Lieb, John Kiernan, Sid Mercer, Al Munro Elias, Harry Frazee, Clark Griffith re: “Wild Bill” Donovan banquet; Telegrams; Ty Cobb, Frank Navin, George Sisler, Jacob Ruppert, Babe Ruth, Hugh Jennings, Walter Johnson.

Photographs: Originals; New Haven Profs team photos 1920-25; opening of Weiss Park; sketch of Weiss Park; Jimmy Wilson; Hugh Duffy; Bill Donovan.

Ephemera: Scorecard/program; Baseball’s Return to Savin Rock, 7/21/27; minor league championship series, Baltimore v. New Haven, 9/25-27/22; programs; Official Dedication to Weiss Park, 7/21/20; New Haven Baseball Dinner, 1/26/23; Pennant Day; Testimonial dinner to “Chief” Bender and Ty Cobb, 2/31/21; Weiss Christmas card; type-written description of Detroit at Philadelphia game 9/30/07 in which Bill Donovan won pennant for Detroit; contract of sale of Weiss family grocery store; guest pass to pennant day; press pass to minor league championship games, 9/25-27/22; poems by Al Jackson, Grantland Rice.

**Volume 4, 1923 (scrapbook BL-137.75):** Entirely dedicated to train wreck of the 20th Century Limited involving Weiss and “Wild Bill” Donovan, December 9, 1923.

Clips: Bill Donovan; train wreck; tribute game to Donovan.
Correspondence: Letters and telegrams wishing Weiss well including actor Douglas Fairbanks Jr. (a passenger on the train), Al Jolson, Fred Lieb, Connie Mack, John Heydler.

Photographs: original and newspaper photos of accident and Donovan funeral.

Ephemera: Weiss checkbook; Elias Bureau stats and biography of Donovan; ticket, program and scorecard (torn) from Donovan memorial game; Summons and Complaint, George M. Weiss vs. New York Central Railroad Co.

**Volume 5, 1918-31 (scrapbook BL-138.75):** Clips: Articles on New Haven Profs: profiles of Weiss; rumors of Weiss to run hockey team in New Haven, purchase stock in Boston Braves.

Correspondence: Holograph to Weiss from Walter Johnson; telegram to Weiss from Walter Johnson.

Photographs: Originals: 1926, 1927 New Haven Profs team photos; Walter Johnson (in group); John McGraw (in group); Weiss Park; Savin Rock Park; newspaper photos; 1928, 1929 New Haven Profs team photos; New York Yankees in New Haven.

Ephemera: original cartoon art by Walt Munson; programs, Banquet y Baile 1/10/26; Stanford vs. Utah college football game 12/8/24; jubilee day, baseball returns to Savin Rock 7/21/27; schedules, spring training for New Haven Profs 1926-28; personnel, National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues special train 1/12-14/26.

**Volume 6, 1930-33 (scrapbook BL-139.75):** Clips: Weiss named vice president, general manager of Baltimore Orioles, International League; Old-Timers game in Baltimore; profiles of Weiss; Buzz Arlett; H.P. Dawson; Weiss named assistant secretary, New York Yankees, vice president, Newark Bears; Yankees farm system; Springfield, MA becomes Yankees farm club.

Correspondence: Congratulatory letters and telegrams.

Photographs: Originals; Weiss; Al Schacht; Kenesaw Landis; Walter Johnson (with Walter Johnson Baseball Game); Ed Barrow; 1931, 1933 old-timers team (Baltimore); Newark Bears 1932; Binghamton Triplets 1933; President’s Cup awarded to 1933 Newark Bears.


**Volume 7, 1932-33 (scrapbook BL-140.75):** Clips: Weiss leaves Baltimore Orioles to become assistant secretary of New York Yankees; H.P. Dawson; Jimmy Wilson; Bob
Shawkey; Yankees minor league system, particularly Newark Bears; state of the Eastern League; rumors of Babe Ruth to manage in Newark; Weiss on night baseball.

Correspondence: Telegram from Branch Rickey to Ruth re: saving minor leagues.
Ephemera: Program for banquet honoring Newark Bears, 2/7/33; cartoons by Howard Freeman and others; Christmas card from Babe Ruth; type-written proof of article on Weiss by Ernest Lanigan.

Volume 8, 1934-42 (scrapbook BL-141.75): Clips: Death of Jacob Ruppert; Weiss named secretary of New York Yankees; Weiss as Yankees farm director; Weiss named vice-president of International League; resignation of National League president John Heydler and the possibility of Weiss as his replacement; history of Yankees minor league system; Walter Johnson’s 50th birthday celebration; death of Lou Gehrig; Howard Freeman obituary; W.I. Gear obituary; profiles of Ed Barrow, Yankees scouts; Kenesaw Landis and “farm” systems; Newark Bears; Binghamton Triplets; Norfolk Tars; Kansas City Blues; Akron Yankees; Piedmont League; Johnny Neun; opening of High Rock Park, Norfolk, VA.

Feature articles: Liberty, 6/16/40, “Why the Yankees Won’t Break Up” by Ed Barrow as told to John Drebinger, 8/10/40, “Baseball Goes to College” by John Drebinger.

Correspondence: Assignment of Joe DiMaggio’s contract from San Francisco to Newark with an unsigned, hand-written assessment of DiMaggio, November, December 1934; holograph from actor William Frawley; various “good luck,” “get well,” and congratulatory letters, telegrams; birthday cards.

Ephemera: Programs; Testimonial Dinner to Newark Bears, 4/15/40; American Association All-Star Game 7/18/36, 1939, 7/17/40; New York chapter, Baseball Writers Association of America banquet 2/4/34, 2/4/40; International League 50th Anniversary 2/3/34; Casey Stengel Testimonial Dinner (autographed) 10/8/36; Gold Key Award 1/27/41; National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, 12/5/39; Testimonial Dinner for Robert J. Campbell 1/27/34; cartoons by Howard Freeman, Willard Mullin, Burris Jenkins, original cartoon art by Walt Munson; pamphlet from Journal of American Medical Association, 8/16/41, “Shoulder and Elbow Lesions of the Professional Baseball Player”; signed plate of centennial book plate for Baseball Hall of Fame Library; invitations to 1937 & 1938 New York Yankees Victory Celebration; menu from New York Yankees Special Railroad, New York to Cincinnati, for 1939 World Series; final reserve list for 1934; military newspapers The Foxhole Flash and The New Okinawan 1942 record of Weiss’ clubs, 1919-36; type-written uncredited text on Yankees after Ruppert’s death; various ephemera from Weiss’ California trip 1939-40 including SS Santa Elena prominent passenger list, on-board newsletter, ticket to 1940 Rose Bowl, cocktail napkins from Slapsie Maxie’s and Congress Hotel, handbooks from Mission Inn, Riverside CA; various postcards.

Photographs: Original photo of Weiss, group photo w/folio from Soreno Lounge, St. Petersburg, FL; newspaper, team photos of Newark Bears 1934, 1937, Kansas City Blues
1939, photo essay of Newark fans from *Newark Sunday Call*, n.d.; *Pic* 4/30/40 photo spread on Yankees players.

**Volume 9, 1939 (scrapbook BL-143.75):** Clips: Jacob Ruppert, biographies, illness, death, obituaries, funeral; Ed Barrow’s ascent to presidency of New York Yankees; Weiss to secretary of club; Westbrook Pegler column on baseball and labor.


Correspondence: “Good luck” and congratulatory letters from, among others, Christy Walsh; telegrams; birthday cards.

Photographs: Original photos of Weiss both alone and in groups.

Ephemera: Cartoon by Jess Benton, entire March 1939 issue of *Baseball* magazine

**Volume 10, 1940-42 (scrapbook BL-144.75):** Clips; Weiss honored at Gold Key Club; Inheritance Tax and the Yankees; Yankees farm system; Kansas City Blues pennant and exhibition win over N.Y. Yankees (w/box score); Newark Bears International League pennant; Red Cross benefit show at Ruppert Stadium, Newark; death of Lou Gehrig; Marius Russo; Gene Moore; night baseball; Weiss named vice president International League, New York Yankees; geographic realignment of major league baseball; rumors of Weiss moving to Brooklyn Dodgers.


Correspondence: Holographs by George M. Cohan, Larry MacPhail to Weiss; letter proposing feature article on Weiss for *Saturday Evening Post*, Weiss declines; “thank you” letter from New York City mayor John Murphy; telegram inviting Weiss to “wrap” party for *The Lou Gehrig Story*; congratulatory letters and telegrams.

Photographs: *Newark Sunday Call*, August 31, 1941 photo feature on Bears.

Ephemera: Programs; Gold Key Award, January 27, 1941, January 26, 1942; New York chapter, Baseball Writers Association banquet, February 2, 1941, February 1, 1942; testimonial dinner for “The Stevens Boys,” January 14, 1941; 1942 Kentucky Derby; menu for the Brown Derby restaurant, New Year’s Day 1940; International League press release on Weiss; ticket to 1942 Kentucky Derby.

**Volume 11, 1943-46 (scrapbook BL-145.75):** Clips: Ownership of Yankees passes to MacPhail, Webb, and Topping; Weiss promoted to head of all baseball player operations for Yankees; rumors of Weiss to Boston Red Sox; Newark Bears; Yankees scouting system; lights for Yankee Stadium; Joe DiMaggio; Jacob Ruppert; Larry MacPhail;

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Connie Mack; Red Rolfe named Yankees coach; obituaries, Bill Slocum and Mrs. Jack Dunn; death of Walter Johnson.

Feature articles: *Fortune* magazine feature on Yankees, July 1946; *Elks* magazine feature on Weiss, August 1944, with Willard Mullin illustration; *Baseball* magazine January 1944, “System Does It.”

Correspondence: Holograph from Bill Dickey to Weiss; congratulatory letters and telegrams.

Photographs: Original photograph; Dan Parker and Weiss; newspaper photographs of members of the Newark Bears.

Ephemera: Programs, Gold Key Award banquet, Jan. 29, 1945; New York chapter of Baseball Writers Association banquet, February 6, 1944, February 3, 1946; National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues convention banquet, December 5, 1946; New Haven Advertising Club “Award of the Gold Medal of Honor,” November 20, 1945; Newsletter, *Bear Facts*, three issues, all 1945; poem, “Bless ‘Em All”; cartoons by Willard Mullin, including a tribute to Walter Johnson at the time of his death; credential tags for 1943 World Series games at Yankee Stadium; ticket stubs to War Bond game at Polo Grounds, August 26, 1943; United States Military Academy courtesy card and ticket for graduation exercises, June 1946.

**Volume 12, 1947, October-December (scrapbook BL-146.75):** Clips: Larry MacPhail resigns, Weiss named Yankees general manager; overview of Weiss’ career thus far; 1947 World Series; Joe Page; suspension of Chicago White Sox general manager Leslie O’Connor.


Correspondence: Letter from Webb and Topping announcing changes in Yankees management; congratulatory letters to Weiss.

Cartoons: by Walt Munson and Ray Dirgo.

**Volume 13, 1947-48 (scrapbook BL-147.75):** Clips: Joe DiMaggio, Joe Page sign 1948 contracts; 1948 Gold Key Award.

Feature Article: *True* magazine, February 1948, “Yankee Huckster.”

Correspondence: Congratulatory typewritten letters, on the occasion of Weiss’ promotion to New York Yankees General Manager, from (among many others), Walter O’Malley, Joe Cronin, Frank Crosetti, Frank C. Lane, Branch Rickey; Photostat of a letter from

**Volume 14, 1948 (scrapbook BL-148.75):** Clips: Yankees hire Casey Stengel, retire Babe Ruth’s uniform number; Bucky Harris; doubleheader at Yankee Stadium vs. Cleveland attended by over 65,000, June 12, 1948.

Feature Article: *Pageant* magazine, October 1948, “The Yankees Mean Business.”

Correspondence: Typewritten letters; Commissioner Chandler announcing Yankees’ illegal signing, and free agent status, of pitcher Harry Nichols; from Weiss to all American League presidents requesting increase in umpire travel allowance; between Weiss and American League president Harridge re: potential AL playoff; from Ed Barrow complementing Weiss on contract negotiations; various fan letters, September 1948, criticizing Yankees players and management, particularly manager Bucky Harris; Yankees interoffice memo, dated 7/2/48, to Weiss noting that Buck O’Neil had phoned.

Ephemera: Throughout this scrapbook, a running commentary appears, author unknown, reviewing the events relevant to Weiss and baseball through the 1948 season; pamphlet, “AL Regulations,” dated 4/1/48; invitation, to Yankee Stadium Silver Anniversary Dinner, 6/12/48; cartoons, by Willard Mullin; roster and itinerary, spring training 1948; lists, team expenses for 1948 World Series, Yankees players on 1948 waiver list.

**Volume 15, 1949 (scrapbook BL-149.75):** Clips: Contracts for DiMaggio and Stengel; Connie Mack honored in New York City (and at Yankee Stadium) for 50 years in baseball, August 20, 1949; Bill Veeck refers to Yankees as a “third place team”; reaffirmation from Yankees owners that Weiss is the man in charge; minor league baseball in Newark, New Jersey; *New York Times* reprint of final weekend series, New York vs. Boston.

Correspondence: Holographs: Three from Ed Barrow to Weiss thanking Weiss for various favors granted as well as congratulating him for quickly signing Joe DiMaggio to a 1949 contract; Typeset letters: A series tracing Weiss’ membership acceptance into the New York Athletic Club, including letters from Walter O’Malley, Weiss’ sponsor; from Branch Rickey congratulating Weiss on New York’s 1949 World Championship; Eleanor Gehrig to Weiss re Lou Gehrig Fund; from Connie Mack to Shannon Fife re: Mack’s 50th anniversary celebration in New York. Telegrams: wishing Weiss good luck in his new position, congratulating Weiss and New York Yankees on 1949 AL pennant and World Championship, including Branch Rickey among many others.

Photographs: Original photo of Dan Topping and Connie Mack.

Ephemera: Press release from Yankees announcing Bill Beven’s sale to Chicago White Sox; invitation to Connie Mack 50th anniversary tribute at New York City Hall; typewritten list of Yankees injuries in 1949; Yankee Stadium Club Wine List, including
complete bar menu; 1949 World Series Program; 1949 World Series Parking Passes for both Yankee Stadium and Ebbets Field.

**Volume 16, 1950 (scrapbook BL-150.75):** Clips: January 8, 1950 *Sunday News* feature on Weiss; contracts, DiMaggio, Heinrich, Stengel, Rizzuto; controversial eight-player trade between Yankees and St. Louis Browns, June 1950; Roy Haney rejoins Yankees as assistant general manager; Norfolk All-Stars, 1934-50; DiMaggio / Stengel feud; Hank Bauer; Joe Ostrowski; Al Schacht; Bill Skowron signs w/Yankees; Weiss named 1950 Executive of the Year; 1950 World Series; Weiss hints at lower salaries for Yankees players in 1951 due to short World Series; Jehovah Witness Assembly at Yankee Stadium.


Correspondence: Typewritten letter from scout Joe Devine to Weiss telling the story of the Yankees signing of Joe DiMaggio; Various congratulation letters and telegrams to Weiss re 1950 AL pennant and World Series victory.

Photograph: Original 1950 Yankees team photo.

Ephemera: “A Papal Blessing” to Weiss; Willard Mullin cartoon; 1950 World Series program (2 copies); ticket to 1950 Rose Bowl; Yankees inter-office memo re: controversial eight-player New York-St. Louis Browns trade; program, “Xmas in the Bronx” performed by Yankees office personnel.

**Volume 17, 1951 (scrapbook BL-151.75):** Clips: Weiss receives long-term pact; 1951 World Series; spring training in California (Glendale); Johnny Sain waived; Mickey Mantle; Joe DiMaggio retires; accident and death of scout Joe Devine; day-night doubleheader at Yankee Stadium.


Correspondence: Typeset, hand-written letters and telegrams offering congratulations to Weiss for: 1950 Executive of the Year, 1951 AL pennant, World Series; condolences and updates on the condition of scout Joe Devine. Some of this correspondence includes carbon-copy responses by Weiss.

Photographs: Originals; 1951 New York Yankees team; Phil Rizzuto accepting an award w/Weiss and others looking on; William Randolph Hearst at Yankee Stadium, with Joe DiMaggio and others in photo; magazine photo; Mr. and Mrs. Weiss at Roosevelt Raceway.
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Ephemera: Programs; 1951 World Series; 1951 Inaugural Gambol entitled “Burlesque,” featuring Happy Felton, Mel Allen, Jackie Gleason, and others; “Another Christmas in the Bronx”; identification ribbon to two Yankees exhibition games in California; ticket to 1951 Kentucky Derby; invitations to Open House, celebrating 75th anniversary of National League, 2/2/51; to Whitey Ford’s wedding; original draft, chapter on Weiss from the book Your Job in Baseball; Joe DiMaggio farewell text; cartoons; Walter Munson, Willard Mullin (on DiMaggio retirement); Weiss statement (on New York Yankees memo stationary) re: death of William Randolph Hearst; Joe DiMaggio; stats, 56-game hitting streak, and yearly salary.

Volume 18, 1951 No number: 1951 World Series charges prepared by Mike Rendine; billing and seat locations for Games 1, 2, and 6 of the 1951 World Series at Yankee Stadium.


Correspondence: Numerous congratulatory letters and telegrams including a hologram from “Chief” Bender; regrets declining invitation to banquet from Joe Cronin, Bernard Gimbel, Al Lang.

Photographs: Color magazine photo of Weiss; newspaper photos of banquet; original photo of Gold Medal Award.

Ephemera: News of our Members, New Haven Advertisers Club newsletter; invitation and partial seating arrangement to event.

Volume 20, 1952 (scrapbook BL-152.75): Clips: 1952 World Series, extensive; Berra salary; waiver rule revision; farm system; New York Yankees Golden Jubilee, and Old Timers Day; NL umpire Larry Goetz/Weiss feud; Jackie Robinson on Yankees integration; winter baseball meetings; televised baseball.


Correspondence: Congratulatory letters, cards, and telegrams on Weiss’ 20th anniversary w/Yankees, 1952 Executive of the Year Award, 1952 AL pennant and World Series. Highlights include an anniversary card signed by Yankees office staff including Dan Topping, “congratulations” card from Hilda Chester, letter from Hank Greenberg, and telegram from Rogers Hornsby. Also included is typeset letter from New York City Mayor Anthony Impeillitteri re: 1952 Mayor’s Trophy Game.


**Volume 21, 1953 (scrapbook BL-154.75):** Clips: Extensive coverage of 1953 World Series; Johnny Mize retires; two African Americans on Yankees spring roster; “monopoly” hearings; Ed Barrow dies; sale of Yankee Stadium to Arnold Johnson; New York-Philadelphia Athletics 11-player trade, including Vic Power.

 Correspondence: Typeset letters; from Red Rolfe to Weiss declining position in the Yankees farm system; from Arnold Johnson to Weiss; various “congratulation” letters for AL pennant, World Series victory, Weiss named “Executive of the Year”; various “thank you” letters, for providing World Series tickets; Telegrams; various “congratulations” and “thank you” including one from Charley Comiskey, Chicago White Sox.

Ephemera: Programs: 1953 World Series; 1953 Gold Key Award; New York chapter of Baseball Writers Association banquet, 2/1/53; Sixth Annual Sports Broadcasters Association Dinner; “Xmas in the Bronx”; press button; 1953 World Series; Sticker; New York Yankees/St. Petersburg, FL; ribbon identification; to Weiss, as “honored guest,” to 4/14/53 New York Yankees Welcome Home Dinner; Original cartoons; Ted Key “Hazel” drawings (3).

**Volume 22, 1954 (scrapbook BL-155.75):** Clips: Thirteen player (later becoming 18 players) trade between Yankees and Baltimore, 11/18/54; New York assistant general manager Roy Hamey to join Phillies under Bill DeWitt; pitcher Vic Raschi to St.Louis; contract negotiations, particularly pitcher Johnny Sain; Billy Martin seeks hardship discharge from army; Yogi Berra; Chief Bender obituary; Yankees failure to win 1954 AL pennant.


 Correspondence: Holographs; letter from Connie Mack re: 1954 Cooperstown arrival, fan mail criticizing Raschi deal. Typeset letters; Ford Frick to Weiss extolling the virtues of Angell’s *Holiday* magazine article; various “thank you” notes and letters.

 Photographs: Original; Yankee Stadium; 1954 Old Timers Day at the Stadium; Baseball Hall of Fame Induction ceremony, featuring photos of Frankie Frisch, Cy Young, Joe DiMaggio, Connie Mack; Weiss at desk.

original typed poem; “The Yankees Lead the Way,” by Lawrence G. Moore; Button, ribbon; from 1954 Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony; ticket (phantom); Mezzanine box and reserve seats to 1954 World Series at Yankee Stadium; invitation to dinner commemorating Grantland Rice held at Toot Shor’s restaurant, 10/31/54.

**Volume 23, 1955 (scrapbook BL-156.75):** Clips: Weiss, picks all-time Yankees team, receives new five-year contract; Phil Rizzuto; Casey Stengel’s spring arrest in St. Petersburg, FL; Elston Howard, first African-American Yankees player; pitcher Eddie Lopat’s sale to Baltimore Orioles; extensive collection of clippings re: 1955 World Series; Yankees post-season trip to Japan and Pacific; Yogi Berra wins third Most Valuable Player Award; 1955 All-Star team; Bill Virdon, 1955 NL Rookie of the Year; Vic Raschi release from St. Louis Cardinals; “Damn Yankees” on Broadway; fan who caught Mickey Mantle home run ball, 6/21/55.

Feature Articles: *Time* magazine cover story, 10/3/55 (cover missing).

Correspondence: Typeset letters; from Jacob Podoloff to Harold Rosenthal re: Weiss boyhood (high school); from Westbrooke Pegler to Weiss re: death of Pegler’s wife; Telegram; from Vice President Richard Nixon declining the opportunity to throw out first ball in 1955 World Series; from Walter O’Malley.

Photos: Original; 1955 Hall of Fame Induction; 1955 Brooklyn Dodgers; spring training, 1955; Newspaper “camerama” photo of Yankee Stadium.

Ephemera: 1955 Spring Training pamphlet; menu from Soreno Hotel, St. Petersburg, FL, 3/30/55, “Yankee Spring Training, 1955”; original Ted Key “Hazel” drawing; tickets; Stadium Club, Yankee Stadium for Games One, Two, Six, and Seven; Lower Reserve, Section 9, Row F, Seat 24, for 1955 World Series, Game One.

**Volume 24, 1956 (scrapbook BL-157.75):** Clips: Yogi Berra contract; football Giants to play home games at Yankee Stadium; speculation concerning baseball Giants franchise shift from New York; Stengel signs two-year contract; “is television ruining baseball?”; “New York Yankees Day” in Newark, NJ; Joe Williams column calling for Satchel Paige induction into Baseball Hall of Fame; Phil Rizzuto released on Old-Timers Day, subsequently hired as team’s broadcaster; Don Larsen pitches perfect World Series game (w/banner headline); July 28, 1923 advertisement for game at Weiss Park, New Haven, CT (ripped).

Feature articles: *The Pyramid* (house organ of Banker’s Trust Co.) feature on Red Barber; *New York World-Telegram* February 4, 1956 feature by Dan Daniel on 1955 Yankees Japan tour, August 11, 1956 feature on Weiss; *Parade* magazine May 1956 feature on West Mexican Indian clay figure in “baseball poses” (figures are more than 600 years old); Phil Rizzuto, “My Wonderful Days With the Yankees.”
Photographs: Originals; Weiss, Ford Frick, and Japanese Prime Minister Ichiro Hatoyama; Yogi Berra signs contract; Stengel celebrates; Stengel and Weiss (one photo signed by Casey); Berra, Ford receive Christmas stocking.

Ephemera: Walt Munson original carton, in color.

**Volume 25, 1957 (scrapbook BL-158.75):** Clips: Weiss’ 25th anniversary w/Yankees; player contracts; Clete Boyer acquisition by Yankees nullified; obituaries, Billy Meyer, Johnny Nee, Paul Kritchell, Frank H. Smith; Old-Timers Day clips and box score; “New York Club”; screens attached to foul poles at Yankee Stadium OKed by Weiss; Glendale, CA bank opens w/Stengel as president (clips autographed by Stengel).


Correspondence: Holographs; Frank Crosetti; Ed Fisher resignation; other letters; congratulations on American League pennant from Hilda Chester; Dan Daniel apology for *Sporting News* interview, n.d.; Hank Greenberg; New York Cardinal Spellman on his Silver Jubilee; reminiscences of New Haven Colonials; telegrams; AL pennant congratulations; congratulations to Mickey Mantle on the opening of his Holiday Inn hotel in Joplin, MO.


**Volume 26, 1958 (scrapbook BL-159.75):** Clips: ending of National League games on New York television (Phillies, Cardinals, Dodgers, Giants); Negro American League games at Yankee Stadium; Dick Young series on New York Yankees front office; Weiss’ angry reponse to Bill Veeck article, “I Know What’s Killing Baseball”; Jehovah Witness gathering at Yankee Stadium; Weiss turns down offer to become American League president, December 1958; columnist Ben Epstein obituary and final column; clips by Joe King and Joe Falls.


Correspondence: letters, telegrams congratulating Weiss and Yankees on 1958 American League pennant and world championship, includes holograph from Roy Hamey, Philadelphia Phillies general manager.

**Volume 27, 1959-60 (scrapbook BL-160.75):** Clips: Weiss threatens salary cuts for Yankees players; new scoreboard at Yankee Stadium; “what’s wrong with the Yankees?” columns; Old-Timers Day with a Jackie Robinson column on the topic; Weiss’ favorite New York City landmark; American League expansion; clips comparing Kansas City Athletics to a Yankees farm club; Continental League; request for more parking in the Yankee Stadium vicinity; rumors of Weiss stepping down, Stengel to manage Athletics; Weiss/Stengel “retired” after 1960 World Series; Weiss makes bid to acquire Ted Williams, 1959; Joe DiMaggio offered “any job in the Yankees organization” by Dan Topping; National League regains a New York franchise; *National Enquirer* profiles, Ralph Houk, Roy Hamey; two brief *Newsweek* articles from March 21, 1960 issue.


Correspondence: Letters, telegrams of congratulations on 1960 American League pennant.

Photography: Originals; Weiss; Stengel; 1960 World Series photo of Pirates catcher Hal Smith diving into seated Yankees officials in order to catch a foul pop.


**Volume 28, 1960-61 (scrapbook BL-161.75):** Consists almost entirely of letters and telegrams including holographs from Walter Johnson, offering condolences on the death of Weiss’ mother; Hank Greenberg; Tom Yawkey; Charles A. Comiskey; John Cameron Swayze; and William Frawley.

In November 1960, Weiss was “retired” by the New York Yankees. He was named president of the expansion New York Mets shortly thereafter. Weiss was named 1960 Executive of the Year. Congratulatory letters and telegrams on these events are included in this scrapbook from, among others, Warren Giles, Branch Rickey, Walter O’Malley, and Joe Cronin.

Ephemera: Walt Munson cartoon; 1891 scorecard, Cincinnati Reds at Chicago Cubs (cover missing).

**Volume 29, 1961 (scrapbook BL-162.75):** Clips: obituary and tribute to Parke Carroll (Kansas City Athletics general manager, and long-time sportswriter); *National Enquirer* feature on new Yankees general manager Roy Hamey; Weiss named president of expansion New York Mets; Casey Stengel named Mets manager; speculation that Leo Durocher would get Mets manager position; Shea Stadium construction delays and public reaction to building the ballpark; columnist Stanley Woodward blasts plans for Shea as
being too small; ground broken October 1961; thought that Mets may play at Yankee Stadium (nixed); Weiss’ “conflict of interest” in receiving salary from Yankees while working for Mets; Yankees move from spring training home, St. Petersburg, FL, Mets quickly move in; Woodward, cartoonist Mullin blast team’s chosen nickname, “Mets”; National League expansion draft; Mets general manager resigns, November 1961; Red Smith column on Charles Finley, owner of Kansas City Athletics; Mets acquire Frank Thomas (banner headline).

Feature articles: Sports Illustrated March 6, 13 two-part profile on Weiss; St. Petersburg Times interview with Stengel October 8, 1961.

Correspondence: holographs; Red Barber; several by Ty Cobb, April 25, 1961 (three months prior to his death) requesting a try-out for 16-year-old Jack Hotered; October 3, 1960 request for World Series tickets; November 11, 1959, Cobb opines on Coca-Cola stock, major league trades, and 1959 New York Yankees; September 28, 1959 recommends a pitcher named Bowman in the Red Sox system, offers Coca-Cola stock tips to Weiss; Weiss responds to Cobb December 1, 1960 thanking Cobb for stock tips; typed letter from Weiss to National League president Warren Giles requesting player and team operating information from NL clubs.

Ephemera: programs; 21st Annual Newark Athletic Club All Sports Trophy Award Dinner, January 19, 1961; Bill Corum Memorial Dinner, January 22, 1961; Old Timers Athletic Association tribute to Weiss, November 14, 1961; radio transcript, Jerry Coleman on Weiss; autograph; Wilma Rudolph to Weiss.

**Volume 30, 1962, January-April (scrapbook BL-164.75):** Clips: renovation of Polo Grounds; intra-squad, exhibition game stories, box scores including pitcher Jay Hook’s six-inning performance in which Hook allowed 16 runs on 17 hits and Mets victory over Yankees, March 22 (w/banner headline); “Caseyisms”; New York Mets broadcasters, by Dick Young; newspaper photo of placemats being used at St. Petersburg, FL restaurants announcing and advertising the arrival of the Mets; St. Petersburg Times interview with Weiss, April 1; New York Daily News Joan Payson feature April 1.


Correspondence: letters; a series of letters written between 1958-61 by Weiss and Westbrook Pegler, the latter proposing a Weiss biography, the idea being nixed when Weiss accepts Mets presidency; “good luck” telegrams on Mets inaugural season.

Volume 31, 1962 (scrapbook BL-163.75): Clips: New York Mets inaugural season; New York City parade for team; first regular season game, first game at Polo Grounds; Giants/Dodgers return to New York; Old-Timers Day; Mets attempt to buy Willie Mays’ contract for $650,000; profile on Hazel Weiss; Branch Rickey speaks to N.Y. press on a number of subjects; Mets place advertisement in N.Y. newspapers June 6, thanking fans for their support; Auburn Mets New York-Penn League champs; Miller Huggins Field in St. Petersburg, FL will have name change to Casey Stengel Field, ceremony noting name change held at Polo Grounds; Dana Mosley May 1 column on Hilda Chester appearance at Polo Grounds; New York World-Telegram, June 23, “Those Amazing Mets Fans” September 8 feature on Shea Stadium construction; New York Herald Tribune, August 19, “Who Are All Those Mets Fans?”


Correspondence: typeset letters; “thank you” from General Douglas MacArthur, Adlai Stevenson, Harry Truman, Stan Musial (for his Polo Grounds tribute), General William Westmoreland, Rogers Hornsby; holograph; Rube Marquard thanking Weiss for invitation to Old-Timers Day.


Volume 32, 1963 (scrapbook BL-165.75): Clips: Death/obituaries, Rogers Hornsby, Oscar Vitt, George Trautman; construction and delays in construction of Shea Stadium; Marv Throneberry; Gene Woodling; Duke Snider; Jimmy Piersall; Sandy Koufax; Casey Stengel; New York newspaper strike; opening day; Old-Timer’s Day; Banner Day; Family Day; final baseball game at Polo Grounds; partial collection of game stories from New York Mets 1963 season including April 22 New York Daily News banner headline “METS SWEEP”; four-part series, September 17-20 “Good Bye to Coogan’s Bluff”; New York Post five-part series, May 27-June 2 “The Marvelous Mets.”

Feature articles: Madison Ave. magazine May 1963, “the big league sell” (New York Mets and their major sponsor, Rheingold Beer); The American Weekly June 16, 1963 “Queen of Clubs” (Joan Payson) by Dan Parker; Life n.d. “Same Old Mets, Same Old Mess”; Sports Illustrated March 5, 1962 “How to Build a Ball Club.”

Volume 33, 1964 (scrapbook BL-166.75): Clips: Shea Stadium opens; New York Times thumbnail history of the Polo Grounds; Stengel/Berra interview; equipment moved from Polo Grounds to Shea; New York Mets exhibition tour of Mexico (including one clip in Spanish); Betty King; Edna Stengel; Mets “youth movement”; Shea Stadium scoreboard; dedication and first game at Shea, including clips on massive traffic jam; first night game at Shea w/Larry MacPhail in attendance; May 31, 1964 doubleheader at Shea vs. San Francisco Giants (w/banner headline); 1964 All-Star Game at Shea; Mayor’s Trophy Game at Shea; demolition of Polo Grounds; pay television; Mets trading-stamp/ticket promotional tie-in; Shea usherettes; Tom Meany obituary; New York-Penn League Auburn Mets win league championship (w/Tug McGraw shutout); Mets rehire Stengel; Yankees fire Yogi Berra; Warren Spahn joins Mets; Mets general manager Bing Devine’s “five-year plan”; Mets aid Forest Hills, NY Little League; New York Post series (parts 3-6 here) “The Big Business of Baseball”; Hartford Times July 7, 1964 feature on Weiss.


Correspondence: typeset letters from Richard Nixon, Ken Smith (w/ Baseball Hall of Fame 25th anniversary logo stamped on).


Ephemera: cartoons; Bill Gallo; Willard Mullin; Ted Key original “Hazel” cartoon; birthday card to Weiss signed by Mets office staff including broadcaster Lindsay Nelson; autographs of 1962 Hanshin Tigers, Central League, Japan; script; New York City radio station WMCA editorial praising Mets; press release; WOR-TV (New York) announces record-breaking ratings for Sunday May 31, 1964 Mets-San Francisco Giants doubleheader; invitations; Director’s Room, post-game Diamond Club reception at first Shea Stadium game; “HBPA Man of the Year, Wathen Knebelcamp” (a life-long friend of Weiss) banquet October 9, 1964; patch; honoring 1964 New York World’s Fair (worn by Mets players on uniform sleeve); program; Baseball Hall of Fame July 27, 1964; brochure; Shea Stadium signed by Bill Shea and New York City mayor Robert Wagner; 1965 Mets promotional brochure and season’s ticket application; 1964 Official New York Mets Yearbook, Pocket Schedule, Program and Scorecard (scored for first-ever game at Shea).

Volume 34, 1965 (scrapbook BL-167.75): Clips: Betty King profile; Banner Day at Shea Stadium; Olympic runner Jesse Owens hired as New York Mets running coach, Warren Spahn as player/coach; Yogi Berra named Mets coach; Stengel breaks wrist, then
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hip (noted in a banner headline), retires; Wes Westrum becomes Mets manager; William Eckert named commissioner of baseball; 1965 Old-Timers Days at Yankee and Shea Stadium, including a New York Times article on the Shea event written in the form of a theater review; 1965 Mayor’s Trophy Game; father-son game at Shea; speculation of adding a dome to Shea Stadium; Cincinnati Reds pitcher Jim Maloney throws nine innings of no-hit ball vs. New York only to lose no-hitter, and game, in the tenth; profile of Mets broadcasters; “Yankee Changing Times”; Weiss to remain Mets president; “Then My Arm Glassed Up” by John Steinbeck.


Correspondence: “Thank you” notes to Weiss from Joan Payson, Edna Stengel, Richard Nixon.

Photographs: originals; Casey Stengel in hospital (autographed), at farewell press conference, with Weiss in Shea Stadium press booth; “Family Day” at Shea; George and Hazel Weiss; magazine; color reproductions of Mets players from New York Sunday News.

Ephemera: cartoons; Willard Mullin, Bill Gallo, an original Ted Key “Hazel” drawing (“thank you”); birthday card to Weiss signed by Mets office staff; programs; 1965 Official New York Mets Program (and scorecard); Old Timers Day, July 24, 1965; first annual “Welcome Home, Mets” dinner April 11, 1965; magazine covers; Cue, August 28, 1965 (Shea Stadium); Sports Illustrated, June 1965 (Mickey Mantle); Weiss’ identification patch and schedule, National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues convention, 1965.

Volume 35, 1966 (scrapbook BL-168.75): Clips: Betty King; Joan Payson; Mayor’s Trophy Game (w/box score); Rookie League Marion, VA Mets; “shattered” Yankees dynasty; Weiss, Dan Topping, Wes Westrum resign; Red Barber fired; Stengel, Ted Williams inducted into Baseball Hall of Fame; Old-Timers Day; Bing Devine named New York Mets general manager.


Correspondence: Holographs, notes on Weiss retirement; Lou Boudreau, Red Barber, Bill Dickey, Casey Stengel, Jocko Conlan; typeset letters; Hubert Humphrey, Bobby Richardson, Edna Stengel, baseball commissioner William Eckert, Joe Cronin, Warren Giles; telegram from the Stengels thanking Hazel Weiss for the bust of Casey that she sculpted.
Photographs: originals; 1966 New York Mets team; Mr. and Mrs. Weiss w/bust; Mr. and Mrs. Weiss w/ New York City mayor John Lindsay; Joe McCarthy; Joe Cronin/Weiss in front of Otesaga Hotel, Cooperstown NY.

Ephemera: Newspaper cartoons by Willard Mullin and Bill Gallo; 1966 Shea Stadium Diamond Club admission card; Weiss’ identification tag to sixth annual National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues convention.

**Volume 36, 1967-68 (scrapbook BL-169.75):** Clips: New York Mets players visit Sing Sing prison; Weiss’ personal baseball memorabilia collections; Weiss profile, *New Haven Register, 8/27/67*; Nolan Ryan; Ron Swoboda; demolition of minor league ballparks in Newark, NJ and New Haven, CT; 1967 Mayor’s Trophy Game, father-son game, Old Timers’ Day (a tribute to Weiss); Weiss in retirement; last run of the 20th Century Limited (see train accident, 12/9/23); Mets manager Westrum resigns; Johnny Murphy appointed New York Mets General Manager; Mets players and executives in Greenland; banner headline of 5/14/68 24 inning Mets/Astros game.


Correspondence: Holographs; Warren Giles, Tom Yawkey, Willard Mullin, Casey and Edna Stengel, Mike Burke, Frank Thomas, Tony Kubek, Elston Howard, Claire Ruth, Red Ruffing; Typeset letter suggesting topics to be discussed during upcoming Weiss appearance on NBC-TV program, “Speaking Freely”; Telegrams: “happy birthday greetings”; Joe DiMaggio, Mrs. Lou Gehrig.

Photographs: Original; Joan Payson, black and white, and color.


**Volume 37, 1971 (scrapbook BL-1261.75):** Scrapbook almost entirely focused on Weiss’ 1971 induction into the Baseball Hall of Fame. All clips in this scrapbook deal with Weiss, and five others, induction into the Hall of Fame.

Correspondence: Congratulatory letter, cards, and telegrams from, among others, Walter O’Malley, Red Barber, Jocko Conlan, Lee MacPhail, Rube Marquard, Edd Roush, Dave Bancroft, Harry Hooper, Joe Cronin, New York City Mayor John Lindsay.
Photographs: Original color photos of 1971 Baseball Hall of Fame Induction, Manatee County (FL) Chamber of Commerce banquet, 3/18/70; postcard photo of Harry Hooper, autographed.

Ephemera: Program; New York chapter, Baseball Writers Association of America banquet 1/27/63 (cover missing); Manatee County (FL) Chamber of Commerce Banquet, 3/18/70; Induction program, National Baseball Hall of Fame, 8/9/71; typescripts, Weiss’ Hall of Fame induction speech; Joe Garagiola telecast script; Cooperstown brochure; Hall of Fame guest admission pass, press release (8/8/71), induction day schedule, invitation to view new plaques; cartoon by Stark; Weiss profile in 1971 New York Mets Official Scorecard and Program.

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Personal & Corporate Names
Ball, Neal
Baltimore Orioles (Baseball team)
Barrow, Ed
Bender, Charles Albert “Chief”
Berra, Lawrence “Yogi”
Binghamton Triplets (Baseball team)
Carroll, Parke
Cobb, Ty
Corum, Bill
Daley, Arthur
Daniel, Dan
Dickey, Bill
DiMaggio, Joe
Donovan, “Wild Bill”
Dugan, Joe
Epstein, Ben
Ford, Edward “Whitey”
Graham, Frank
Gross, Milton
Hamey, Roy
Howard, Elston
Johnson, Arnold
Johnson, Walter
Kansas City Blues (Baseball team)
Keller, Charley
King, Betty
Koppett, Leonard
Kremenko, Barney
Landis, Kenesaw Mountain
Larsen, Don
Lieb, Fred
Lighthouse Point Park (Baseball park)
Mack, Connie
MacPhail, L.S.
Mantle, Mickey
Maris, Roger
Martin, Billy
Mize, Johnny
Munson, Walt
New Haven Colonials (Baseball team)
New Haven Indians (Baseball team)
New York Mets (Baseball team)
New York Yankees (Baseball team)
Newark Bears (Baseball team)
Page, Joe
Parker, Dan
Payson, Joan
Pegler, Westbrook
Powers, Jimmy
Raschi, Vic
Rizzuto, Phil
Rolfe, Robert “Red”
Ruppert, Jacob
Ruth, George Herman “Babe”
Schacht, Al
Scott, Lester J.
Shea Stadium (Baseball park)
Slaughter, Enos
Smith, “Red”
Stengel, Charles Dillon “Casey”
Topping, Dan
Turley, Bob
Webb, Del
Weiss. Hazel (Mrs. George)
Weiss Field (Baseball park)
Williams, Joe
Yankee Stadium (Baseball park)
Young, Dick