

# Guide to the Peabody Museum of Natural History, Yale University, Photographs of Collections

RU 863



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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 863

**TITLE:** Peabody Museum of Natural History, Yale University, photographs of collections

**DATES:** circa 1930-1969

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.02 linear feet (1 envelope)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The materials consist of photographs documenting collections in the Yale Peabody Museum of Natural History.

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- b. box
- f. folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Preferred Citation

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## **Scope and Contents**

The materials consist of photographs documenting collections in the Yale Peabody Museum of Natural History.

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## **General note**

Forms part of Yale Record Group 33-A (YRG 33-A), Records of the Peabody Museum of Natural History.

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## **Arrangement**

Arranged by topic.

## Collection Contents

### Series I: Photographs

Materials housed with RU 752: "Photographs of collections from the Yale Art Gallery"

b. 1, f. 1 - 16      RU 752 photographs (Refer to the Finding Aid for RU 752)

Peabody Museum photographs

b. 1, f. 17      Artifacts from human civilization

b. 1, f. 18      Artistic reproductions of "the way things were"

b. 1, f. 19      Skeletal remains, fossils, and reconstructed animals

b. 1, f. 20      Miscellaneous

## **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**

College science museums  
Natural history museums

### **Genres / Formats**

Photographs

### **Corporate Bodies**

Peabody Museum of Natural History  
Yale University -- Museums