Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co. Finding Aid

1) First Record -


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principle industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the “Central States.”

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

2) Second Record –


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as noted on index page of this volume) – “Compiled from original records, private plans and actual surveys by M.L. Bowers, Civil Engineer, Springfield, Mass., under the personal direction of Nathan Nirenstein with the assistance of [multiple] engineers.”

Dates Covered: 1946

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
3) Third Record –

**Name/Title of Collection:** Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Business Districts – Decentralized Shopping Areas.

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principle industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

4) Fourth Record –

**Name/Title of Collection:** Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate – National Location Maps – Downtown Retail Business Districts – Pennsylvania and Virginia Edition.

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** (as stated on the index page of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in twenty-one principal cities – the most extensive real estate survey ever compiled.”

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1950 edition

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
5) **Fifth Record** –

*Name/Title of Collection*: Nathan Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Business Districts – Decentralized Shopping Areas – Dominion of Canada – Vol. XV

*Material Creator*: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

*Purpose of Material*: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principal industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

*Dates Covered*: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

*Genres/Formats Represented*: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the dominion of Canada.

*Acquisition History*: Unknown

*Immediate Source of Acquisition*: Possibly Library of Congress

*Restrictions on Access/Production*: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

*Unique ID for Tracking within Repository*: Not cataloged as of yet

*Storage Location*: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

6) **Sixth Record** –


*Material Creator*: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

*Purpose of Material*: (as noted in the index of this volume) – “complete and accurate information on business locations, such as the percentage of locations, history of the city, principal industries, chain stores and aerial views” AND “Double Page Maps, Clockings, Aerial Views, Photographs of the following cities [within] New York, Michigan, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Florida.

*Dates Covered*: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

*Genres/Formats Represented*: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

*Acquisition History*: Unknown

*Immediate Source of Acquisition*: Possibly Library of Congress

*Restrictions on Access/Production*: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

*Unique ID for Tracking within Repository*: Not cataloged as of yet

*Storage Location*: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
7) Seventh Record -

**Name/Title of Collection:** Nathan Nirenstein’s National Occupancy Maps – Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Shopping Districts – Decentralized Areas – Atlas of the Central Pacific States – Vol. XII

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

8) Eighth Record –

**Name/Title of Collection:** Nathan Nirenstein’s National Occupancy Maps – Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Shopping Districts – Decentralized Areas – Atlas of the South Pacific States – Vol. XIII

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** (as noted in the index of this volume) – “complete and accurate information on business locations, such as the percentage of locations, history of the city, industries, chain stores and aerial views” AND “double page maps, colockings, aerial views, photographs of the following cities [within] Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming, Canada, Detroit Michigan and Yonkers New York.”

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
9) Ninth Record –


_Material Creator:_ Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

_Purpose of Material:_ (as noted in the index of this volume) – “Complete and accurate information on business locations, such as the percentage of locations, history of the city, industries, chain stores, aerial views” AND “Double Page Maps, Clockings, Aerial Views and Photographs of the Following Cities [within] Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Washington, Wyoming, Canada, Detroit Michigan and Yonkers New York.

_Dates Covered:_ Approx. 1925 – 1952?

_Genres/Formats Represented:_ Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

_Acquisition History:_ Unknown

_Immediate Source of Acquisition:_ Possibly Library of Congress

_Restrictions on Access/Production:_ Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

_Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:_ Not cataloged as of yet

_Storage Location:_ Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

10) Tenth Record –

_Name/Title of Collection:_ Nirenstein Real Estate – National Occupancy Maps – Downtown Retail Shopping Districts – Atlas of the Solid South (Southeastern States)

_Material Creator:_ Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

_Purpose of Material:_ (as noted in index of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in forty-two principal cities – the most extensive real estate survey ever compiled.”

_Dates Covered:_ Approx. 1951 edition

_Genres/Formats Represented:_ Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the Southeastern States.

_Acquisition History:_ Unknown

_Immediate Source of Acquisition:_ Possibly Library of Congress

_Restrictions on Access/Production:_ Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

_Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:_ Not cataloged as of yet

_Storage Location:_ Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
11) Eleventh Record –


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as noted in index of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in fifty principal cities – the most extensive central real estate survey ever compiled” AND “50 double page maps of the entire downtown retail shopping districts in the following cities (in New Jersey, New York and Maryland).”

Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

12) Twelfth Record –


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
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a) **Name/Title of Collection**: Nathan Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Shopping Districts – Decentralized Areas – **Boston 1 & 2, Brooklyn, Hampstead, Jamaica, White Plains**. – G1209 .51 Q46 N5

**Material Creator**: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material**: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered**: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented**: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History**: Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**: Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production**: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository**: Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location**: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


**Material Creator**: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material**: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principle industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered**: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented**: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the “Central States.”

**Acquisition History**: Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**: Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production**: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository**: Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location**: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


**Material Creator**: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material**: Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered**: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented**: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the “Central Pacific States.”

**Acquisition History**: Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**: Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production**: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository**: Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location**: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)
**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

**d) Name/Title of Collection:** Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Business Districts – Decentralized Shopping Areas. – G1201 Q46 N5 vol. 2

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principle industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

**Storage Location:** Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

**e) Name/Title of Collection:** Nirenstein Real Estate – National Occupancy Maps – Downtown Retail Shopping Districts – Middle Atlantic States Edition. – G1246 Q46 N5

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.
Purpose of Material: (as noted in index of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in fifty principal cities – the most extensive central real estate survey ever compiled” AND “50 double page maps of the entire downtown retail shopping districts in the following cities (in New Jersey, New York and Maryland).”

Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?
Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as noted on index page of this volume) – “Compiled from original records, private plans and actual surveys by M.L. Bowers, Civil Engineer, Springfield, Mass., under the personal direction of Nathan Nirenstein with the assistance of [multiple] engineers.”

Dates Covered: 1946

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as noted in the index of this volume) – “complete and accurate information on business locations, such as the percentage of locations, history of the city, principal industries, chain stores and aerial views” AND “Double Page Maps, Clockings, Aerial Views, Photographs of the following cities [within] New York, Michigan, Massachusetts, Connecticut and Florida.

Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?
Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

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Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as stated on the index page of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in twenty-one principal cities – the most extensive real estate survey ever compiled.”

Dates Covered: Approx. 1950 edition

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress
Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet

Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)


Material Creator: Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

Purpose of Material: (as noted in index of this volume) – “preferred real estate locations of business properties in forty-two principal cities – the most extensive real estate survey ever compiled.”

Dates Covered: Approx. 1951 edition

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the Southeastern States.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

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Dates Covered: Approx. 1925 – 1952?

Genres/Formats Represented: Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels.

Acquisition History: Unknown

Immediate Source of Acquisition: Possibly Library of Congress

Restrictions on Access/Production: Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

Unique ID for Tracking within Repository: Not cataloged as of yet
Storage Location: Map Library, 410 McGilvrey Hall (Non-circulating)

**Name/Title of Collection:** Nathan Nirenstein’s Preferred Real Estate Locations – Downtown Business Districts – Decentralized Shopping Areas – *Dominion of Canada* – Vol. XV. – G1116 Q46 N5

**Material Creator:** Nirenstein’s National Realty Map Co.

**Purpose of Material:** Complete and Accurate Information on Business Locations, such as “the percentage of locations,” “history of the city,” “principle industries,” “chain stores,” and “aerial views.” Lists itself as “the standard reference for banks, chain stores, colleges, insurance companies, investors, libraries, realtors, state, country and municipal offices” (Nirenstein Index, p. 2).

**Dates Covered:** Approx. 1925 – 1952?

**Genres/Formats Represented:** Detailed information regarding elements of real estate, aerial images of properties, history of area, physical maps of real estate parcels and information regarding those parcels in the dominion of Canada.

**Acquisition History:** Unknown

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Possibly Library of Congress

**Restrictions on Access/Production:** Non-circulating collection; for use in Map Library only

**Unique ID for Tracking within Repository:** Not cataloged as of yet

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