

Guide to the Franklin B. Dexter, Secretary of Yale University, Records

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CALL NUMBER: RU 51

CREATOR: Yale University. Office of the Secretary

TITLE: Franklin B. Dexter, secretary of Yale University, records

DATES: 1833-1910

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 1.25 linear feet (3 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The records consist of correspondence, subject files, and related materials concerning Yale Corporation affairs, scholarships and prizes, honorary degrees, and other activities administered by the secretary's office during the tenure of Franklin B. Dexter, 1869-1899.

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b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Preferred Citation

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Scope and Contents

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General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 4-A (YRG 4-A), Records of the Yale secretary's office.

Arrangement

Arranged by subject.

Collection Contents

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| b. 1, f. 2 | Correspondence | 1876-1910 |
| b. 1, f. 3 | Correspondence: miscellaneous | 1883-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 4 | Correspondence: miscellaneous, re: admission | 1846-1897 |
| b. 1, f. 5 | Yale Corporation: correspondence | 1881-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 6 | Fellows of the Corporation: nominations and election | 1836-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 7 | Fellows of the Corporation: miscellaneous correspondence | 1872-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 8 | Miscellaneous letters of thanks to the Corporation | 1901 |
| b. 1, f. 9 | Buildings and lands: plans and suggestions | 1888 |
| b. 1, f. 10 | Yale Bicentennial Committee | 1898 |
| b. 1, f. 11 | Treasurer's Office: list of investments and expenses | Circa 1887 |
| b. 1, f. 12 | Faculty appointments and promotions | 1884-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 13 | Fellowships, scholarships, and prizes | 1879-1899 |
| b. 1, f. 14 | Art School: correspondence | 1871-1884, 1892-1898 |
| b. 2, f. 15 | Divinity School and Theological Department | 1888-1895 |
| b. 2, f. 16 | Law School | 1872-1885, 1887-1898 |
| b. 2, f. 17 | Library: correspondence | 1883-1890 |
| b. 2, f. 18 | Library acknowledgements | 1891-1899 |
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| b. 2, f. 20 | Observatory and Horological Bureau | 1886-1891 |
| b. 2, f. 21 | Sheffield Scientific School | 1881-1899 |
| b. 2, f. 22 | Degrees: B.A. | 1885-1899 |
| b. 2, f. 23 | Degrees: Ph.B., Sheffield Scientific School | 1885-1895 |
| b. 2, f. 24 | Degrees: undergraduate | 1893-1899 |
| b. 3, f. 25 | Degrees: M.A. | 1888-1893 |
| b. 3, f. 26 | Degrees: M.A. | 1888-1899 |
| b. 3, f. 27 | Degrees: D.D. | 1889-1899 |

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| b. 3, f. 28 | Degrees: LL.D. | 1888-1895 |
| b. 3, f. 29 | Degrees: B.F.A., M.A., and Ph.D., lists and regulations | 1889-1899 |
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| b. 3, f. 31 | Degrees: Honorary | 1872-1886 |
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| b. 3, f. 33 | Role of Honor: corrections | 1865-1866 |
| b. 3, f. 34 | Invitations from other universities | 1889-1894 |
| b. 3, f. 35 | Portraits: correspondence | 1833-1901 |
| b. 3, f. 36 | Proposed statue of President Dwight: correspondence | 1870-1871 |
| b. 3, f. 37 | Yale at the Centennial Exhibition: guest register | 1876 |

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

Degrees, Academic
Universities and colleges -- Administration

Corporate Bodies

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Yale University. Office of the Secretary
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