

# Guide to the Clive Day Papers

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**SUMMARY:** The papers contain correspondence, printed material, reports, and other papers documenting Clive Day's activities as an advisor to the American Commission to Negotiate Peace, a Yale University professor of political economy, and a member of the Connecticut Unemployment Commission.

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b.      box  
f.      folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Clive Day.

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## Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

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## Biographical / Historical

Clive Day was born in Hartford on February 11, 1871, and received his B. A. from Yale in 1892; he came from a long line of famous Yale men — indeed the direct line of Day's ancestry had had every generation represented at Yale since the founding of the College. Following a year of graduate studies at the University of Berlin, Day went to California and taught history and economics at Berkeley. Then, after another year of postgraduate work at the universities of Paris and Berlin, he returned to Yale and completed his Ph. D. requirements in 1899. That same year he embarked on his long and distinguished academic career at this university: at the time of his retirement in 1936 Day was Knox Professor of Political Economy and was the author of *Policy and Administration of the Dutch in Java* (1904); *A History of Commerce* (1907); *The Question of the Balkans* (1920); and *A History of Commerce in the United States* (1925). He wrote several books, served on many university committees, and was a member of the Connecticut Unemployment Commission, 1932-1933.

There was only one significant break in Day's academic career: late in 1917 he was asked to join Colonel E. M. House's "Inquiry" group as an adviser on economic questions relating to Austria-Hungary. During 1918 Day produced a large number of reports on Eastern and Central Europe which were meant to assist the intended American negotiators at the Paris Peace Conference. (Copies of many of these reports can be found in the Yale University Library's "The Inquiry Papers" [Mss. Group 8].) By December 1918, when the nucleus of the "Inquiry" experts had rejoined Colonel House in Paris, Day had emerged - *faute de mieux*, as he was always the first to point out - as the Chief of the entire Balkan Section of the Division of Territorial, Economic, and Political Intelligence of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace. Day remained in France until the signing of the treaty of Versailles and was directly involved in some of the most complicated debates and discussions bearing upon the territorial settlements imposed by the Conference on various segments of the former Ottoman and Austro-Hungarian empires. Indeed, Day's letters from Paris contain a mine of information about the peace conference in general and about the inner workings of the American Delegation more particularly. After his return from Europe Day contributed a chapter on "The Atmosphere and Organization of the Peace Conference" in the collection of essays edited by E. M. House and Charles Seymour entitled *What Really Happened at Paris* (1921). He died in 1951.

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## Scope and Contents

The Clive Day Papers contain correspondence, printed material, newspaper clippings, and other papers which document the career of Clive Day, an educator and political scientist. The papers document Day's role on behalf of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace (1917-1919) and as a faculty member at Yale University. The Day Papers date from 1892-1936, with the bulk dates of 1917-1936. The papers were donated to Yale University by Clive Day and are arranged in the following six series: I. GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE; II. PLATTSBURGH ARMY CAMP: MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS; III. PEACE CONFERENCE: CORRESPONDENCE,

1918-1919; IV. THE PARIS PEACE CONFERENCE: MISCELLANEOUS MEMORANDA AND REPORTS; V. PRINTED MATERIAL AND MEMORABILIA; and VI. YALE UNIVERSITY FILES.

SERIES I contains routine correspondence, exclusive of Peace Conference materials. SERIES II contains personal papers relating to Day's activities at the Plattsburg army camp. SERIES III-V contain correspondence, memoranda, reports, and printed material documenting Clive Day's role with the American Commission to Negotiate Peace following World War I. SERIES VI contains correspondence, papers, teaching materials, and other documents relating to Day's extensive involvement in faculty and university activities at Yale. Files for several university and faculty committees, courses and seminars, and other projects are arranged in this series. This includes files for committees on educational costs, fellowships, the source of study, and undergraduate reorganization.

In addition, several folders (box 7, folders 25-44) contain correspondence and papers relating to Day's activities on the Connecticut Unemployment Commission (1931-1933).

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## Collection Contents

### Series I: GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, 1915-1922

*0.5 linear feet (1 box)*

This series contains correspondence files arranged in alphabetical order by the name of the individual.

The number of items are contained in parentheses.

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b. 1, f. 1            Bayne, Hugh,(1922) (1)

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b. 1, f. 1A         Day, A. L. (1915-1918) (2)

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b. 1, f. 2            Day, E. L. (1918) (6)

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b. 1, f. 3            Day, E. P. (1915-1918) (56)

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b. 1, f. 4            Day, E. P. (1919-1920) (51)

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b. 1, f. 5            Day, E. L. to E. P. Day (n.d.) (2)

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b. 1, f. 6            Etkin, [          ] (1943) (1)

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b. 1, f. 7            Lewis, C. M. (1916-1920) (5)

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Seymour, Charles

See: "Clive Day" folders in the Charles Seymour Papers, General Correspondence Series

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## **Series II: PLATTSBURGH ARMY CAMP: MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, 1916**

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This series contains correspondence, a diary, printed material, newspaper clippings, and personal memorabilia, arranged in that order.

The number of items are contained in parentheses.

b. 2, f. 1	Correspondence with E. L. Day (35)
b. 2, f. 2	Correspondence with E. P. Day (3)
b. 2, f. 3	Plattsburgh Diary, n.d.
b. 2, f. 4	Printed Material
b. 2, f. 5	Newspaper Clippings
b. 2, f. 6	Personal Memorabilia

### **Series III: PEACE CONFERENCE: CORRESPONDENCE, 1918-1919**

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This series contains correspondence files arranged in alphabetical order by the name of the individual.

The number of items are contained in parentheses.

b. 3, f. 1	Andrews, C. E. (3)
b. 3, f. 2	Atkins, P. M. (2)
b. 3, f. 3	Auchincloss, Gordon (2)
b. 3, f. 4	Blegen, C. W. (2)
b. 3, f. 5	Bowman, Isaiah (11)
b. 3, f. 6	Bouffet, Germaine (1)
b. 3, f. 7	Buck, N. S. (1)
b. 3, f. 8	Bullitt, William C. (3)
b. 3, f. 9	Cambon, Jules (1)
b. 3, f. 10	Coolidge, Archibald (2)
b. 3, f. 11	Day, C. C. (2)
b. 3, f. 12	Day, E. L. (December 1918) (14)
b. 3, f. 13	Day, E. L. (January 1919) (17)
b. 3, f. 14	Day, E. L. (February 1919) (22)
b. 3, f. 15	Day, E. L. (March-June 1919) (17)
b. 3, f. 16	Day, E. L. to Ellen Day (n.d.) (1)
b. 3, f. 17	Day, E. L. to E. P. Day (1)
b. 3, f. 18	Day, Ellen and Margaret Day (8)
b. 3, f. 19	Day, E. P. (3)
b. 3, f. 20	Dulles, A. W. (2)
b. 3, f. 21	Fagure, E. D. (1)
b. 3, f. 22	Frazier, A. H. (1)
b. 3, f. 23	Greek Colony of Holyoke, Massachusetts (1)
b. 3, f. 24	Grew, Joseph (12)
b. 3, f. 25	Harrison, Leland (5)
b. 3, f. 26	Horchow, Reuben (2)
b. 3, f. 27	Hudson, M. O. (1)



b. 3, f. 28	Johnson, Douglas (2)
b. 3, f. 29	King, H. C. (1)
b. 3, f. 30	Konitza, Mehmed Bey (1)
b. 3, f. 31	Kozicki, H. (1)
b. 3, f. 32	Krajewski, J. (2)
b. 3, f. 33	Lansing, Robert (6)
b. 3, f. 34	Leigh, Maurice (2)
b. 3, f. 35	Lewis, Mrs.[from E. L. Day] (2)
b. 3, f. 36	Littell, Robert (1)
b. 3, f. 37	Lybyer, A. H. (1)
b. 3, f. 38	MacVeagh, M. L. [from E. L. Day] (2)
b. 3, f. 39	Mezes, S. E. (5)
b. 3, f. 40	Montgomery, G. (1)
b. 3, f. 41	Moon, P. T. (5)
b. 3, f. 42	Mosely, P. H. (1)
b. 3, f. 43	Newton, Whitney (5)
b. 3, f. 44	Nicolson, Harold (9)
b. 3, f. 45	Owen, R. S. (1)
b. 3, f. 46	Padgett, L. (1)
b. 3, f. 47	Pan-Albanian Federation of America (1)
b. 3, f. 48	Price, F.J. (1)
b. 3, f. 49	Robb, J. D. (2)
b. 3, f. 50	de St. Quentin, Captain (1)
b. 3, f. 51	Stine, O. C. (2)
b. 3, f. 52	Swartz, Esther (3)
b. 3, f. 53	Taussig, Dr. (1)
b. 3, f. 54	Tourtoulis, M. (1)
b. 3, f. 55	Venizelos, E. K. (1)
b. 3, f. 56	Vilaras, G. B. (1)
b. 3, f. 57	White, Henry (3)

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b. 3, f. 58	Whitehouse, Captain (1)
b. 3, f. 59	Wilson, Woodrow (2)
b. 3, f. 60	Zervos, Skevos [and P. Roussos] (1)
b. 3, f. 61	Zolger, F. (3)

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## Series IV: THE PARIS PEACE CONFERENCE: MISCELLANEOUS MEMORANDA AND REPORTS, 1919

0.5 linear feet (1 box)

This series contains files arranged in alphabetical order by topic/subject.

b. 4, f. 1	Albania: Map. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 2	Albania: Memorandum, Day to Mezes. (March 28, 1919)
b. 4, f. 3	Balkans: Miscellaneous articles and statements. (1919)
b. 4, f. 4	Balkans: Copy of Tentative Report and Recommendations on Boundaries. (January 21, 1919)
b. 4, f. 5	Balkans and Central Europe: Miscellaneous Reports on Boundaries. (April 26, 1919)
b. 4, f. 6	Balkans: Miscellaneous Trade Statistics. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 7	Bulgaria: Miscellaneous memoranda on trade statistics. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 8	Greece: Maps. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 9	Greek Claims in Albania and Bulgaria. Memorandum. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 10	Greeks in Anatolia: Miscellaneous memoranda. (1919)
b. 4, f. 11	Greek Irredenta in Ottoman Empire. Memorandum. (n.d.) [in French. no author.]
b. 4, f. 12	Greece: Day's notes on Conversations with Venizelos. (December 18, 19, 20, 1918)
b. 4, f. 13	Greece: Day's Memorandum to Lansing <i>re</i> : maps from Venizelos. (January 6, 1919)
b. 4, f. 14	Greece: Letter of American Members of Committee on Greek Territorial Claims to Jules Cambon. (March 14, 1919) [French text and draft in English]
b. 4, f. 15	Greece: Letter to Peace Conference from Society of Unredeemed Greeks. (February 20, 1919)
b. 4, f. 16	Greece: Reports of Central Committee on Territorial Questions. (March 17, 28, 1919)
b. 4, f. 17	Greece: Report of Central Committee on Territorial Questions. (n.d.) [printed]
b. 4, f. 18	Greece: Map on Territorial Development. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 19	Greece: Miscellaneous Ethnographical Maps. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 20	Greece: Miscellaneous Memoranda [and Map] on the Ethnography of Thrace. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 21	Greece: Memoranda on the Ethnography of Thrace by A. H. Lybyer. (March 13, April 3, 1919) [and Statistical Tables]
b. 4, f. 22	Greece: Memorandum on the Partition of Thrace. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 23	Greece: Memoranda on Statistics of the Population of Thrace by C. E. Andrews. (April 29, 1919)
b. 4, f. 24	Hungary: Memoranda on Mineral Production and Statistics. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 25	Klagenfurt Basin: Memoranda on Boundaries. (May 21, 22, 27, 1919)
b. 4, f. 26	New States: Report of Committee on. (n.d.) [printed]

b. 4, f. 27	Rumanian Territorial Commission-List of Members. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 28	Rumania: Memoranda on Bessarabia by A. N. Kroupensky and A. Ch. Schmidt. (n.d.) [French]
b. 4, f. 29	Rumania: Statement Recommending Attachment of Bessarabia to Russia. (n.d.) [in French. no author.]
b. 4, f. 30	Rumania: Copy of Memorandum from Douglas Johnson to E.M. House <i>re</i> : Conversation with Bratianu. (February 6, 1919)
b. 4, f. 31	Rumania: British Recommendations to Commission. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 32	Rumania: Report of Central Committee on Territorial Questions. (n.d.) [printed]
b. 4, f. 33	Rumania: Miscellaneous Statements and Statistics on the Dobrudja. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 34	Rumanian Territorial Commission: Draft articles. (n.d.) [French]
b. 4, f. 35	Rumania: Ethnographic Map. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 36	Rumania: Map <i>re</i> : Suggested Border Changes with Hungary. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 37	Rumanian Peace Treaty-Proofs of Annexes. (n.d.) [printed with corrections in ink]
b. 4, f. 38	Rumania: Excerpts from Commission Report on Transylvania. [French]
b. 4, f. 39	Statement on "The Ruin of the Slovene Nation." (n.d.) [no author]
b. 4, f. 40	Turkey, Boundaries: Miscellaneous Memoranda and Notes. (n.d.)
b. 4, f. 41	Turkey: Reactions to Greek Occupation of Smyrna. [cables; mimeographed] (May, 1919)
b. 4, f. 42	Yugoslavia: Report of Central Committee on Territorial Questions. (n.d.) [printed]

## Series V: PRINTED MATERIAL AND MEMORABILIA, 1914-1919

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This series contains printed material and memorabilia. Identified items (folders 1-7) are followed by miscellanea (folders 8-11).

b. 5, f. 1	"Appel de la Colonie Albanaise en Turquie aux Grandes Puissances de L'Entente et aux Etats-Unis D'Amerique." (May 19, 1914) English
b. 5, f. 2	"The Question of the Balkans" by Clive Day. (October 1920) English
b. 5, f. 3	Le Problème Ethnographique du Banat by Trajan Lalesco. (1919) [Paris]
b. 5, f. 4	"La Question de la Batchka" by J. Cvijic, J. Radonic, S. Stanojevic and H. Zeremsky. (1919) [Paris] English
b. 5, f. 5	"Cyprus Trusts in British Justice." Pamphlet by the Cyprus Deputation. (May 1919) [London] English
b. 5, f. 6	Miscellaneous pamphlets on Greek Claims in the Balkans and Asia Minor. (1918, 1919)
b. 5, f. 7	"Ethnographical Italo-Jugoslav-German Frontier" by Ant. Lazic. [Map] (n.d.) English
b. 5, f. 8	Miscellaneous pamphlets on Macedonia.
b. 5, f. 9	Miscellaneous pamphlets on Montenegro. (1919)
b. 5, f. 10	Miscellaneous pamphlets on Rumania. (1918)
b. 5, f. 11	Personal Memorabilia.

**Series VI: YALE UNIVERSITY FILES, 1892-1936***3.0 linear feet (7 boxes)*

This series contains files arranged in alphabetical order by topic/subject.

b. 6, f. 1	Academic Departments Survey	1928-1929, undated
b. 6, f. 2	Admission	1924-1934, undated
b. 6, f. 3	B.A. Degree	1928-1933, undated
b. 6, f. 4	Book Reviews	1926-1933, undated
b. 6, f. 5	Budget	1932-1933, undated
b. 6, f. 6	Calendar	1928-1935, undated
b. 6, f. 7	Carnegie Endowment For International Peace	1931-1932, undated
b. 6, f. 8	Committee on Inquiry	1935-1936, undated
b. 6, f. 9-12	Committee on Educational Costs	1927-1936, undated
b. 6, f. 13	Committee on Fellowships and Scholarships	1920-1926, undated
b. 6, f. 14-19	Committee on the Course of Study	1919-1934, undated
b. 6, f. 20	Committee on the Encyclopedia of Social Science	1924-1925, undated
b. 6, f. 21	Committee on the General Educational Needs of Yale College	1924
b. 6, f. 22	Committee on Undergraduate Reorganization	1928, undated
b. 6, f. 23	Committee on Uniform Regulations	1917-1920, undated
b. 6, f. 24	Committee To Appoint a New Dean	1924-1925, undated
b. 7, f. 25-44	Connecticut Unemployment Commission	1931-1933, undated
b. 8, f. 45-58	Correspondence	1907-1936
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b. 8, f. 59-60	Economics 10	1922-1935, undated
b. 8, f. 61-62	Economic History: Economics 20	1931-1933
b. 9, f. 63-66	Economic History: Economics 20	1933-1936, undated
b. 9, f. 67-68	Economic History: Graduate papers	1931-1932, undated
b. 9, f. 69	Economic History of the United States	1931, undated
b. 9, f. 70	Yale, Harvard, Princeton	undated
<u>Economics Department</u>		
b. 9, f. 71	General	1926-1933, undated
b. 9, f. 72-73	Correspondence	1916-1920, undated
b. 9, f. 74	Survey	1925, 1928, undated
b. 9, f. 75	Economics major	1936, undated
b. 9, f. 76	Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences	1931, undated
<u>Faculty, General</u>		
b. 9, f. 77-84	Minutes	1910-1917
b. 10, f. 85-103	Minutes	1918-1936
b. 10, f. 104-105	Fellowships	1920-1934, undated
b. 10, f. 106	Freshman Year	1926-1933, undated
b. 10, f. 107	Germany: papers	1892, 1898
b. 11, f. 108-109	Germany: papers	1898-1899, undated
b. 11, f. 110	Grades	1930-1934, undated
b. 11, f. 111	Graduate School	1922-1925, undated
b. 11, f. 112	Honorary degrees	1935
b. 11, f. 113	MacMillan Company	1938-1941, undated
b. 11, f. 114-115	Ph.D. degree	1934-1936

b. 11, f. 116	Plans for the development of Engineering at Yale	1920
b. 11, f. 117	Reading plan: general	1931-1932, undated
b. 11, f. 118	Report of the Department of Social and Political Scienceâ^^	1920, undated
b. 11, f. 119	Salaries	1918-1929, undated
b. 11, f. 120	Statistics	1908-1935, undated
b. 11, f. 121	Surveys	1920-1936
b. 11, f. 122	Tercentenary Commission	1932-1935, undated
b. 11, f. 123	Undergraduate Faculty of Arts and Sciences	1923-1930, undated
b. 11, f. 124	Vermont Historical Society	1929-1930, undated
	<u>Yale College</u>	
b. 11, f. 125	General	
b. 12, f. 126	Distribution of work	1908-1932, undated
b. 12, f. 127	Elective choices	1908-1936, undated
b. 12, f. 128	Executive Committee	1933
b. 12, f. 129	Report	1932-1933
b. 12, f. 130	Yale Press	1932
	<u>Yale University Library</u>	
b. 12, f. 131	Administration	1930-1931
b. 12, f. 132	Periodicals	1934
b. 12, f. 133	Miscellanea	1919-1923



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## 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.

Yale University -- Faculty  
Yale University -- Students

### Preferred Titles

*Treaty of Versailles (1919 June 28)*

### Subjects

Diplomats  
Eastern question (Balkan)  
World War, 1914-1918

### Geographic Names

Balkan Peninsula  
United States -- Foreign relations

### Names

Atkins, Paul M. (Paul Moody), 1892-  
Auchincloss, Gordon, 1886-1943  
Bowman, Isaiah, 1878-1950  
Bullitt, William C. (William Christian), 1891-1967  
Cambon, Jules, 1845-1935  
Coolidge, Archibald Cary, 1866-1928  
Day, Clive, 1871-1951  
Dulles, Allen, 1893-1969  
Frazier, Arthur Hugh, 1868-  
Grew, Joseph C. (Joseph Clark), 1880-1965  
Harrison, Leland, 1883-1951  
Horchow, Reuben  
Johnson, Douglas Wilson, 1878-1944  
Lansing, Robert, 1864-1928  
Lewis, Charlton Miner, 1866-1923  
Littell, Robert, 1896-  
Lybyer, Albert Howe, 1876-1949  
Mezes, Sidney Edward, 1863-1931  
Nicolson, Harold, 1886-1968  
Stine, O. C. (Oscar Clemen), 1884-1974  
Taussig, F. W. (Frank William), 1859-1940  
Venizelos, Eleutherios, 1864-1936  
White, Henry, 1850-1927  
Wilson, Woodrow, 1856-1924

### Corporate Bodies

Paris Peace Conference. United States  
Territorial Section (1919-1920. United States  
Territorial Section) -- 1919-1920