

11. Item # MANZ 3298 (steamer trunk and other furniture)

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Tape 4, Side A (CD), Track 4, 1:58 – 2:54

RP: Can you describe what your apartment looked like during camp. Did you acquire furniture? You said that you had some items shipped up to camp.

SS: Yes, there were crates and we used the crates as tables.

RP: Oh, good idea.

SS: And then my mother had a horizontal steamer trunk. And she had a vertical trunk where you can lift that top and the clothes are all hanging in there. But I think somewhere, somehow, my father acquired some chairs that were made by our neighbor himself. So, we had, I think, four chairs.

RP: Did you mail-order a lot for the items?

SS: We mail-ordered some but not a lot because there wasn't much space to put things.