

LEROY HORLACHER PAPERS, 1918-25

Leroy Horlacher, was a WWI conscientious objector, and because of this, was imprisoned at Fort Leavenworth & Alcatraz between 1918-20. He was released and returned to Philadelphia in early 1920.

Letters addressed to him were from his Aunt-, Mrs. Anna Evans, of Philadelphia - who tried to get him released, and who wrote to the Committee of Friends of Conscientious Objectors, National Civil Liberties Bureau, and American Civil Liberties Union in 1919. There are other letters from sympathetic persons, some in a similar situation.

There are numerous pictures of barrack life, many personal and family, one-mounted police "near riot" scene, and a C.O. meeting at Yorkville Casino, December 15, 1920.

Horlacher was a member of the I.W.W., paying dues from 1915-1921. Here also is found pamphlets on C.O.'s and I.W.W. There are 4 poems on the industrial workers plight.

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	<u>Box</u>	<u>Folder</u>
<u>Letters to Leroy Horlacher, 1918-20</u>		
1918, Nov. 10, from Fred Gerhart & Chas. Miller, to L.H., Dismissal Stockade, n.d.	1	
1919 - to L.H., Fort Leavenworth, Alcatraz, Calif. from Aunt Anna Evans, Phila. Duyer, Wm. M., Alcatraz, to L. H., Brandywine Baily, Joshua, Jr., San Diego & Paul J. Bylott, to L. H., Leavenworth Lieberman, Joseph, to Lewis J. Gergots, Fort Leavenworth	(end)	
1920 - Bois, Alex, Hazleton, Aunt Anna, Phila., Harry Clave, Ft. Douglas, Utah, Lewis Gergots to L. H., Alcatraz & Philadelphia. To Remington Horlacher, Phila. from Adj. Gen & War Dept.		1 1
<u>Letters to Aunt Anna Evans, Phila., 1919</u>		
1919, Furnas, Paul J., Jules Wortsman, Committee of Friends of C.O., National Civil Liberties Bureau, Amer. Civil Liberties Union Anna Evans		
<u>Pamphlets, 1915, n.d.</u>		
"American First," "One Big Industrial Union," Amnesty Political Prisoners," "Mexico whose War?" "The Raids on Reds" and "Our Civil Liberty," "I.W.W.," "Voices from Russia," "Mother Earth," Vol. X, Sept. 1915, "Preamble and Constitution of the I.W.W." n.d. 8 items		
<u>Poems, n.d.</u>		
The International, the Russians Warning, "The Aisland by the Saea," Christians at War. 4 items		
<u>Pass & Membership Books, 1915-21</u>		
U.S. Disciplinary Barracks permission for L. H. to eat "Short Orders," breakfast, dinner & supper. 1 item		
Membership Books, Industrial Works of the World, 1915-21		2 vols.
<u>Pictures, ca. 1918-20</u>		
Barracks (some identified), personal, Hazleton ratios, mounted police "near riot" scene, C.O. meeting at Yorkville Casino, Dec. 15, 1920. 82 items		
<u>Newspaper, 1922</u>		
Industrial Solidarity (Official Organ of I.W.W.), July 1, 1922		1 item
<u>Misc. 1918, 1925</u>		
Report of Treatment of C.O., Camp Funston Guard House, n.d.; Xmas Menu, 1918- Ft. Leavenworth; Petition for return of C.O.; Night Letters to Pres. Wilson; affidavit for Edward Doree, I.W.W. Organizer, 1925; Clippings; 2 post cards		1