

# Guide to the 275th Anniversary Commemoration, Yale University, Records

RU 15



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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 15

**TITLE:** 275th Anniversary Commemoration, Yale University, records

**DATES:** 1923-1977

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.5 linear feet (1 box)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** Yale University celebrated its 275th anniversary on 15 October 1976. The records primarily consist of background materials, drafts and transcripts of ceremonial remarks, and writings by invited speakers, including a commemorative poem by Archibald Macleish.

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## Requesting Instructions

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b.      box  
f.      folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

The records were transferred from the Office of the President, May 1977.

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### Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

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## Preferred Citation

275th Anniversary Commemoration, Yale University, Records (YRU 15). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

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## Scope and Contents

Yale University celebrated its 275th anniversary on 15 October 1976. The records primarily consist of background materials, drafts and transcripts of ceremonial remarks, and writings by invited speakers, including a commemorative poem by Archibald Macleish.

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## General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 2-A (YRG 2-A), Records of the President.

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## Arrangement

The records are arranged alphabetically by subject, name, or form of material.

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## Collection Contents

### Series I: 275th commemoration records

b. 1, f. 1	1976	
b. 1, f. 2	Haskins, Caryl P. to Kingman Brewster, Jr., enclosure: preliminary draft of ceremony remarks	1976 September 29
	Macleish, Archibald	
b. 1, f. 3-7	Background material for 275th anniversary poem, 1923-1977 See also: <a href="#">Warch, Richard: letter with enclosures, box 1 folder 14</a>	
b. 1, f. 8	Correspondence regarding 275th anniversary poem	1976 July-August
b. 1, f. 9	Various writings, 1976	
b. 1, f. 10	Pierson, George W. to Kingman Brewster, Jr., enclosure: text of speech, "Yale's 275th Birthday"; text of program for 275th Anniversary ceremony with corrections, typescript	1976 November 3
b. 1, f. 11	Program and invitation to 275th anniversary ceremony, 1976 Oct 15	
b. 1, f. 12	Talbot, Strobe to Kingman Brewster, Jr., enclosure: text of remarks for program	1976 October 11
b. 1, f. 13	Text of anniversary ceremony with corrections	1976
b. 1, f. 14	Warch, Richard to Kingman Brewster, Jr., with enclosures: xerox copies of biographies of Yale men See also: <a href="#">Macleish, Archibald, Background material for 275th anniversary poem, box 1, folders 3-7</a>	1976 August 20

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Subjects**

Anniversaries

### **Corporate Body**

Yale University -- Anniversaries, etc.