

# Guide to the Alexander Orr Vietor, Secretary of the Council on the Library and Museums, Yale University, Records

RU 564



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## Collection Overview

**REPOSITORY:** Manuscripts and Archives  
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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 564

**CREATOR:** Yale University. Council on the Library and Museums

**TITLE:** Alexander Orr Vietor, secretary of the Council on the Library and Museums,  
Yale University, records

**DATES:** 1935-1950

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.5 linear feet

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The records consist of correspondence, memoranda, financial papers, and press releases documenting Alexander Vietor's activities as secretary of the Yale Council on the Library and Museums.

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## Requesting Instructions

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b.      box  
f.      folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

## **Preferred Citation**

Alexander Orr Vietor, Secretary of the Council on the Library and Museums, Yale University, Records (RU 564). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

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## **Scope and Contents**

The records consist of correspondence, memoranda, financial papers, and press releases documenting Alexander Vietor's activities as secretary of the Yale Council on the Library and Museums.

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## **General note**

Forms part of Yale Record Group 1-C (YRG 1-C), Records of Yale University advisory groups.

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## **Arrangement**

The records are arranged by subject.

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## Collection Contents

### Accession 1978-A-015: Records, 1935-1950

b. 1, f. 1	Correspondence, memoranda, miscellaneous	1944-1947
b. 1, f. 2	Financial papers: expense accounts, salary budgets, etc.	1944-1950
b. 1, f. 3	Press releases, correspondence about publicity, and clippings	1944-1947
b. 1, f. 4	Samples of acknowledgments	1944
Correspondence with Wilmarth Sheldon Lewis		
b. 1, f. 5	1944 September 1 - 1946 September 26	1944 September 1 - 1946 September 26
b. 1, f. 6	1945 Oct 9 - 1947 Dec 15 (includes typescript of Lewis' <i>The Yale Collections</i> )	
b. 1, f. 7-8	Library-Museums convocation: schedules, lists of guests and honorands, room arrangements, official correspondence	1946-1947
b. 1, f. 9	Correspondence with other museums, museum associations, and libraries	1944-1946
	Correspondence with collectors and donors	1944-1947
b. 1, f. 10	A-B	
b. 1, f. 11	C-K	
b. 1, f. 12	L-T	
b. 1, f. 13	Correspondence and other papers of Wilmarth Sheldon Lewis concerning Yale collections: official Correspondence, correspondence with collectors and donors, Alumni Board meeting minutes, clippings	1935-1944

## **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.

### **Names**

Vietor, Alexander O.

### **Corporate Bodies**

Yale University. Council on the Library and  
Museums

Yale University. Library

Yale University -- Libraries

Yale University -- Museums