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ASSOCIATED PAPERS – George Bizos Collection

TEXTUAL RECORDS

INCLUSIVE DATES: 1962-2010

ACQUISITION:	Donation of George Bizos
ACCESS:	Restricted
LANGUAGES:	English
PHOTOGRAPHS:	None
VISUAL MATERIALS:	None
PRINTED MATERIALS:	This collection consists of manuscripts for a book by George Bizos 'Apartheid's Justice', correspondence and research materials. It also contains a draft of Joel Joffe's book 'The Rivonia Story'. The collection is contained in 3 archival boxes and consists of 7 files.
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BOX 1 FILES 1 -3

FILE 1 Un-named Manuscripts: Part 2 till Part 7 32 Items

Typed, double-sided, drafts of parts 2 – 7 of the book. Corrections were made on pieces of yellow post-it notes. The editing on the typed pages is very minor.

For preservation reasons those pages have been copied and the note has been stuck on the photocopy

- Part II The Defiance Campaign
 - Chapter 1 – Forty Years of Defiance, page 116 and 120-140
 - Chapter 2 – The Defiance Campaign and The Courts, page 141 -150
 - Chapter 3 – The Preparatory Examination, page 151-156
 - Chapter 4 – The Trial, page 157-160
 - Chapter 5 –New Laws, page 161-173

- Part III The Treason Trial (In progress)
 - Chapter 1 – Treason Arrests, page 178-189
 - Chapter 2 – The Preparatory Examination, page 190-206
 - Chapter 3 – The First Indictment, page 206-218
 - Chapter 4 – The Second Indictment, page 219-231
 - Chapter 5 – The Defence Case, page 232-238
 - Chapter 6 – Nelson Mandela, page 238-259
 - Chapter 7 – Cross-Examination, page 260-272
 - Chapter 8 – Other Accused, page 272-276
 - Chapter 9 - Closing Arguments, page 277-279
 - Chapter 10 – Judgement, page 279-287

- Part IV The Rivonia Trial (In progress)
 - Introduction, page 286 + 288
 - Chapter 1 – Mandela in Prison, page 287-308

- PART V Repressive Measures (In progress)
 - Repressive Measures, page 309-311
 - Chapter 3 – Arrests, page 312-318
 - Chapter 4 – Trial Preparation, page 319-322
 - Chapter 5 – In Court, page 322-329
 - Chapter 6 – The First Indictment, page 329-332
 - Chapter 7 – The Second Indictment, page 333-338
 - Chapter 8 – The Prosecution, page 338-353
 - Chapter 9 – The Defence, page 354-364
 - Chapter 10 – Yutar, page 365-366
 - Chapter 11 – The Defence Case, page 367-369

Chapter 12 – Judgement, page 369-370
Chapter 13 – Plea in Mitigation, page 371-374
Chapter 14 – Sentence, page 374-376

PART VI Reports to Nelson Mandela of Winnie Mandela’s Trials, title page only

PART VII Release and Election as President, title page only

FILE 2 Manuscripts Part 4 and ‘Rivonia’ 21Items

Typed, single sided, drafts of part 4 of the book and two other versions with parts of chapters.
The editing is done on the pages, sometimes on the back and is minor.

PART IV The Rivonia Trial Quote?
Chapter 1 – Mandela in Prison, page 287- 308
Chapter 2 – Repressive Measures, page 309-311
Chapter 3 – Arrests, page 312-318
Chapter 4 – Trial Preparation, page 319-322
Chapter 5 – To Court, page 323-329
Chapter 6 – The First Indictment, page 330-333
Chapter 7 – The Second Indictment, page 334-338
Chapter 8 – The Prosecution, page 339-354
Chapter 9 – The Defence, page 355-365
Chapter 10 - Yutar, page 366-367
Chapter 11 – The Defence Case, page 368-369
Chapter 12 – Judgement, page 370-371
Chapter 13 – Plea in Mitigation, page 372-374
Chapter 14 – Sentence, page 375-377

Rivonia

This version has no part number but it is another version of Part IV. The pages are one-sided and there is no editing. The title page starts with a quote from Joel Joffe

Introduction, page 309-312
Page 309: a ‘to do’ list
Chapter 2 – Repressive Measures, page 310-313
Chapter 3 – Arrests, page 313-321
Chapter 4 – Trial Preparation, page 321-329

Chapter 3 – Arrests, page 313-320
Chapter 4 – Trial Preparation, page 320-330

FILE 3 Manuscript of Apartheid’s Justice – The Trials of Nelson Mandela 10 Items

Typed, single and double-sided pages with the editing and comments written on pieces of post-it notes.

Introduction, page 1-11

Part I
Black Man know your Place, page 12
Chapter 1 – And Who Are You?, page 13-26
Chapter 2 – Separate Tables, page 27-40
Chapter 3 – A Stranger At The Door, page 41-58
Chapter 4 – Jeremiah’s Lamentations, page 59-70
Chapter 5 – “Cultural Clubs”, page 70-80
Chapter 6 – The Dom Pass, page 81-86
Chapter 7 – Urban Agitators, page 87-93
Chapter 8 – “Vark and Banda”, page 94-115

BOX 2 **FILES 4 and 5**

FILE 4 **Manuscript of ‘The Rivonia Story’ by Joel Joffe** **8 Items**

Typed, double-sided, copy of chapter 1 - 8, pages 1-375. It is a clean copy with only a dedication to George by Joel written on the first page:

“To George, the master strategist who deserves so much of the credit for the victory and for whom all of us – the lawyers and the accused had such great affection and respect. Joel”

FILE 5 **Correspondence and research materials** **13 Items**

Letter Anthony Sampson to George Bizos with comments on chapters of Apartheid’s Justice
Letter George Bizos to Anthony Sampson, 9/01/96
Several research notes from meetings with George Bizos
First Bram Fischer Memorial Lecture, President Nelson Mandela, 9/06/95
3 Lectures George Bizos Columbia University.
Index to Rivonia Trial Records at Wits University
One page copy with biographical information from De Villiers: Rivonia – Operation Mayibuye
Introduction to Nelson Mandela’s Long Walk to Freedom by George Bizos
Draft chapter ‘Bram Fischer’ by Stephen Clingman
Graduation Address by George Bizos, University of Natal, 20/03/96 and Laudation
Brown, A4 envelope addressed to Ms A. Elster

BOX 3 **FILES 6 and 7**

FILES 6 **Books on Rivonia** **4 Items**

Photocopies from the following books

Hilda Bernstein: The world that was ours, pages 54-56,84-91, 160-164, 184-187

Alan Paton: The Journey Continued - Chapter 27, page 246-257

Lauritz Strydom: Rivonia Unmasked, pages 1-165

Heinrich de Villiers: Rivonia: Operation Mayibuye, pages 1 -119

Part III, Chapter 1 – 7, Page 103-242

File 7 **Press cuttings and Miscellaneous**

Photocopies from South African newspapers; mainly The Star, The Rand Daily Mail, Sunday Times and The Post covering the Rivonia Trial

Most cuttings date from August 1962- October 1964 but there are also several press cuttings from the early 1990s

Photocopies of cuttings from South African newspapers with photos, 1960s

Miscellaneous

Copy of George Bizos' statement on the anniversary of the release of Nelson Mandela, 11 February 2010