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**Collector:** Kapusta, Alvin, collector

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### Access Points

Remizov, Aleksei, 1877-1957.

Russian literature.

Art--Soviet Union.

Russians in foreign countries.

Soviet Union.

Russia.

### Scope and Content

This collection was assembled by Alvin Kapusta, a special assistant for Soviet nationalities in the U.S. State Department. He received his education at Minot State College and the University of California, Berkeley.

The collection consists of printed matter related to Russian and East European cultural and literary figures, to bibliographies of their work and to bibliographical material in general. There is a detailed collection of printed matter related to the Russian author, Aleksei Remizov, including photocopies of his writings. Finally, there is a substantial amount of material dealing with the "Stundist" Movement in the Ukraine and the

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U.S., including accounts of religious persecution in the U.S.S.R.

The bulk of the collection covers the period from 1950-1980. The Aleksei Remizov material includes photocopies of books published from 1908-1955.

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Boxes 1-4	<b>BIBLIOGRAPHICAL FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Bibliographical material related to Russia and Eastern Europe. Includes bibliographical guides, and guides to libraries, archives and printing houses dealing with Russian and East European material.
Boxes 5-15	<b>BIOGRAPHICAL FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Biographical material from periodical press re Russian cultural and literary figures, including dissident and Soviet writers.
Boxes 16-30	<b>ALEKSEI REMIZOV FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Bibliographical and biographical material re Aleksei Remizov, photocopies and translations of his writings, critical works re Remizov and miscellaneous material related to Alvin Kapusta's study of this writer.
Boxes 31-35	<b>SUBJECT FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> General material related to Eastern Europe and the U.S.S.R. including history, religion, nationalism and dissident movements.
Box 36	<b>ALVIN KAPUSTA WRITINGS</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Typescripts and photocopies of Alvin Kapusta's writings.
Boxes 37-39	<b>INDEX CARD FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Material on Russian and East European bibliography and literature.
	<b>AUDIO-VISUAL FILE</b> <b>Scope and Content Note</b> Photographs of Russian and East European writers, cultural figures and dissidents.
	<b>BIBLIOGRAPHICAL FILE</b> <b>General</b> Box 1, Folder 1 <b>Librovich, S.F., <i>Istoriia knigi v Rossii</i>, 1914</b> Folder 2 <b>Preservation, Russian material</b> Folder 3 <b>Russian literature, price lists</b> Folder 4 <b>Slavic archives outside the Soviet Union, arranged by country</b> Folder 5 <b>Slavic book</b>

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Box 2, Folder 1-2	<b>Library of Congress. Alexis Babine Collection, miscellaneous material including correspondence</b>
	<b>Slavic books at the Library of Congress</b>
	<b>Russian emigre</b>
Folder 3	<b>Bibliographical guide</b>
Folder 4	<b>Book abroad</b>
Folder 5	<b>Journals</b>
Folder 6	<b>Press</b>
Box 3, Folder 1	<b>Publishing houses in the West dealing with Russian material, arranged alphabetically</b>
	<b>Writers, arranged alphabetically</b>
Folder 2	<b>General</b>
Folder 3	<b>Poets</b>
	<b>U.S.S.R.</b>
Folder 4	<b>Archives</b>
Folder 5-6	<b>Collectors and collections</b>
Box 4, Folder 1	<b>Libraries</b>
Folder 2-3	<b>Library science</b>
	<b>Soviet Republics, includes directories of periodicals, presses and libraries both within the Soviet Union and in emigration</b>
Folder 4	<b>Armenia</b>
Folder 5	<b>Belorussia</b>
Folder 6	<b>Georgia</b>
Folder 7	<b>Latvia</b>
Folder 8	<b>Lithuania</b>
Folder 9	<b>Moldavia</b>
Folder 10	<b>Turkistan</b>
Folder 11	<b>Soviet nationalities collections in the D.C. area</b>

**BIOGRAPHICAL FILE**

	<b>Russian literary and cultural figures</b>
Box 4, Folder 12-13	<b>General, 1957-1977. Includes biographical material, interviews and book reviews from periodical press</b>
Box 5, Folder 1-2	<b>General, 1957-1977</b>
Folder 3	<b>A</b>
Folder 4	<b>B</b>
Folder 5	<b>C</b>
Folder 6	<b>D</b>
Box 6, Folder 1	<b>E-F</b>
Folder 2	<b>G-I</b>
Folder 3	<b>K-L</b>
Folder 4	<b>M</b>
Folder 5	<b>N</b>
Folder 6	<b>O-P</b>
Box 7, Folder 1	<b>R</b>
Folder 2	<b>S</b>
Folder 3	<b>T</b>
Folder 4	<b>U-W</b>
Folder 5	<b>Y</b>
Folder 6	<b>Z</b>
	<b>Dissidents and dissident writers, Soviet Union. Includes biographical material, interviews and book reviews from periodical press</b>
Box 8, Folder 1	<b>General</b>
Folder 2	<b>A-M</b>
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Folder 6	<b>Brodsky, Iosif</b>
Folder 7-9	<b>Daniel, Iulii, "Delo Andreia Siniavskogo i Iulii Daniela"</b>
Box 9, Folder 1	<b>Daniel, Iulii, "Delo Andrea Siniavskogo i Iulii Daniela"</b>

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Folder 2	<b>Kuznetsov, Anatolii</b>
Folder 3	<b>Maksimov, Vladimir</b>
Folder 4	<b>Nekrasov, Victor</b>
Folder 5	<b>Siniavskii, Andrei. See also Daniel, Iulii above</b>
	<b>Solzhenitsyn, Aleksandr. Clippings from Western press</b>
Folder 6-7	<b>General</b>
Folder 8	<b>1965-1969</b>
Folder 9	<b>1970-1974</b>
Box 10, Folder 1	<b>1975-1976</b>
Folder 2	<b>1977-1980</b>
	<b>Russian emigre writers</b>
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Folder 2	<b>S-Z</b>
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Box 12, Folder 1	<b>C-D</b>
Folder 2	<b>E</b>
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Folder 5	<b>H-I</b>
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Box 13, Folder 1	<b>L-M</b>
Folder 2	<b>N-O</b>
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Folder 4	<b>R-S</b>
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Box 14, Folder 1	<b>T</b>
Folder 2	<b>U-V</b>
Folder 3	<b>W-Z</b>
Folder 4	<b>Aldanov, Mark</b>
Folder 5	<b>Avterkhanov, A.</b>
Folder 6	<b>Bakhrakh, Aleksandr</b>
Folder 7	<b>Berezov, Rodion</b>
Folder 8	<b>Bunin, Ivan</b>
Folder 9	<b>Elagin, Ivan</b>
Folder 10	<b>Fesenko, Tat'iana</b>
Folder 11	<b>Filippov, Boris</b>
Box 15, Folder 1	<b>Gul', Roman</b>
Folder 2	<b>Ivask, IUrii</b>
Folder 3	<b>Khodasevich, V.</b>
Folder 4	<b>Klenovskii, Dmitrii</b>
Folder 5	<b>Koriakov, Mikhail</b>
Folder 6	<b>Kuprin, Aleksandr</b>
Folder 7	<b>Levitskii, Sergei</b>
Folder 8	<b>Meier, IUrii</b>
Folder 9	<b>Merezhkovskii, Dmitrii</b>
Folder 10	<b>Nabokov, Vladimir</b>
Folder 11	<b>Ossorgin, M.</b>
Folder 12	<b>Polchaninov, R.</b>
Folder 13	<b>Pushkarev, S.</b>
Folder 14	<b>Rafal'skii, S.</b>
Folder 15	<b>Rzhevskii, Leonid</b>
Folder 16	<b>Sedykh, Andrei</b>
Folder 17	<b>Shakhovskoi, Archbishop Ioann</b>
Folder 18	<b>Shmelev, Ivan</b>
Folder 19	<b>Struve, Gleb</b>
Folder 20	<b>Teffi</b>

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Folder 21	<b>Terapiano, IUrii</b>
Folder 22	<b>Tsvetaeva, Marina</b>
Folder 23	<b>Weidle, Vladimir</b>
Folder 24	<b>Zamiatin, Evgenii</b>
Folder 25	<b>Zaitsev, Boris</b>
	<b>Third emigration. Clippings from periodical press, arranged alphabetically</b>
Box 16, Folder 1	<b>A-K</b>
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## ALEKSEI REMIZOV FILE

Box 16, Folder 3-5	<b>General archive, includes photocopies of correspondence, bibliographical, biographical and critical material and writings by the author</b>
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	<b>Bibliography</b>
Folder 3-5	<b>General</b>
Box 19, Folder 1-6	<b>General</b>
Box 20, Folder 1-6	<b>General</b>
Box 21, Folder 1-4	<b>Minor works</b>
Folder 5	<b>Major works</b>
	<b>Photocopies of published works</b>
Box 22, Folder 1	<b><i>Akhru. Povest' peterburgskaia, 1922</i></b>
Folder 2	<b><i>Bezpriutnaia, 1922</i></b>
Folder 3	<b><i>Chasy, 1908</i></b>
Folder 4-5	<b><i>Chortov log i polunoshchnoe solntse. Razskazy i poemy, 1908</i></b>
Folder 6	<b><i>Chto est' tabak, n.d.</i></b>
Folder 7	<b><i>Dokuka i balagur'e, 1914</i></b>
Folder 8	<b><i>E. Tibetskii skaz, 1922</i></b>
Folder 9	<b><i>Golubinaia kniga, 1946</i></b>
Folder 10	<b><i>Koriavka, 1922</i></b>
Folder 11	<b><i>Kukkha. Rozanovy pis'ma, 1923</i></b>
Folder 12	<b><i>Lalazar. Kavkazskii skaz, 1922</i></b>
Box 23, Folder 1	<b><i>Limonad. Sirech': put' dukhovnyi, 1907</i></b>
Folder 2	<b><i>Meliuzina Bruntsvik, 1952</i></b>
Folder 3	<b><i>Myshkina dudochka, 1953</i></b>
Folder 4	<b><i>Nikola milostivyi, 1918</i></b>
Folder 5	<b><i>Nikoliny pritchi, n.d.</i></b>
Folder 6	<b><i>O lude printse Iskariotskom, 1908</i></b>
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Folder 8	<b><i>Ognaia Rossiia, n.d.</i></b>
Folder 9	<b><i>Ogon' veshchii. Sny i predson'e, 1954</i></b>
Folder 10	<b><i>Podorozh'e, 1913</i></b>
Folder 11	<b><i>Posolon, 1906</i></b>
Folder 12	<b><i>Povest' o Ivane Semenoviche Stratilatove, 1922</i></b>
	<b><i>Prud, 1908</i></b>
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Folder 5	<b><i>Russkiiia zapiski, July 1939</i></b>
Folder 6	<b><i>Skazki obez'ian'iago tsaria Asyki, n.d.</i></b>
Folder 7	<b><i>Skazki Russkago Naroda skazanniya Alekseem Remizovym, 1923</i></b>
Folder 8	<b><i>Sobach'ia dolia, 1922</i></b>
Folder 9	<b><i>Snezhok, 1918</i></b>
Folder 10	<b><i>Strannitsa . Povest', 1918</i></b>
Box 25, Folder 1	<b><i>Tri serpa, 1929</i></b>
Folder 2	<b><i>Tsar' Dodon, 1921</i></b>

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Folder 3	<i>Tsar' Maksimilian, 1920</i>
Folder 4	<i>Ukrepa, 1916</i>
Folder 5	<i>V pole blakitnom, 1922</i>
Folder 6	<i>Vesennee porosh'e, 1915</i>
Folder 7	<i>Za sviatuiu Rus'. Dumy o rodnoi zemle, 1915</i>
Folder 8	<i>Zavetnye skazki, n.d.</i>
Folder 9	Miscellaneous short work, 1905-1955
Folder 10	Biographical material
Box 26, Folder 1	Reminiscences about Remizov
Folder 2	Correspondence
	Criticism
Folder 3	Bibliography of critical material
Folder 4	Rysten'ko, A.V., <i>Zametki o sochineniakh Alekseia Remizova, 1913</i>
Folder 5	Soviet
Folder 6	A
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Folder 2	D-G
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Folder 4	J-K
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Folder 2	T-X
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	Translations of his work
Folder 4-5	General
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	Visual material
Folder 2	Drawings and calligraphy, critical material
Folder 3	Photocopies of drawings for frontispieces
Folder 4	<i>Images of Aleksei Remizov, drawings and handwritten and illustrated albums from Thomas P. Whitney Collection</i>
	Kapusta, Alvin. Miscellaneous material related to his study of Remizov
Folder 5-6	General
Box 30, Folder 1	General
Folder 2	Correspondence re Remizov, arranged alphabetically
Folder 3	Book search, want lists
Folder 4	Work file
Folder 5	Working folder
Box 31, Folder 1	Work plans and preparations

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Folder 3-7	Central Asia
Box 32, Folder 1	Central Asia
Folder 2	Czechoslovakia
Folder 3	Ethnic organizations. Includes guides and directories, 1975-1983
Folder 4	Poland
	Religion
	Baptists in the U.S.S.R., material related to persecution
Folder 5	Amnesty International. Bulletins and correspondence, 1979-1983
Folder 6	International Representation For the Council of Evangelical Baptist Churches of the Soviet Union Inc., bulletins, 1983-1984
	"Biulleten' soveta rodstvennikov uznikov evangel'skikh khristian-baptistov v S.S.S.R."
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Folder 10	<b>No. 39</b>
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Folder 13	<b>No. 42</b>
Folder 14	<b>No. 51</b>
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Folder 2	<b>Unofficial religious publications</b>
	<b>"Stundism"</b>
Folder 3	<b>General</b>
Folder 4-5	<b>History</b>
Folder 6	<b>Russian emigres. General</b>
Box 34, Folder 1	<b>Russian emigres. General</b>
Folder 2	<b><i>Vozrozhdenie. Miscellaneous photocopies</i></b>
	<b>Ukraine</b>
Folder 3	<b>Bibliographical material</b>
Folder 4	<b>History</b>
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	<b>Yugoslavia</b>
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Folder 8	<b>Mihajlov, Mihajlo</b>

**ALVIN KAPUSTA WRITINGS**

**Additional Note**

Typescript copies unless otherwise indicated

Box 36, Folder 1	<b>"East Slavic Genealogy"</b>
Folder 2	<b>"The First Slavonic Bible, 1581 and Ivan Fedorov"</b>
Folder 3	<b>"75th Anniversary First Baptist Church, Max, North Dakota", printed copies, 1983</b>
Folder 4	<b>"Soviet Nationalities: Archives in a Submerged Nation. The Case of the Ukraine"</b>
Folder 5	<b>"The State Records of Today's Superpowers: How the U.S. and the U.S.S.R. Manage Their National Archival Heritage"</b>

**INDEX CARD FILE**

Box 37-39	<b>Includes material on Russian and East European bibliography and literature</b>
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**AUDIO-VISUAL FILE**

**Additional Note**

See photo card catalog