

Archive of Francis L Carsten

Level: Collection

Dates: 1919 - 1993

Description: Papers of Francis L Carsten (biography below), comprising the following:

Drafts, complete versions and proofs of F L Carsten's books. Carsten wrote in both German and English, some books being first published in one language and then translated into the other. For the books themselves please consult the library catalogue of the German Historical Institute in London <http://www2.ghil.ac.uk/catalogue/qsearch.php> for details.

Drafts, proofs, offprints and cuttings of articles and reviews by F L Carsten for a wide variety of academic and other journals and newspapers, including History Today, English Historical Review, Survey, The Slavonic and East European Review, Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis, Economic History Review, Historische Zeitschrift, Problems of Communism, Times Literary Supplement and Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen.

Articles written both by F L Carsten and others as part of his employment by the Political Warfare Executive and/or related Foreign Office services during the Second World War. Carsten provided historical and political background on different areas in Germany for the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force. There is also material relating to other publications by F L Carsten, such as his doctoral thesis, contributions to an encyclopaedia and a dictionary and chapters for books and a Festschrift.

Teaching notes for university courses, transcripts of lectures delivered on BBC Radio and material related to conferences at which Carsten gave papers, and a large quantity of notes made in the course of research for Carsten's writing and teaching.

Correspondence, reports and other documents detailing the foundation of the German Historical Institute London and the involvement in this process of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, of which Carsten was a member. A small amount of general correspondence deals with the publication of and research for Carsten's books.

Collections of newspaper cuttings, notably large selections about the development of Germany and the Soviet Union in the immediate aftermath of the Second World War, as well as a number of newspapers and magazines.

Access Status: Open

Extent: 50 archive boxes

Admin History: The archive was donated to the German Historical Institute together with Francis Carsten's library. No detailed accession records exist.

Arrangement: The collection is arranged in series:

CAR 01 – Books

CAR 02 – Articles and reviews

CAR 03 – Foreign Office publications

CAR 04 – Other publications

CAR 05 – Research notes

CAR 06 – Teaching and lecturing

CAR 07 - Britisch-Deutscher Historikerverein and German Historical Institute London

CAR 08 – Correspondence

CAR 09 – Press cuttings

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Biography of Francis L Carsten

Francis L Carsten was born in Berlin on 25 June 1911. His father, Professor Paul Carsten, was an ophthalmological surgeon. He was educated at the Mommsen Gymnasium in Berlin from 1920, but rebelled against its strict teaching methods and joined a socialist student association. During his law studies at Berlin and Heidelberg he was involved in the ultra-left faction of the communist students' association before joining various splinter groups under the influence of his friend Richard Löwenthal. Those groups were working towards a joint front of labour movements against national socialism, and Carsten eventually became part of "Neubeginnen", a group that went underground in 1933.

He passed his state exams in law in May 1933, but soon realised that – as a Jew and a Socialist – he would not be able to work in this field in Germany. In 1934 he, together with Georg Eliasberg, attempted to open a bookshop in Berlin, but it was soon shut down by the Gestapo. Recruiting members for their underground cell also became increasingly dangerous and Eliasberg was arrested in 1936.

Carsten went first to Paris – where he met Norbert Elias, who suggested he should study the history of Prussia – then to Amsterdam, where he was supported by the staff of the *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis*, which also published his first essays. He did research work on late medieval and early modern social and economic history at the Institute of Social History, University of Amsterdam, under Nicolaas Wilhelmus Posthumus, while continuing actively to support German resistance.

In April 1939, with the imminent threat of Nazi occupation of Europe, Carsten moved to England, where he was appointed Barnett Research Scholar at Wadham College, Oxford, which allowed him to begin work on his PhD. He also joined the Democratic Socialist Club.

At the beginning of the Second World War he was interned for three months as an "enemy alien", then called up to the military but soon released because of lung problems. He finally completed his thesis on "The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany from the Middle Ages to the Early 17th Century" in 1942 and took his degree of Doctor of Philosophy in June of the same year. Also in 1942, he was elected to a Senior Demyship at Magdalen College and was awarded the Alexander Prize of the Royal Historical Society for an essay on "Medieval Democracy in the Brandenburg Towns and its Defeat in the Fifteenth Century".

Soon after, he was recruited by the Political Warfare Executive, for which he helped prepare handbooks for the British Army occupying Germany as well as giving talks for British officers and later German prisoners of war.

Carsten married Ruth Moses in September 1945. She had found employment in London as a history teacher and in 1947 Carsten also obtained a position, at Westfield College (part of the University of London), and rapidly became known as an expert on Prussia. His first book, 'The Origins of Prussia', was published in 1954. In 1960 he was promoted to Reader in Modern History at Westfield College before being named Masaryk *Professor of Central European History* at the University of London in 1961, a position he held until 1978. He was elected to the Fellowship of the British Academy in 1971.

Francis L Carsten died on 23 June 1998.

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CAR 01 – Books

NB If research notes are identifiable as belonging to one specific book they are also kept here as related material. Unidentified or general research notes can be found in CAR 05 (Research Notes).

Dates: 1950s – 1990s

Extent: 22 boxes

CAR 01/001 – The Origins of Prussia [First published in 1954. Translated into German by Margarethe von Knoop and published as ‘Die Entstehung Preussens’ in 1968.]

CAR 01/001/01 – Bound typescript of “The Origins of Prussia. The development of the social and political institutions of Brandenburg, Pomerania, and Prussia from the Teutonic Knights to the Great Elector”.

CAR 01/001/02 – Bound typescript of “The Origins of Prussia. The development of the social and political institutions of Brandenburg, Pomerania, and Prussia from the Teutonic Knights to the Great Elector” with minor m/s corrections.

CAR 01/001/03 – Bound typescript of “The Origins of Prussia. The development of the social and political institutions of Brandenburg, Pomerania, and Prussia from the Teutonic Knights to the Great Elector” with m/s marks where sources have been checked. Includes loose leaves: 1) letter of application for a readership in economic history [? at Wadham College, Oxford] with m/s notes on verso; application dated 16 April 1951, 2) copy of a map of Kurmark, 3) typescript pages of a) page of contents / chapter headings for “Die sozialgeschichtlichen Grundlagen Preussens”, b) two versions of a preface for “The Origins of Prussia”, c) first page of the appendix of “The Origins of Prussia”.

CAR 01/001/04 – Proofs of German edition of “Origins of Prussia”.

CAR 01/001/05 – Proofs of “Origins of Prussia” with m/s corrections

CAR 01/001/06 – Notebook with draft of “Origins of Prussia”.

CAR 01/001/07 – Notebook with draft of “Origins of Prussia”.

CAR 01/002 – Princes and parliaments in Germany from the 15th to the 18th century [First published in 1959.]

CAR 01/002/01 – Typescript with m/s corrections of “Princes and Parliaments in Germany from the fifteenth to the eighteenth century”.

CAR 01/002/02 – Typescript with m/s corrections of “Princes and Parliaments”.

CAR 01/002/03 – Proof of “Princes and Parliaments” with m/s corrections

CAR 01/002/04 – Proof of “Princes and Parliaments” with m/s corrections

CAR 01/002/05 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled ‘pp 1-188 Bavaria’.

CAR 01/002/06 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled ‘pp 189-206 Württemberg / pp 208-319 Bavaria / pp 320-1, 421 Prussia / pp 322-409 Jülich-Berg / pp 410-20’.

CAR 01/002/07 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled ‘pp 421-35 Palatinate / pp 437-607 Württemberg’.

CAR 01/002/08 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled “Württemberg Tomi Actorum pp. 609-839”.

CAR 01/002/09 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled ‘pp. 841-83 Jülich-Berg-Cleves-Mark / pp.884-922 Hesse’ and ‘Notes from Ostpreussische Folianten’. [The latter probably from the Geheimes Staatsarchiv Preussischer Kulturbesitz Berlin.] Includes transcripts of wills and other documents.

CAR 01/002/10 – Notebook with research notes for “Princes and Parliaments”, labelled ‘pp 923-1009, 1017-28: Saxony / pp1011-15: Hesse / pp [...] -73: Germany’.

CAR 01/003 – Reichswehr und Politik 1918-1933 [First published in 1964. Published in English in 1966 under the title ‘The Reichswehr and Politics: 1918-1933’.]

CAR 01/003/02 – labelled ‘Reichswehr + Politics / MS of translation’. Typescript with m/s annotations.

CAR 01/003/01 – Typescript of “Reichswehr und Politik 1918 – 1933” with m/s annotations and corrections.

CAR 01/003/03– Research material and correspondence regarding the Reichswehr. The correspondence dates from 1965 to 1973.

CAR 01/004 – The Rise of Fascism [First published in 1967. Published in German in 1968 under the title ‘Der Aufstieg des Faschismus in Europa’.]

CAR 01/004/01 – “Rise of Fascism”. Typescripts with m/s annotations and corrections of “Der Aufstieg des Faschismus in Europa” and its English translation.

CAR 01/004/02 –Proofs of “The Rise of Fascism”.

CAR 01/004/03 – Research notes and press cuttings about fascism. The press cutting (in English and German) date from 1966-1995.

CAR 01/005 – Revolution in Central Europe 1918-1919 [First published in 1972. Published in German in 1973 under the title ‘Revolution in Mitteleuropa: 1918-1919’.]

CAR 01/005/01 – Typescript of “Revolution in Central Europe 1918-1919” with m/s corrections.

CAR 01/005/02 – Corrected typescript “Revolution and Reaction in Central Europe 1918 – 1920”,

CAR 01/005/03 – Typescript quotes from sources (books and archival material) with some m/s annotations. Presumably for “Revolution in Central Europe”.

CAR 01/005/04 – Review by Heinz Hürten of ‘Revolution in Mitteleuropa: 1918-1919’, off-print from an unknown journal, pp 247-8, undated

CAR 01/006 – Fascist movements in Austria: from Schönerer to Hitler [First published in 1977. Published in German in 1978 under the title ‘Faschismus in Österreich: von Schönerer zu Hitler’.]

CAR 01/006/01 – t/s of “From Schönerer to Hitler – The Extreme Right in Austria” with m/s corrections

CAR 01/006/02 –Notes (typescript, m/s and p/c) about fascism in Austria from secondary sources. Includes contents page listing different sources. Undated.

CAR 01/007 – War against War: British and German radical movements in the First World War [First published in 1982.]

CAR 01/007/01 – Typescript of “War against War” with m/s corrections. Also includes one page of “Notes for Meeting of Board of Examiners” held on 16 December 1965; no further details.

CAR 01/007/02 – Typescript of “War Against War. British and German Radical Movements in the First World War” with some m/s corrections.

CAR 01/007/03 – Typescript of chapter 1 (“The Opposition at the Beginning of the Great War”) of “War Against War” with some m/s corrections.

CAR 01/007/04 –Typescript notes from secondary sources for “War against War”. Also includes correspondence and newspaper clippings regarding archival sources and research. Correspondence and newspaper clippings dated 1979-82.

CAR 01/008 – Britain and the Weimar Republic: the British documents [First published in 1984.]

CAR 01/008/01 – Typescript of “The Weimar Republic in British Documents” / “Britain and the Weimar Republic. The British Documents” [both of these titles are given on the cover page]

CAR 01/008/02 – Typescript of “Britain and the Weimar Republic” with m/s corrections.

CAR 01/008/03 – Typescript notes from secondary sources for “Britain and the Weimar Republic” with m/s annotations. Undated.

CAR 01/009 – Essays in German history [First published in 1985]

CAR 01/009/01 Typescript of contents and introduction of “Essays in German History”. Photocopy of proofs, with manuscript corrections, and typescripts of the essays included.

CAR 01/010 – The First Austrian Republic 1918-1938: a study based on British and Austrian documents. [First published in 1986. Published in German in 1988 as ‘Die erste österreichische Republik im Spiegel zeitgenössischer Quellen’.]

CAR 01/010/01 – “Austria 1918 – 1938 notes”. Manuscript and typescript notes on Austria. Majority of material from Foreign Office (and some War Office) files at the Public Record Office. Also includes typescript of the book “Die erste österreichische Republik im Spiegel zeitgenössischer Quellen”, including “Vorwort zur österreichischen Ausgabe”.

CAR 01/011 – Geschichte der preussischen Junker [First published in 1988. Published in English in 1989 under the title ‘A History of the Prussian Junkers’.]

CAR 01/011/01 – 2 typescripts of “Geschichte der preussischen Junker” with m/s corrections

CAR 01/011/02 – Proof of “Geschichte der preussischen Junker”

CAR 01/011/03 –Typescript of “Geschichte der preussischen Junker” with m/s corrections and annotations. Notes for the book from secondary sources. Also includes a letter from Gower Publishing Group regarding copy editing queries, dated 9 May 1988.

CAR 01/011/04 – Corrected typescript of “Neuntes Kapitel. Der Marsch ins Dritte Reich” [chapter 9 of “Geschichte der preussischen Junker”]

CAR 01/011/05 –Typescript of “Neuntes Kapitel. Der Marsch ins Dritte Reich” [chapter 9 of “Geschichte der preussischen Junker”] with m/s corrections and annotations. Also includes m/s notes.

CAR 01/012 – August Bebel und die Organisation der Massen [First published in 1991.]

CAR 01/012/01 – Typescript of “August Bebel und die Organisation der Massen”

CAR 01/012/02 – Typescript of "August Bebel und die Organisation der Massen"

CAR 01/012/03 – Notes for "August Bebel und die Organisation der Massen", including typed notes, photocopies and index cards.

CAR 01/013 – Eduard Bernstein 1850-1932: eine politische Biographie [First published in 1993.]

CAR 01/013/01 –Typescript of "Eduard Bernstein 1850–1932: eine politische Biographie" with m/s corrections.

CAR 01/013/02 Typescript with m/s corrections and annotations of "Eduard Bernstein 1850–1932: eine politische Biographie".

CAR 01/013/03 –Typescript copy of "Eduard Bernstein 1850–1932: eine politische Biographie".

CAR 01/013/04 – Photocopy (possibly incomplete) of "Eduard Bernstein 1850–1932: eine politische Biographie" with m/s corrections.

CAR 01/013/05 – copy of preface to Eduard Bernstein book

CAR 01/013/06 –Notes on Eduard Bernstein. Includes photocopies and typescripts.

CAR 01/014 – The German Workers and the Nazis [First published in 1995. Published in German in 1996 as 'Widerstand gegen Hitler: die deutschen Arbeiter und die Nazis'.]

CAR 01/014/01 –Typescript of "The German Workers and the Nazis" with m/s annotations and corrections, both German and English version. Also includes correspondence regarding publication of the book and with Helen Hodge (processing editor / copyeditor).

CAR 01/014/02 – Carbon copy of typescript of "Die deutschen Arbeiter und die Nazis".

CAR 01/014/03 – Notes for "The German Workers and the Nazis". Includes typescript and photocopied notes and sources, some with m/s annotations and numbering system. Notes on worker resistance and organisation (e.g. communists, socialists, youth groups), views on the government and war, arrests. All with detailed sources and page references. Mostly in German, some in English.

CAR 01/015 – Unknown publication referred to as "Judenbuch"

CAR 01/015/01 – Typescript labelled "Prof. Carsten (Judenbuch – Dokumentarbericht) (Ms. 197 Seiten)". First page entitled „I. Verfolgung und Vernichtung. 1. Die ersten Schritte“.

CAR 01/015/02 –Typescript entitled "Verfolgung und Vernichtung". Also includes some additional notes.

CAR 01/016 – Chapters from unknown books

CAR 01/016/01 – Typescript draft of "Neofascism"

CAR 01/016/02 – Two typescript drafts of "Die Entstehung der Gutsherrschaft in Preussen"

CAR 01/016/03 – Two typescript drafts of “Die Durchsetzung Brandenburgs am Rhein”

CAR 01/016/04 – Typescript draft of “Die Entstehung der Gutsherrschaft in Ostelbien”

CAR 02 – Articles and reviews

Dates: 1938 - 1991

Extent: 12 boxes

CAR 02/01 Articles

Dates: 1938 – 1991

Extent: 10 boxes

CAR 02/01/001 – ‘Blick in die Welt’, issue 24. [1948?] Includes “Der 9. November 1918” by F L Carsten, pp. 22-23.

CAR 02/01/002 – Typescript of article “Adolf Hitler im Urteil des Auslandes – in britischer Sicht” with m/s corrections. Also includes photocopy of published article. Published in ‘Deutschland 1933: Machtzerfall der Demokratie und Nationalsozialistische “Machtergreifung”’, edited by W Treue and J Schmäddeke. 1984

CAR 02/01/003 – Typescripts of “The ‘Arbeiterbildungsvereine’ and the Foundation of the Social-Democratic Workers Party in 1869”, including typescript with m/s corrections. Also includes correspondence with Robert Evans of The English Historical Review about the article. 1991.

CAR 02/01/004 – 2 typescripts of “Arthus Rosenberg als Politiker“ by FL Carsten, with m/s corrections, 3 typescripts of English version “Arthur Rosenberg. Ancient Historian into Leading Communist”. Also includes typescript notes on Rosenberg and photocopy of index to “Geschichte und Gesellschaft. Festschrift für Karl R Stadler zum 60. Geburtstag”. Ca. 1973.

CAR 02/01/005 – 2 typescripts of “August Bebel” and issue of *Survey* No 55, April 1965. Includes “August Bebel” by F L Carsten, pp 141-150.

CAR 02/01/006 – Typescript of “The Austrian National Socialists”. undated

CAR 02/01/007 – Off-print of “Der Bauernkrieg in Ostpreussen 1525“ by F L Carsten. Published in *International Review for Social History*, Vol III, 1938.

CAR 02/01/008 – *History Today*, November 1961. Includes ‘Bismarck and the Prussian Liberals’ by F L Carsten, pp 760-769.

CAR 02/01/009 – Off-print of ‘A Bolshevik Conspiracy in the Wehrmacht’ by F L Carsten. Reprinted from *The Slavonic and East European Review*, Volume XLVII, Number 109, January 1969.

CAR 02/01/010 – Typescript of “Bolshevism German Style”. [MISSING]

CAR 02/01/011 – *History Today*, November 1951. Includes “British Diplomacy and the Giant Grenadiers of Frederick William I” by F L Carsten, pp 55-60. Also includes galley proof of article.

CAR 02/01/012 – 5 typescripts of “The Causes of the Decline of the German Estates”, typescript of a summary of the article and 3 typescripts of the German version “Die Ursachen des Niedergangs der deutschen Landstände”. Also includes off-print of “Die Ursachen des Niedergangs der deutschen Landstände” by F L Carsten. Published in *Historische Zeitschrift*, 192/2, April 1961.

CAR 02/01/013 – Typescript of “The Court Jews” and off-print of “The Court Jews. A Prelude to Emancipation” by F L Carsten, signed “To George from the author. January 1959” on the front cover.

CAR 02/01/014 – Typescripts of “Die deutsche Sozialdemokratie und Bismarcks Werk”, including with m/s corrections, and of English version “The German Social Democrats and Bismarck’s achievements”. Also includes correspondence with Eva Schick of Duncker & Humblot publishers regarding publication of the article, 1991, and programme for a conference on Bismarck and his time, held at Staatsbibliothek Preussischer Kulturbesitz, Berlin, August 1990.

CAR 02/01/015 - *Die Welt als Geschichte*, Heft 1, 1960. Includes “Die deutschen Landstände und der Aufstieg der Fürsten” by F L Carsten, pp. 16-29.

CAR 02/01/016 – Typescript of “East and West in German History”. undated

CAR 02/01/017 – *Problems of Communism*, No 6, Vol VI, November-December 1957. Includes ‘East Germany’s Intellectuals – A Note’ by F L Carsten, pp 49-50.

CAR 02/01/018 – Typescript of “Einleitung. Die Emigration in England – ihre Probleme und ihr Einfluss”, with m/s corrections. Also includes notes on migration. undated

CAR 02/01/019 – Cutting of article “Englands Dollarkrise überwunden” by Francis L Carsten, published in *Stuttgarter Zeitung*, 21 October 1950. [MISSING]

CAR 02/01/020 – Two typescript drafts and proof of article by FL Carsten “Die Entstehung der brandenburgisch-preussischen Monarchie”, with m/s corrections. Ca. 1981

CAR 02/01/021 – Three typescripts of “Die Entstehung des Junkertums” and off-print of the same article, published in “Preussen. Epochen und Probleme seiner Geschichte”. Ca. 1964

CAR 02/01/022 – Two typescripts of “The Failure of the German Liberals, 1860 to 1866”, three typescripts of the French version “L’échec des libéraux allemands, de 1860 à 1866” and ‘Rassegna Storica Toscana. Atti del XIV Convegno Storico Toscano. “La destra storica nel quadro del Liberalismo europeo”’, which includes “L’échec des libéraux allemands, de 1860 à 1866”, pp. 295-310, as well as a separate off-print of “L’échec des libéraux allemands, de

1860 à 1866" from this volume. [The author is printed as L Carsten and corrected manually.]
1961

CAR 02/01/023 – *History Today*, May 1956. Includes 'The Failure of the Weimar Republic' by F L Carsten, pp 318-325. Also includes galley proof of the article.

CAR 02/01/024 – Typescript of "Die faschistischen Bewegungen – Gemeinsamkeiten und Unterschiede". Published in "Fascism and Europe", Prague, 1969.

CAR 02/01/025 – Typescript draft with m/s corrections of "Fascism". undated

CAR 02/01/026 – Two typescripts of "Five Centuries of a German Parliament". undated

CAR 02/01/027 - Typescript of "Georg von Vollmar, a Bavarian Social Democrat" with m/s corrections and annotations. Published in the *Journal of Contemporary History*, May-June 1990.

CAR 02/01/028 – Two typescripts of "The German Estates in the Eighteenth Century" and off-print of the article, published in *Recueils de la Société Jean Bodin pour l'Histoire comparative des Institutions*, vol. XXV.

CAR 02/01/029 – Two typescripts of "The German Generals and Hitler, 1933-1938" and issue of *History Today*, August 1958, including 'The German Generals and Hitler' by F L Carsten, pp 556-564. Also includes newspaper cutting.

CAR 02/01/030 – Typescript of "The German Historians and Recent German History". Also includes press cuttings. undated

CAR 02/01/031 – Typescripts of "The German historians and the Jewish Question". Includes notes, press cuttings and correspondence regarding the article with *Commentary*, 1956.

CAR 02/01/032 – Typescript of "The German historians and the Nazi period". undated

CAR 02/01/033 – Typescript of "German Refugees in Great Britain 1933-1945. An Overview", with m/s corrections. Published in 'Exile in Great Britain', edited by Gerhard Hirschfeld, 1981.

CAR 02/01/034 – Typescripts of "The German Revolution of the 9th of November" and typescript of synopsis. Also includes press cuttings. undated

CAR 02/01/035 – Typescript of "Germany 1648 – 1789". undated

CAR 02/01/036 – Typescript of article "Germany and Austria, ca. 1820 to 1880". undated

CAR 02/01/037 – *History Today*, February 1960, including "The Great Elector 1640-1688" by F L Carsten, pp 83-89. Also includes typescript of "The Great Elector".

CAR 02/01/038 – Off-print of "The Great Elector and the Foundation of the Hohenzollern Despotism" by F L Carsten. Published in the *English Historical Review*, April 1950.

CAR 02/01/039 – Typescript of “Grossbritannien und Österreich 1918-1937”. Published in "Österreich, Deutschland und die Mächte. Internationale und österreichische Aspekte des 'Anschlusses' vom März 1938", edited by GERALD STOURZH and BIRGITTA ZAAR, 1990.

CAR 02/01/040 – Copy of “Gutsherrschaft und Adelsmacht”. Published in "Preußen. Beiträge zu einer politischen Kultur", edited by Manfred Schlenke, 1981.

CAR 02/01/041 – Off-print of “Historical Revision, No. CXIV”. Includes a note on East Prussia by F L Carsten. 1948

CAR 02/01/042 – Three typescript drafts of “The Historical Roots of National Socialism” and one typescript draft of German version “Die historischen Wurzeln des Nationalsozialismus”. Also includes proofs of both the English and the German versions.

CAR 02/01/043 – *Survey* No 37, July-September 1961. Includes ‘History under Ulbricht’ by F L Carsten, pp 90-98.

CAR 02/01/044 – Off-print of “Die Judenfrage in der Auseinandersetzung zwischen dem Kurfürsten Friedrich Wilhelm von Brandenburg und den Landständen (1640-1688)” by F L Carsten. Published in *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis*, 1938.

CAR 02/01/045 – *Blick in die Welt*, volume 4, issue 8, August 1949. Includes ‘Kleinstaat und Grosstat. Deutschland zur Zeit Goethes’ by F L Carsten, pp 14-16.

CAR 02/01/046 – Typescript of “Medieval Democracy in the Brandenburg Towns, its struggles and its ultimate defeat in the fifteenth century”, with m/s corrections, and off-print of “Medieval Democracy in the Brandenburg Towns and its Defeat in the Fifteenth Century”, published in the *Transactions of the Royal Historical Society*, 4th Series, Vol XXV, 1943.

CAR 02/01/047 – Typescript of “Nationalrevolutionäre Offiziere gegen Hitler”. Also includes ‘Gewissen gegen Gewalt. Rückblick auf den 20. Juli 1944’. Published by Bundeszentrale für politische Bildung, including “Nationalrevolutionäre Offiziere gegen Hitler”, pp. 46-50, and *Aus Politik und Zeitgeschichte* [supplement to *Das Parlament*], 15 July 1964. including „Nationalrevolutionäre Offiziere gegen Hitler“, pp 46-50.

CAR 02/01/048 – Off-print of “New ‘Evidence’ Against Marshal Tukhachevsky”. Reprinted from *The Slavonic and East European Review*, 1974.

CAR 02/01/049 – Typescript of “The Nobility of Brandenburg and Prussia from the 16th to the 18th Century”.

CAR 02/01/050 – Off-print of ‘A note on the term “Thirty Years War”’ by F L Carsten. Published in *History*, Volume XLIII, 1958, signed “To George from the author. 3-1-1959” on the front cover. [Possibly related to CAR 02/001/072 “The term ‘Thirty Years War’”.]

CAR 02/01/051 – Off-print of ‘The Origins of the Junkers’ by F L Carsten. Published in the *English Historical Review*, April 1947.

CAR 02/01/052 – Off-print of “Preussen und England” by F L Carsten. Published in “Jahrbuch für die Geschichte Mittel- und Ostdeutschlands“, Band 31, 1982. Also includes draft and notes and papers relating to a lecture by F L Carsten on „Preussen und England“ at the Staatsbibliothek Berlin, 28 August 1981.

CAR 02/01/053 – Typescript of “Der preussische Adel und seine Stellung in Staat und Gesellschaft“. Published in “Europäischer Adel 1750-1950“ by Hans-Ulrich Wehler, 1990.

CAR 02/01/054 – Typescript of “Das Problem der bewaffneten Macht in der Novemberrevolution“. Undated

CAR 02/01/055 – Off-print of “Prussian Despotism at its height“, published in *History* Vol. 40, February 1955.

CAR 02/01/056 – Typescript of “The Prussian Junkers” with m/s corrections. undated

CAR 02/01/057 – *The Royal United Service Institution Journal*, August 1963. Includes article by FL Carsten “The Reichswehr and the Red Army, 1920-1933”. *Survey* No 44/45, October 1962. Includes ‘The Reichswehr and the Red Army’ by F L Carsten, pp 114-132. Also includes off-print of “The Reichswehr and the Red Army, 1920-1933” from *Survey*, No 44/45, October 1962.

CAR 02/01/058 – Off-print of “Die Reichswehr und die Diktatur“. Reprinted from ‘Von Weimar zu Hitler 1930-1933’ by Gotthard Jasper, 1968.

CAR 02/01/059 – Three typescripts of “The Reichswehr and Soviet Russia, 1920-1933“, with m/s corrections, five typescripts of German version “Die Reichswehr und Sowjetrusland, 1920-1933“, with m/s corrections, and off-print of Italian version “Reichswehr e Armata Rossa nel 1920-33“. The English and German articles were published, respectively, in *Survey* 44/45 (1962) and *Österreichische Osthefte* 6 (1963). The Italian off-print is from an unknown publication, undated.

CAR 02/01/060 – Off-print of ‘Reports by Two German Officers on the Red Army’ by F L Carsten. Reprinted from *The Slavonic and East European Review*, Volume XLI, Number 96, December 1962.

CAR 02/01/061 – Off-print of ‘The Resistance of Cleves and Mark to the Despotic Policy of the Great Elector’ by F L Carsten. Published in the *English Historical Review*, April 1951.

CAR 02/01/062 – Typescript of “Revolution and Reaction in Central Europe 1918-1920“, with m/s corrections. Published in Italian as “Rivoluzione e Reazione nell’Europa Centrale” in ‘Rivoluzione e Reazione in Europa 1917/1924’, Perugia, 1978.

CAR 02/01/063 – Two typescripts of “Revolutionary situations in Europe, 1917-1920“, with m/s annotations, and one typescript of German version “Revolutionäre Situationen in Europa 1917-1920“, with m/s annotations. Also includes research notes on European

revolutions in the early 20th century. Published in 'Revolutionary Situations in Europe, 1917-1922: Germany, Italy, Austria-Hungary', edited by Charles L Bertrand, 1977

CAR 02/01/064 – Typescript of “Rosa Luxemburg” and t/s notes relating to Rosa Luxemburg, and *Soviet Survey*, No 33, July-September 1960. Includes ‘Rosa Luxemburg’ by F L Carsten (pp 93-99).

CAR 02/01/065 – Typescript of “The S.E.D. and the Intellectuals”, including newspaper cuttings. undated

CAR 02/01/066 – Off-print of ‘Slavs in North-Eastern Germany’ by F L Carsten. Published in *The Economic History Review*, Vol XI, No 1, 1941.

CAR 02/01/067 – Off-print of “Some personal recollections” [about Norbert Elias] by F L Carsten. Published in ‘Human Figurations. Essays for / Aufsätze für Norbert Elias’, 1977.

CAR 02/01/068 – Off-print of ‘Die sozialen Bewegungen in den Pommerschen Städten vom 14. Jahrhundert bis zur Reformationszeit’ by F L Carsten. Published in *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis*, vol 53, no 4.

CAR 02/01/069 – Off-print of ‘Die Staten-Generaal und die Stände von Cleve um die Mitte des 17. Jahrhunderts’ by F L Carsten. Published in *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis*, vol 77, no 1.

CAR 02/01/070 – Typescripts of “Stresemann im Spiegel der britischen Akten” [also titled “Gustav Stresemann im Spiegel der britischen Akten“], with m/s corrections. Publication of lecture given in Mainz on 10 June 1983.

CAR 02/01/071 – Typescript of “Stresemann und die Reichswehr”, with m/s corrections. undated

CAR 02/01/072 – Typescript of “The subjugation of the Brandenburg towns by the Hohenzollerns and the nobles in the 15th century”, with m/s corrections. undated

CAR 02/01/073 – Typescript of “The term ‘Thirty Years War’”. Undated, possibly connected to CAR 02/01/050.

CAR 02/01/074 – Two typescripts of “Umsturz in Österreich 1918”, with m/s corrections. undated

CAR 02/01/075 – Two typescripts of “‘Volk ohne Raum’”. undated

CAR 02/01/076 – Typescript of “Die Vorläufer des Nationalsozialismus“, with m/s corrections, and off-print of “Die Vorläufer des Nationalsozialismus“. Published in 'Das geistige Leben Wiens in der Zwischenkriegszeit', edited by Norbert Leser, 1981.

CAR 02/01/077 – Typescript of “Was Lenin a German Agent?” and *Problems of Communism*, No 1, Vol VIII, January-February 1959. Includes book review ‘Was Lenin a German agent?’ by

F L Carsten, pp 44-48. Also includes correspondence with Abraham Brumberg and Professor Possony regarding this article, 1958-1959.

CAR 02/01/078 – Typescript of “Was there an economic decline in Germany before the Thirty Years War?” and off-print of “Was there an Economic Decline in Germany before the Thirty Years’ War?” by F L Carsten. Published in the *English Historical Review*, April 1956.

CAR 02/01/079 – Typescript of “The Weimar Republic”. undated

CAR 02/01/080 – Two typescripts of “What are the East German historians writing?”, undated

CAR 02/01/081 – *The Listener*, Vol LIII, No 1358, 10 March 1955. Includes ‘What German Historians Say about the Nazis’ by F L Carsten, pp 415-418.

CAR 02/01/082 – Manuscript and two typescripts of “Why did the German Estates fail to develop into parliamentary institutions?”. Undated

CAR 02/01/083 – Two typescripts of “Zwei oder drei faschistische Bewegungen in Österreich?“, with m/s corrections. Published in "Februar 1934: Ursachen, Fakten, Folgen", 1984.

CAR 02/01/084 – Untitled typescript about Claus Graf von Stauffenberg. Undated

CAR 02/01/085 – Untitled typescript about Albert, margrave of Brandenburg-Ansbach. Undated

CAR 02/02 Reviews

Arranged chronologically, with those of uncertain date at the end.

Dates: late 1930s – 1989

Extent: 2 boxes

CAR 02/02/001 – Typescript of “Neue Literatur zur ostdeutschen Agrar- und Sozialgeschichte“, with m/s corrections, ca. late 1930s

CAR 02/02/002 – 7 sets of pages (possibly off-prints) from *Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis* with book reviews by F L Carsten. Includes books by Ernst Feikes, Friedrich Mager, Hans Stein and Gerhard Ritter and a discussion of Leibniz. In Dutch and German. Some pages are uncut – handle with care. 1937-1939.

CAR 02/02/003 – 33 proofs and offprints of book reviews by FL Carsten for ‘Short Notices’ in the *Economic History Review*, 1952-1970. (The majority of material dates from 1952-1962.)

CAR 02/02/004 – ‘Problems of Communism’, No. 4, Vol. VI, July-August 1957. Includes review by F L Carsten of “Von Potsdam nach Moskau” by Margarete Buber-Neumann, pp. 44-46. Also includes typescript of the review.

CAR 02/02/005 – 10 off-prints of book reviews by F L Carsten from *Historische Zeitschrift*, covering books by Ernst Schubert, Peter Wick, Alan Simpson, F J Fisher, S T Bindoff, J Hurstfield, C H Williams, Johannes Paul and J W F Hill. 1957 – 1968

CAR 02/02/006 – *The Wiener Library Bulletin*, Vol XII, Nos 3-4, 1958. Includes book review 'Qualified Optimism. Canadian's View of West German Democracy' by F L Carsten, p 29.

CAR 02/02/007 – *Problems of Communism*, Vol X, No 2, March-April 1961. Includes book review 'The Communists and the Rise of the Nazis' by F L Carsten, pp 59-61.

CAR 02/02/008 – *Problems of Communism*, Vol X, No 4, July-August 1961. Includes book review 'Leninists and Oppositionists' by F L Carsten, pp 54-57. Also includes typescript of the review.

CAR 02/02/009 – *Problems of Communism*, Vol XIII, No 6, Nov-Dec 1964. Includes book review 'The Comintern in Retrospect' by F L Carsten, pp 48-51. Also includes two typescript drafts and correspondence with Clarke H Kawakami, Associate Editor of *Problems of Communism*.

CAR 02/02/010 – 13 newspaper cuttings of book reviews by F L Carsten from the Times Literary Supplement, New Statesman and Week-end Magazine, covering books by Harold C Deutsch, Agatha Ramm, Golo Mann, Karl Demeter, Richard S Levy, Bruce F Pauley. Gerhard Hirschfeld, Lothar Kettenacker, Andrew G Whiteside and Eva Rosenhaft. Also includes a cutting from *Stuttgarter Zeitung* about Bundesarchiv Koblenz. 1965-1984.

CAR 02/02/011 – Off-print of a review by F L Carsten of "Die Mark Brandenburg, Wettin und Magdeburg" by Willy Hoppe. Published in *Erasmus*, Vol 19, No 5-6, 1967.

CAR 02/02/012 – Off-print of book reviews from *Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen*, including a review by F L Carsten of "Preußen. Geschichte eines Staates" by Hans-Joachim Schoeps, pp 194-198, 1969. Also includes two typescript drafts, quotes from book and a copy of [? blurb written by F L Carsten for the publisher].

CAR 02/02/013 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ Register zu 1-10, 1971

CAR 02/02/014 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 1/74, pp 209-269 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Deutschland in der Weltpolitik des 19. und 20. Jahrhunderts. Fritz Fischer zum 65. Geburtstag“ by Imanuel Geiss and Bernd Jürgen Wendt (pp 232-235).

CAR 02/02/015 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of "Society and Politics in Germany 1500-1750" by G Benecke, "Landschaften im Alten Reich" by Peter Blickle and "Die Geschichte der Repräsentation in Bayern" by Karl Bosl. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 7 February 1975.

CAR 02/02/016 – 2 typescripts and cutting of review by F L Carsten of "Frederick the Great and his Officials" by Hubert C Johnson and "Frederick the Great" by Walter Hubatsch. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 12 March 1976.

CAR 02/02/017 – Typescript and cutting of reviews by F L Carsten of “Soldatenräte und Revolution” by Ulrich Kluge. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 14 May 1976.

CAR 02/02/018 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of “Victors Divided” by Keith L Nelson. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 23 July 1976.

CAR 02/02/019 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of “Imperial Germany and a World Without War” by Roger Chickering. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 5 November 1976.

CAR 02/02/020 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of “Juden im Wilhelminischen Deutschland 1890-1914” by Werner E Mosse and Arnold Paucker. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 11 March 1977.

CAR 02/02/021 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of “Germany and Europe 1919-1939” by John Hiden. The newspaper cutting is from an unknown publication, 3 March 1978.

CAR 02/02/023 – Typescript and cutting of review by F L Carsten of “Zwischen Revolution und Kapp-Putsch” by Heinz Hürten. The newspaper cutting is from TLS, 10 November 1978.

CAR 02/02/024 – Typescript of review of numerous books about Prussia, ca. 1981.

CAR 02/02/025 – Off-print and typescript with corrections of a review by F L Carsten of “Nationalsozialistische Diktatur 1933-1945. Eine Bilanz” by Karl Dietrich Bracher, Manfred Funke, Hans-Adolf Jacobsen, ca. 1983

CAR 02/02/026 – Newspaper cutting and typescript of a review by F L Carsten of “Die deutsche Diktatur” by Karl Dietrich Bracher.

CAR 02/02/027 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 2/81, pp 187-265 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of “General Ludwig Beck. Studien und Dokumente zur politisch-militärischen Vorstellungswelt und Tätigkeit des Generalstabschefs des deutschen Heeres 1933-1938” by Klaus-Jürgen Müller (pp 241-244).

CAR 02/02/028 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 1/85, pp 137-230 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of “Die Last der Nation. Fünf Beiträge über Deutschland und die Deutschen” by Andreas Hillgruber (pp 190-191).

CAR 02/02/029 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 1/86, pp 131-224 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Im Schatten der Geschichte. Historisch-politische Variationen aus zwanzig Jahren“ by Sebastian Haffner (pp 131-133).

CAR 02/02/030 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 2/86, pp 101-212 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Mächte und Kräfte im 20. Jahrhundert. Gesammelte Aufsätze und Reden zum 65. Geburtstag“ by Walther Hofer (pp 108-110).

CAR 02/02/031 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 1/87, pp 191-248 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Zweierlei Untergang. Die Zerschlagung des Deutschen Reiches und das Ende des europäischen Judentums“ by Andreas Hillgruber (pp 231-232).

CAR 02/02/032 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 2/87, pp 153-242 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Hitler and the Quest for World Dominion“ by Geoffrey Stoakes (pp 207-208).

CAR 02/02/033 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 2/88, pp 141-240 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Der ‚deutsche Sonderweg‘ in Europa 1806-1945. Eine Kritik“ by Helga Grebing (pp 170-171).

CAR 02/02/034 – „Militärgeschichtliche Mitteilungen“ 2/89, pp 121-226 only. Includes review by F L Carsten of „Geißel des Jahrhunderts. Hitler und seine Hinterlassenschaft“ by Henry Ashby Turner, Jr. (pp 171-172).

CAR 02/02/035 – Typescript of a review of books on August Bebel, ca. 1989.

CAR 02/02/036 – Typescripts with corrections of “Bolshevism German Style”, a review by F L Carsten of a number of books about German communism.

CAR 02/02/037 – 11 undated typescripts and proofs of shorter book reviews by F L Carsten. Covers books by Bernard S Morris, Fritz Fischer, Reinhard Hohn, Alan Palmer, Paul Lendvai, Golo Mann, Frank Field, Josef Fraenkel, A.J. Ryder, Hans Meier-Welcker, Siegfried Baske, Rudolf Korth, Karl Demeter, Walter Warlimont, Walter Görlitz, Karl Dietrich Bracher, Wolfgang Sauer, Gerhard Schulz, Siegfried Bahne, Wolfgang Leonhard, C A Macartney and William Carr.

CAR 02/02/038 – 20 offprints of book reviews by FL Carsten from Historische Zeitschrift, undated.

CAR 02/02/039 – 14 clippings and off-prints of book reviews by F L Carsten from other or unknown journals, including The Slavonic and East European Review, Slavic Review and The Slavonic Review. Undated. English and German.

CAR 03 – Foreign Office publications

This covers work for the Special Operations Executive, Political Warfare Executive and SHAEF (Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force).

Dates: 1919 – 1946. The majority of material dates from 1943-1946.

Extent: 2 boxes

CAR 03/001 Notes, drafts and articles (possibly not all written by Francis Carsten himself), partly for the Central European Joint Committee (and likely similar institutions associated with the Special Operations Executive or Political Warfare Executive).

CAR 03/001/01 – Typescript with manuscript annotations of 'The Military Caste', undated

CAR 03/001/02 – 2 typescripts with manuscript annotations of 'Occupation of the Rhineland 1918-1930', undated

CAR 03/001/03 – Typescript of 'Food Production, Land Settlement and Large Estates in Germany', 4 October 1944

CAR 03/001/04 – 'Das Leben in Deutschland während der ersten Monate der Republik'. Special Report No.188 issued by the Central European Joint Committee, 3 November 1943

CAR 03/001/05 – 'The Political Parties during the Weimar Period'. Prepared by the Foreign Office Research Department [probably not by Carsten himself], 26 June 1944

CAR 03/001/06 – 'The German Workers' Movement and German Nationalism'. Note du Bureau No. 10, prepared by the Groupement Interallie pour l'etude des activites des allemands et de leurs satellites and introduced with a note in French, undated.

CAR 03/001/07 – Handwritten notes on party membership and votes in Germany in 1935

CAR 03/001/08 – Printed copy of 'Chapter III – Local Government and Administration' [of Germany], 1943

CAR 03/001/09 – Proof of 'The Nazi Party and its Organisations', 1943

CAR 03/001/10 – Proof of 'Labour Organisations', 1943

CAR 03/001/11 – 'Annexe V: Occupation of the Rhineland, 1918-1930' (printed version of CAR 03/002/02)

CAR 03/001/12 – 'How far were the big Industrialists in Germany responsible for the Nazi Policy of dominating Europe and of creating an Industrial Monopoly in Europe for Nazi Germany' Special Report No. 27 issued by the Central European Joint Committee, 14 May 1945

CAR 03/001/13 – Manuscript notes [probably by Francis Carsten] probably for 'Das Leben in Deutschland während der ersten Monate der Republik' (CAR 03/002/04), undated

CAR 03/001/14 – Hand-written and typed charts with numbers and statistics for German elections between 1919 and 1938.

CAR 03/001/15 – Typescripts of three short articles about Hesse, undated

CAR 03/001/16 – Handwritten notes

CAR 03/001/17 – Photostat negatives of statistics on communication and transport of Germany and Austria from 1936 to 1938 [possibly an appendix], undated

CAR 03/002 Typescripts with manuscript corrections of articles written probably for handbooks for the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force.

CAR 03/002/01 – ‘Chapter III: Political Background Baden and Württemberg’, ca. 1944

CAR 03/002/02 – ‘History, Politics and Occupation of the Rhine-Main Area’, 17 May 1943

CAR 03/002/03 – ‘Chapter III: Political Background [Hesse] (2 drafts), undated

CAR 03/002/04 – ‘Chapter II: History’ [Baden and Württemberg] (2 drafts), undated

CAR 03/002/05 – ‘The Palatinate’ (3 drafts), undated

CAR 03/002/06 – ‘The Saar’ (2 drafts), ca. 1944

CAR 03/002/07 – ‘Revolution and Counter-Revolution in Berlin’, ca. 1944

CAR 03/002/08 – ‘The Working-Class Movement in North and North-West Germany’ (2 drafts), undated

CAR 03/002/09 – ‘Opposition to the Nazis in Berlin’, ca. 1944

CAR 03/003 Off-prints and galley proofs of handbooks for the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force.

CAR 03/003/01 – Printed pages from handbooks on Northern Germany, discussing the rise of the Nazis in Hamburg and East Hanover, Bremen, Brunswick and Oldenburg. Also includes the chapters ‘A Nationalist Cell in the Hamburg Police Force’, ‘The Peasant Revolt in Holstein (1928-30)’ ‘The Region under the Nazis 1933-1939’ and ‘German-Danish Minority Problems’.

CAR 03/003/02 – Galley proofs of ‘Berlin Municipal Affairs: 1920-1933’

CAR 03/003/03 – Galley proofs of ‘National Socialism in Berlin’

CAR 03/004 – Typescripts of reports

CAR 03/004/01 – “Membership of the Nazi Party (An Attempt at an Analysis)”, undated, Also includes two typescript drafts.

CAR 03/004/02 – “German Secret Rearmament: 1924 – 1933”. Document prepared by the Political Intelligence Department of the Foreign Office, 25 October 1945

CAR 03/004/03 – “The German Intelligence Service and the Coordination of its Research Services: January 1940 – July 1944”. Document prepared by the Political Intelligence Department of the Foreign Office, 21 January 1946

CAR 03/004/04 – “Report on a Visit to Germany”. Signed by W [Klatt?]. 21 November 1945

CAR 03/005 – Pamphlet “Project for the reconstruction of the German Trade Union movement”, published by the Trade Union Centre for German Workers in Great Britain [Landesgruppe Deutscher Gewerkschafter in Gross Britannien], September 1944

CAR 03/006 – Notes and Photostat copies relating to German elections between 1924 and 1932.

CAR 03/007 – “Report on Food Conditions in Germany with Memoranda on Agricultural Conditions in Germany” by Ernest H Starling, 1919

CAR 03/008 – “Germany Basic Handbook Part II Annexe VA Regional Controls in Germany”, probably published by SHAEF. May 1945

CAR 03/009 – “Glossary Notes” – handwritten notes on legal and social institutions in Germany, undated

CAR 03/010 – Proofs and galley proofs of parts of the SHAEF handbook for Germany, 1943 – 1944

CAR 03/011 – “Translation of PID document on underground resistance put up by German workers against the Nazi regime”, published by O.W.I. [US Office of War Information] – London, Intelligence Section.

CAR 04 – Other publications

Dates: ca. 1940 – 1993

Extent: 2 boxes

CAR 04/001 Report on a “section meeting” with discussion of a lecture ‘De sociaal-historische grondslagen van Pruisen’ given by F L Carsten, published in Tijdschrift voor Geschiedenis, ca. 1940.

CAR 04/002 Doctoral thesis “The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany up to the Beginning of the Seventeenth Century”, ca. 1942

CAR 04/002/01 – Manuscript of Carsten’s doctoral thesis on “The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany from the Middle Ages to the Early 17th Century”.

CAR 04/002/02 – Typescript with m/s corrections of “The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany up to the Beginning of the 17th Century”.

CAR 04/002/03 – Typescript of “The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany up to the Beginning of the Seventeenth Century” by F L Carsten.

CAR 04/002/04 – Typescript of “The Development of the Manorial System in North-Eastern Germany up to the Beginning of the Seventeenth Century” by F L Carsten.

CAR 03/005 Off-prints of encyclopaedia articles, mostly related to Prussia, written by F L Carsten for an unidentified publication [probably the modern Chambers’s Encyclopedia, published in 1950] , late 1940s.

CAR 04/004 Abstract of ‘The Causes of the Decline of the German Estates’ by F L Carsten from the XIe Congrès International des Sciences Historiques, Stockholm, 1960.

CAR 04/005 Draft, notes and newspaper cutting of obituary for the historian Gerhard Ritter, 14 July 1967. Also includes typescript copy of Ritter's article "Der Erste Weltkrieg – Ein Deutscher 'Griff nach der Weltmacht'?"

CAR 04/006 Two draft typescripts of 'Interpretations of Fascism', written for the book "Fascism: A Reader's Guide", edited by Walter Laqueur, 1976. Also includes galley proof and photocopy of the published chapter.

CAR 04/007 Draft typescript and typescript with copy editor's corrections of "Die Quäker in Deutschland 1919-1924" for publication in a Festschrift for Professor von Arentin. Also includes a letter from the publishers. 1986-1987.

CAR 04/008 Typescripts of entries prepared by FL Carsten for "A Dictionary of Nineteenth Century World History", with m/s corrections. Also includes correspondence from John Belchem regarding the dictionary project. February 1992 – October 1993.

CAR 05 – Research notes

Since the notes are not dated and Carsten worked on a lot of very similar material, it has not been possible to order these items in any way, with the exception of those numbered by Carsten himself. They have therefore simply been given a reference number (marked on the archival objects). Any researchers working with this material are encouraged to give us additional information in order to improve the descriptions.

Dates: unknown

Extent: 5 boxes

CAR 05/001 – Series of research notes on [? medieval records]. The notepads are numbered consecutively.

CAR 05/001/01 – Notepad labelled 'U[?] + A 10, 15, 15' and '200-99'. ['U + A' probably stands for "Urkunden und Aktenstücke".]

CAR 05/001/02 – Notepad labelled 'Agrar 300-99'

CAR 05/001/03 – Notepad labelled '400-599'.

CAR 05/001/04 – Notepad labelled '600-99'.

CAR 05/001/05 – Notepad labelled "FBPG" [probably "Forschungen zur brandenburgischen und preussischen Geschichte"].

CAR 04/001/06 – Notepad labelled '900-999'.

CAR 05/002 – Black notebook with various manuscript notes.

CAR 05/003 – Blue notebook with various manuscript notes.

CAR 05/004 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/005 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/006 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/007 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/008 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/009 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/010 – Loose leaf notes, from an envelope labelled “Baynes: Notes on German history + politics”. These notes are not in Francis Carsten’s handwriting.

CAR 05/011 – Photostats of archive material regarding Austrian members of the NSDAP. The original documents date from approximately 1931 to 1942. The envelope they were kept in was labelled “Berlin Document Center”. German

CAR 05/012 – Notepad with manuscript notes. German and Dutch

CAR 05/013 – Notepad with manuscript notes. Cover is labelled “Excerpts for Chapter I”.

CAR 05/014 – Notepad with manuscript notes. Cover is labelled “Excerpts for Chapter I”.

CAR 05/015 – Manuscript checklists of villages in different years.

CAR 05/016 – Manuscript and typescript notes, including lists of villages and bibliographies

CAR 05/017 – Notepad with manuscript notes and loose typescript pages

CAR 05/018 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/019 – Notepad with manuscript notes.

CAR 05/020 – Typed transcription of “Historie von dem Auffruhr [sic] der Samländischen Bauren“

CAR 05/021 – Notes, probably made for the handbooks for the Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force. Includes manuscript and typescript notes and Photostat copies.

CAR 05/022 – Loose manuscript notes.

CAR 05/023 – Notes on prices for different commodities in the Middle Ages. Also includes parts of a typescript about the Baltic.

CAR 05/024 – Notepad with manuscript notes on Frederick William I.

CAR 05/025 – Typescript notes on Prussia

CAR 05/026 – Typescript notes on the German Communist Party and pacifist movement

CAR 05/027 – Typescript notes on elections in Germany in 1932

CAR 05/028 – Notes on Arthur Rosenberg, anti-Semitism in Austria, German identity, Christian Karl Josias von Bunsen and the Thirty Years' War

CAR 05/029 – Notes on the Reichswehr (German army)

CAR 05/030 – Typescript notes about resistance to national socialism in Germany, including transcripts of oral history accounts and court hearings

CAR 06 – Teaching and lecturing

Dates: 1947 – 1993

Extent: 3 boxes

CAR 06/001 – „Deutsch-Englischer Brains Trust in Buchstaben“. „Erinnerungs-Schrift der Teilnehmer am Sommerlehrgang für Volkshochschullehrer in Rendsburg vom 11. 8. – 31. 8. 1947. In Dankbarkeit gewidmet ihren englischen Dozenten E Bramstedt, H C Hillmann, Kurt Mandelbaum, F L Carsten.“

CAR 06/002 – Typescript of structured notes entitled „‘Austria’ in the Middle Ages“. With m/s annotations. Possibly teaching material.

CAR 06/003 – Typescript of structured notes entitled „The Habsburg Empire“. With manuscript annotations. Possibly teaching material.

CAR 06/004 – Probably teaching material. Includes a bibliography; manuscript notes on “The Origins and Rise of the Junkers” with note “Lectures, Senate H[ou]se, Oct 1948”; typescript notes (with annotations) on topics including Prussia, the Habsburg Empire, the Holy Roman Empire, Bohemia, the German Estates (‘Landstände’), Bismarck, workers’ movements, the Weimar Republic, Prussian and German armies, the Third Reich, Austria, fascism, German historiography; history of Russia, China, Korea, India, France. Also some loose pages / untitled notes. Notes on Maria Theresa. Reading list for University of London course in Later Medieval European History (1959-60). Manuscript notes and press cuttings on a variety of other subjects.

CAR 06/005 – Transcripts and drafts of lectures given on the BBC: ‘Das Dritte Reich’ (transmitted on 5 June 1955), ‘The Political Role of the German Army’ (transmitted on 27 September 1955; also includes relevant newspaper cuttings) and ‘Bismarck’ (transmitted on 16 October 1955). Also includes drafts of lectures on ‘East and West – the Beginning of a Divergent Development’, ‘The Failure of Weimar’ and ‘The Weakness of the Liberal Tradition in Germany’. English, German and French.

CAR 06/006 – “From Scharnhorst to Schleicher – the Prussian Officer Corps in Politics, 1806 – 1933“. Two typescript drafts of lecture given by F L Carsten. Undated, probably late 1950s.

CAR 06/007 – Posters advertising lectures by F L Carsten: “Die Reichswehr und Sowjetrusland“ at the Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität on 1 June 1962 and “Entstehung und Geschichte des Junkertums“ at the Historische Gesellschaft zu Berlin on 20 February 1963.

CAR 06/008 – Draft of a lecture about the German Estates ('Landstände') given by F L Carsten in Göttingen on 10 May 1964.

CAR 06/009 – "'Geschichte von unten – Geschichte von innen'. Kontroversen um die Alltagsgeschichte. Kurseinheit 1" by F J Brüggemeier and J Kocka. Learning material for a course on Alltagsgeschichte ('everyday history') taught by the Fernuniversität Hagen, October 1985.

CAR 06/010 – Tomáš Garrigue Masaryk Conference at the School of Slavonic and East European Studies, University of London, 11-16 December 1986. Includes correspondence, programme, notes and copies of proposed papers.

CAR 06/011 – Transcript of an address "Richard Löwenthal und 'Neu beginnen'" given by F L Carsten at the 'Gedenksymposion für Richard Löwenthal' [memorial conference for Richard Löwenthal], 7-8 December 1991.

CAR 06/012 – Three typescript drafts of "Socialist and working-class opposition to National Socialism", paper given by F L Carsten at the conference "Resistance to National Socialism – Arbeiter, Christen, Jugendliche, Eliten" at the University of Nottingham, 8-9 January 1993. Also includes conference leaflet.

CAR 06/013 – Research notes on Bismarck and fascism. These were kept with F L Carsten's lecture notes. Undated

CAR 07 – Britisch-Deutscher Historikerverein and German Historical Institute London

Dates: 1968 – 1980

Extent: 3 boxes

CAR 07/001 – Documents regarding the establishment of a German Historical Institute in London. October 1968

CAR 07/002 – Documents regarding the establishment of a German Historical Institute in London. February 1969

CAR 07/003 – Copy of "Arbeiten angelsächsischer Forscher zur deutschen Geschichte und zur Geschichte der britisch-deutschen Beziehungen, die dem Staatsarchiv in Hannover bekanntgeworden sind, 1967-1969". Also includes newspaper cutting "Vienna reties the Windsor knot", 1968.

CAR 07/004 – List of members of the Anglo-German Group of Historians [Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis], 1971.

CAR 07/005 – Documents regarding the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis and German Historical Institute London, 1974-1975. Includes correspondence, draft rules and regulations

("Geschäftsordnung") of the German Historical Institute (including one with m/s annotations), lists of "Research in progress on British history and Anglo-German relations" at German and British universities and minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis from September 1974 and February 1975.

CAR 07/006 – Correspondence and documents of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1975-76. Also includes minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis in October 1975 and the German Historical Institute in December 1975.

CAR 07/007 – Typescript copy of "A short history of the premises once belonging to the Pharmaceutical Society of Great Britain" [the current premises of the German Historical Institute].

CAR 07/008 – Copy of the articles of association of the funders of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis ("Satzung des Vereins zur Förderung des Britisch-Deutschen Historikerkreises"), 1975.

CAR 07/009 – Documents of the German Historical Institute London, 1976. Includes correspondence, financial reports, annual reports and details of studentships and vacancies.

CAR 07/010 – Minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1976.

CAR 07/011 – Correspondence and minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1977.

CAR 07/012 – Annual reports, correspondence and minutes of meetings of the German Historical Institute London, 1977.

CAR 07/013 – List of attendees of the "Wissenschaftliche Tagung" at the German Historical Institute London, 1977.

CAR 07/014 – Documents of the German Historical Institute London, 1978. Includes annual reports, library reports, forward planning, scholarships and conference reports.

CAR 07/015 – Correspondence and minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1978-1979.

CAR 07/016 – Correspondence and minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1979-1981.

CAR 07/017 – Documents of the German Historical Institute London, 1980. Includes annual reports, library reports, forward planning and conference reports, including discussion of the Hildebrand controversy.

CAR 07/018 – Correspondence and minutes of meetings of the Britisch-Deutscher Historikerkreis, 1981-1982.

CAR 07/019 – Documents of the German Historical Institute London, 1981. Includes correspondence, annual reports and agendas.

CAR 07/020 – Documents of the German Historical Institute London, 1980. Includes annual reports, library reports, forward planning and reports on workshops and conferences.

CAR 08 – Correspondence

Dates: 1962 – 1983

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CAR 08/01 – Correspondence mostly about research for and publication of Carsten's works; 1962-1963

CAR 08/02 – Correspondence with Stephen Bird, Labour Party archivist, about information on William Gillies and Doreen Warriner; also includes notes on William Gillies and Doreen Warriner.
June 1981 – June 1983

CAR 09 – Press cuttings

Dates: 1938 - 1980

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09/01 Press cuttings

Dates: 1938 – 1977

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CAR 09/01/001 – Folder of press cuttings about Russia, 1945-1963. German and English

CAR 09/01/002 – Folder of press cuttings about Germany, 1941-1960. German and English

CAR 09/01/003 – Various press cuttings. 1938-1977, majority from 1969-1977. English, German, Dutch

09/02 Newspapers

Dates: 1938 – 1946

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CAR 09/02/001 – *Haagsche Post*, 23 April 1938. Dutch

CAR 09/02/002 – *Fotoreportage*, 7 May 1938. Dutch

CAR 09/02/003 – *Die Zeitung*, 9 October 1942

CAR 09/02/004 – *Die Zeitung*, 12 February 1943

CAR 09/02/005 – *Die Zeitung*, 9 April 1943

CAR 09/02/006 – *Die Wochenpost*, 22 March 1946

CAR 09/02/007 – *Die Wochenpost*, 5 April 1946

CAR 09/02/008 – *Die Wochenpost*, 21 June 1946

CAR 09/02/009 – *Die Wochenpost*, 8 November 1946

09/03 Journals and magazines

Dates: 1938 – 1980

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CAR 09/03/001 – *De Socialistische Gids. Maandschrift der Sociaal-Democratische Arbeiderspartij*, Jaargang XXIII, No.5, Mei 1938.

CAR 09/03/002 – *History Today*, January 1959.

CAR 09/03/003 – *Problems of Communism*, No 3, Vol VIII, May-June 1959.

CAR 09/03/004 – *Problems of Communism*, No 4, Vol VIII, July-August 1959.

CAR 09/03/005 – “Haben die Deutschen sich verändert?“ Issue 29 of *Magnum* magazine, April 1960.

CAR 09/03/006 – *History Today*, July 1960.

CAR 09/03/007 – *Survey* No 48, July 1963.

CAR 09/03/008 – *Die Deutsche Universitätszeitung*, January 1964

CAR 09/03/009 – *Der Spiegel*, 20 May 1964

CAR 09/03/010 – *Der Spiegel*, 27 May 1964

CAR 09/03/011 – *Der Spiegel*, 3 June 1964

CAR 09/03/012 – *Politikon. Göttinger Studentenzeitung für Niedersachsen*, No 9, January 1965

CAR 09/03/013 – *Der Spiegel*, 1 December 1975

CAR 09/03/014 – Supplement on Argentina from *The Economist*, 26 January 1980