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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Franzblau, Rose Nadler, 1905-1979
<b>Title:</b>	Rose Nadler Franzblau papers
<b>ID:</b>	4078784
<b>ID:</b>	MS#0451
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1930-1978
<b>Physical Description:</b>	142 boxes 142 boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Rose Nadler Franzblau Papers; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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Psychologist and syndicated newspaper columnist. (Columbia University M.A., 1931; Ph.D., 1935). In her NEW YORK POST column "Human Relations" in magazine articles, and on radio and television, Dr. Franzblau applied the principles of Freudian theory to the problems of her readers from 1949 until 1976. Earlier she had been a specialist in personnel management for the United Nations and the U.S. Government. She was also active in philanthropy and a financial backer of Broadway plays.

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## Summary

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Papers containing correspondence, manuscripts, notes, radio scripts, letters asking Franzblau's advice, clippings, memoranda, announcements, photographs, tape recordings, records, books, pamphlets, and memorabilia. She kept the vast number of letters asking her advice and the typescripts of her replies. Among the cataloged correspondents are Ann Landers, Jo Mielziner, Dorothy Schiff, and Abigail Van Buren.

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## Arrangement

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Collection is arranged in 5 Series.

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## Administrative Information

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### **Restrictions on Access**

Box 1 and Flat Boxes 73-74 are located on-site.

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Source of acquisition--Franzblau, Abraham N. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--1980. Accession number--M-80.

### **Processing Information**

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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- Advice columns
- Psychology
- Radio scripts
- Television
- Journalism
- United States -- Social life and customs

- Scripts (documents)
- Photographic prints
- Women journalists
- Women psychologists
- Landers, Ann
- Mielziner, Jo, 1901-1976
- Schiff, Dorothy, 1903-1989
- Van Buren, Abigail, 1918-2013

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## Physical Medium

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Material base and configuration--Audio tapes

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## General

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We have not identified the column that Franzblau wrote in response to Larry David's mother, as mentioned into the April 4, 2020 New York Times article "Larry David, Master of His Quarantine."

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## Collection Inventory

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Series I: Catalogued Correspondence		
Title/Description	Instances	
Bethune, Mary McLeod	box 1	box 7
Buchwald, Art	box 1	
Durant, Will and Ariel	box 1	
Furness, Betty	box 1	
Jackson, Sir Robert G.A.	box 1	
Javits, Jacob Koppel	box 1	
Landers, Ann (Esther Friedman Lederer)	box 1	

Lindsay, John Vliet	box 1
Mielziner, Jo	box 1
Schiff, Dorothy	box 1
Stout, Rex Todhunter	box 1
Sulzberger, Iphigene Ochs (Mrs. Arthur M.)	box 1
Van Buren, Abigail (Pauline Friedman Phillips)	box 1
Wagner, Robert F., Jr.	box 1

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## Series II: Subject and Name File

Title/Description	Instances
A	box 1
Abraham & Straus	box 1
Adams, Phyllis	box 1
Adoption	box 1
Aged-services	box 1
Agencies, clinics, camps	box 1
Alcoholics Anonymous	box 1
Americam Camping Association, Inc.	box 1
American Foundation for the Blind, Inc.	box 1
American Mothers Committee, Inc.	box 1
American Association of Retired Persons	box 1
Association for the Help of Retarded Children, Inc.	box 1
Asthma Research Institute	box 1
Autistic children	box 1
B	box 2
Bard College (Annandale-on-Hudson, NY)	box 2
Berkowitz, Rabbi William	box 2
B'nai B'rith	box 2
Boys' Towns of Italy, Inc.	box 2
The Bronx High School of Science	box 2
Brooklyn ...	box 2

Ca	box 2
The Canadian Jewish News (Toronto)	box 2
Carlson, Dale--"Loving Sex for Both Sexes"--Galley proofs	box 2
Case Histories	box 2
The Catholic Actors Guild	box 2
Ch-Com	box 3
Cherry, Sheldon H.--"The Menopaus [sic] Myth"--Draft	box 3
Children	box 3
The Christophers	box 3
City Planning Commission	box 3
Cohen	box 3
Coleman, Lester L.	box 3
CBS	box 3
Comeback, Inc.	box 3
Complimentary Letters	box 3
Con-Cu	box 4
Connecticut Association of School Psychologists	box 4
Consultations & R.N.F.'s Patients	box 4
Cooke, Terrence, Cardinal	box 4
Bill Cooper Associates, Inc.	box 4
D	box 4
E	box 4
Education	box 4
The Educational Alliance--New Era Club	box 4
Eichmann, Adolf	box 4
Emerson College (Boston)	box 4
Epilepsy	box 4
Ethical Culture Schools	box 4
European Trips	box 4
<i>The Exceptional Parent</i>	box 4
Ezra Academy (Woodbridge, CT)	box 4
F	box 5

Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies, Inc.	box 5
Florida Veterans Administration	box 5
Fordham University	box 5
Foster, Frank and Mary	box 5
Franzblau, Abraham N.--Off-prints	box 5
Franzblau Grandchildren and Children	box 5
Friendly Visitors, Inc.	box 5
Richard Fulton, Inc.	box 5
Ga-Ge	box 5
Gamblers Anonymous	box 5
Girls' Town of Italy	box 5
Go-Gu	box 6
Goddard College (Plainfield, VT)	box 6
Gomberg, M. Robert	box 6
Gondor, Emery I.	box 6
H	box 6
Hart Publishing Company, Inc.	box 6
Hayes, Helen	box 6
Hebrew Actor's Union, Inc.	box 6
The Hebrew Home for the Aged at Riverdale	box 6
The Hebrew University of Jerusalem	box 6
Holt, Rinehart and Winston, Inc.	box 6
The Home Advisory and Service Council of New York, Inc.	box 6
Hunter College (New York)	box 6
I	box 7
Isay, Jane Franzblau	box 7
Infants--Sudden Death	box 7
The Institute on Man and Science	box 7
J	box 7
Robert G. Jennings Corporation	box 7
<i>The Jewish Advocate</i> (Boston)	box 7
<i>The Jewish Post and Opinion</i> (Indianapolis, IN)	box 7

Jewish Welfare Board--Lecture Bureau	box 7
Jones/Howard Ltd.	box 7
<i>The Journal Inquirer</i> (Rockville, CT)	box 7
K	box 7
Kitzinger, Angela	box 7
Kook Family (Gibbs)	box 7
Kross, Anna M.	box 7
Kutscher, Austin H.	box 7
La-Li	box 7
The League of New York Theatres, Inc.	box 7
S.R. Leon Company, Inc.--Advertising	box 7
Letters of Recommendation	box 7
Lo	box 8
Long Island University--C.W. Post Center	box 8
The Lorge School (New York)	box 8
M	box 8
Peter Martin Associates, Inc.	box 8
Marvin and Leonard Advertising Company (Boston)	box 8
<i>Medical Insight</i>	box 8
Toni Mendez, Inc.	box 8
<i>The Middle Generation</i> . By R.N.F.	box 8
Monsanto Company	box 8
N	box 8
NAACP	box 8
Narcotics	box 8
The National Conference of Christians and Jews, Inc.	box 8
New York	box 8
New York Action Corps	box 8
New York Post	box 8
New York Personnel and Guidance Association	box 8
The Oliver Wendell Holmes Association	box 9
Overeaters Anonymous	box 9

P	box 9
<i>Pageant</i>	box 9
J.C. Penney Company, Inc.	box 9
Personnel Evaluation	box 9
Picon, Molly	box 9
Quinn, Ed	box 9
R	box 9
The RME Group of Communications Companies (Columbus, OH)	box 9
Retirement	box 9
S	box 10
Saint Joseph College of Florida	box 10
San Francisco Medical Meeting, 1965 Apr, 1965	box 10
<i>A Sane and Happy Life</i> , by Abraham N. Franzblau and R.N.F	box 10
Senior Citizens	box 10
Rose N. Franzblau Papers	box 10
Shulman, Rabbi Charles E.	box 10
Speech Rehabilitation Institute (New York)	box 10
Stern Brothers	box 10
Sylvester, Robert	box 10
T	box 10
TV and Radio Appearances	box 10
TV and Radio Presentations	box 10
Teen-age Leadership	box 10
Thanatology	box 10
Thank-you's for Speaking Engagements	box 10
Speaking engagements	box 11
U	box 12
United Jewish Federation	box 12
United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration-- U.S. Government Employment	box 12
UCLA	box 12
Wa-Wh	box 12

WAIF (World Adoption International Fund)	box 12
Wallace, Kevin	box 12
The Way It Is Under Twenty, by R.N.F..	box 12
Weight Watchers International, Inc.	box 12
White House Conferences	box 12
Wholesale Grocers (NAWGA)	box 12
Wi-Wo	box 13
Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Earl and Rosemary Lyons	box 13
<i>Wisconsin Jewish Chronicle</i>	box 13
World Federation of Mental Health	box 13
World Health Conference	box 13
Woodworth, Robert Sessions--Columbia University Course Notes	box 13
Y-Z	box 13
Young, H Boutourline--Harvard Florence Research Project	box 13
Young Presidents' Organization, Inc.	box 13
Miscellaneous	box 13
(1983 addition)	box 13A
White House Conference on Aging, 1961	box 13A
Franzblau's columns arranged by subject	box 13A
(1983 addition)	box 13B
Franzblau's columns arranged by subject	box 13B
Publicity	box 14
Publicity	box 15
Publicity--Awards (See also oversize).	box 16
Publicity	box 17
Interviews (8 tape recordings) (See also oversize-records)	box 17
Photographs	box 17

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### Series III: Writings by Rose N. Franzblau--Manuscripts

Title/Description	Instances
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Books (with some printed copies)	box 18
Books (with some printed copies)	box 19
Books (with some printed copies)	box 20
Books (with some printed copies)	box 20A
Books (with some printed copies)	box 20B
Contributions to Books, Essays, etc.	box 21
Contributions to Books, Essays, etc.--Notes and "Tension Project"	box 22
Lecture Notes and Outlines	box 23
Magazine Articles (with some printed copies)	box 24
Magazine articles: <i>Family Circle</i> (t.ms., printed copies & readers' letters)	box 25
Newspaper Columns	box 26
<i>The Canadian Jewish News</i> --Printed Copies (Toronto), 1968-1971	box 26
<i>The Jewish Advocate</i> (Boston)-t.ms.	box 26
<i>The Jewish Post and Opinion</i> --t.ms. and Printed Copies (v.p.), 1973-1979	box 26
<i>The Journal Inquirer</i> --t.ms. and Printed Copies (Rockville, CT),, 1971	box 26
<i>The Daily Compass</i> (New York), 1949-1951	box 27
<b>Arrangement</b>	
Arranged by year	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
Letters from readers, printed columns, & t.ms. for columns	
<i>The Daily Compass</i> (New York), 1949-1951	box 28
<b>Arrangement</b>	
Arranged by year	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>	
Letters from readers, printed columns, & t.ms. for columns	
<i>The Daily Compass</i> (New York), 1949-1951	box 29

**Arrangement**

Arranged by year

**Scope and Contents**

Letters from readers, printed columns, & t.ms. for columns

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*The Daily Compass* (New York), 1949-1951 box 30

**Arrangement**

Arranged by year

**Scope and Contents**

Letters from readers, printed columns, & t.ms. for columns

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*Suffolk Sun* (Deer Park, NY), 1968-1969 box 111

**Scope and Contents**

Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns

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*The New York Post*, 1951-1976

**Arrangement**

Arranged by year

**Scope and Contents**

Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. for columns

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1951 box 31

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The New York Post: letters from readers, 1951 box 32

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. columns, 1952 box 33

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1952 box 34

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1952 box 35

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1952 box 36

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. for columns, 1953 box 37

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1953 box 38

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The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. for columns, 1954	box 42
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1954	box 43
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1954	box 44
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1954	box 45
The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, 1955	box 46
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1955	box 47
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1955	box 48
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1955	box 49
The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. columns, 1956	box 50
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1956	box 51
The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1956	box 52
The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns (1), 1957	box 53
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The New York Post: Letters from readers, 1957	box 55
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The New York Post: letters from readers, 1958	box 57
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1958	box 58
The New York Post: printed colums t.ms for columns, 1958	box 59
The New York Post: t.ms & a.ms. for columns, 1958	box 60
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1959	box 61
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, 1959	box 62
The New York Post: t.ms & a.ms. for columns, 1959	box 63
The New York Post: categorized; letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms & a.ms for columns, 195- & 196-	box 64
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms for columns, 195- & 196-	box 65
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1960	box 66
The New York Post: printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1960	box 67

The New York Post: t.ms. for columns, 1960	box 68
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1961	box 69
The New York Post: printed columns, t.ms for columns, 1961	box 70
The New York Post: t.ms. for columns, 1961	box 71
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1962	box 72
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1962	box 73
The New York Post: t.ms. for columns, 1962	box 74
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1963	box 75
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1963	box 76
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1963	box 77
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1964	box 78
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, 1964	box 79
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1964	box 80
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1964	box 81
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1965	box 82
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1965	box 83
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1965	box 84
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1966	box 85
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1966	box 86
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1966	box 87
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1967	box 88
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1967	box 89
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The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1968	box 92
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1968	box 93
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1969	box 94
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1969	box 95
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1969	box 96
The New York Post: letters from readers, 1970	box 97
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1970	box 98
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1970	box 99
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1971	box 100
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1971	box 101
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1972	box 102
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1972	box 103
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1973	box 104
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1973	box 105
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1974	box 106
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1974	box 107
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1975	box 108
The New York Post: letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. for columns, 1975	box 109
The New York Post: Letters from readers, printed columns, t.ms. & a.ms. columns, 1968-1969	box 110

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## Series IV: Radio and Television Programs

Title/Description	Instances
Letters from Listeners	
<i>It's a Problem</i> --Letters to Ben Grauer, NBC-TV,, 1952	box 112
<i>It's a Problem</i> --Letters to Ben Grauer, NBC-TV,, 1952	box 112A
<i>Home</i> --Family Affairs Department, NBC-TV,, 1954	box 113
<i>Home</i> --Family Affairs Department, NBC-TV,, 1954	box 114
The Arlene Francis Show--Letters to Ashley Montagu, NBC-TV, 1957	box 115
Other Programs, circa, 1960-1964	box 115
World of Children, WCBS-Radio, 1965-1970	box 116-121
Other Programs	box 116-121
Radio scripts for WCBS--A-Z, circa, 1958-1970	box 122-127

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### Series V: Oversize Materials

Title/Description	Instances
Publicity	
<i>The Judy Award</i> --Trophy, 1960 Apr 4	box 128
Awards, 1935-1968,undated, 1935-1968	flatbox 73
Awards, 1935-1968,undated, 1935-1968	flatbox 74
Interviews--Phonograph Records (5), 1967-1971	flatbox 74
Interviews--WLW (Cincinnati) Phonograph Record--Children Incorporated, 10 Jan 1940 (1 disk), 1940	flatbox 74
Interviews--WSAI (Cincinnati) Phonograph Record--Child Clinic, 12 Aug 1938 (1 disk), 1938	flatbox 74
Newspaper Columns	
The Daily Compass, May 1949-May 1950 (Scrapbook Vol. I), May 1949-May 1950	box 132-133
The Daily Compass, Jan 1950-Mar 1951 (Scrapbook Vol. II), 1951	box 132-133
The New York Post, May 1951-Aug 1952 (Scrapbook Vol. III), 1952	box 134-135
The New York Post, Aug 1952-Oct 1953 (Scrapbook Vol. IV), 1953	box 134-135
Radio programs	

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WCBS Tape Recordings--*World of Children*, Jan-Feb 1970      box 129  
(9 reels)

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WCBS Tape Recordings--*World of Children*, Apr-May 1970      box 130  
(9 reels)

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WCBS Tape Recordings--*World of Children*, May-Jul 1970      box 131  
(10 reels)

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