

**WORLD WAR, 1939-1945,
GERMAN CONCENTRATION CAMPS AND PRISONS COLLECTION**

REALIA. – [ca. 1939-1945] – 6 items

Box and Item Numbers

Box 15 – Items 2858 to 2863

Stars of David

2858 and 2859

- **French Stars of David -- “Juif”.** One is worn (2858) and one is unused and in rectangular format (2859); used in France. These were purchased with other WWII documents in Paris ca. 1978.

See Alec S. Tulkoff. *Counterfeiting the Holocaust*. Atglen (PA), Schiffer, 2000 p. 15 (bottom right) and p.16 (top left) for identical examples. These are definitely genuine.

2860

- **German Star of David -- “Jude”.** These were worn in Germany and parts of occupied Poland. This particular star was **pictured on the cover of volume 1 of Erik Lordahl’s book** on Concentration Camp mail and it was purchased from him.

See Tulkoff p.7 for an identical example. This is definitely genuine.

2861

- **Counterfeit Star of David Jewish.** Attached to a fictitious armband and fake Waffemamt.

An identical example is pictured in Tulkoff p.62 (top left). Hundreds of those are being offered on the market especially on eBay. It is included here for comparison purposes.

Other Prisoner Badges

These items are from unidentified camps.

2862

- **Czech badge** - a red cloth triangle folded on card with a large “T”. These were worn by Czech prisoners. Purchased from Erik Lordahl and seems genuine.

2863

- **Prisoner number badge** - a white rectangular piece of cloth on card with the number “18846”. This was a prisoner number. These were worn by prisoners. Purchased from Erik Lordahl and seems genuine.