

# Guide to the Department of Sociology, Yale University, Records

RU 421



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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** RU 421

**CREATOR:** Yale University. Dept. of Sociology

**TITLE:** Department of Sociology, Yale University, records

**DATES:** 1913-1967

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 4.5 linear feet (10 boxes)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The records consist of correspondence, subject files, and memoranda documenting the activities and operations of the Yale Department of Sociology.

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b. box  
f. folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Conditions Governing Access

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Some records in this finding aid have been redacted, as they include student names, donor names, and other restricted data. These records will not appear in the published finding aid.

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## Preferred Citation

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## Processing Information

Yale University records are arranged and described at the accession level by the creating office. The University Archives creates collection level descriptive records, but typically does no further arrangement and description at the accession level.

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## Scope and Contents

The records consist of correspondence, subject files, and memoranda documenting the activities and operations of the Yale Department of Sociology.

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## General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 14-B (YRG 14-B), Records of academic departments and programs of the Yale Faculty of Arts and Sciences.

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## Arrangement

The records are arranged as follows: I. Correspondence. II. Subject Files. III. Maurice R. Davie Files on Albert G. Keller. IV. Sumner Today. V. Surveys and Case Files.

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### Accession 1970-A-001: Records, 1913-1967

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1913-1967

Restricted until January 1, 2043.

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b. 8, f. 2	Correspondence file	1938-1940
b. 8, f. 3	Correspondence file	1941-1956, undated
b. 8, f. 4	Academic worksheets	1926-1942
b. 8, f. 5	"Applied sociology" two typescripts with corrections	1936 January
b. 8, f. 6	"What of Loyal Opposition?" typescript	1941 December
b. 8, f. 7	"English Teaching and the Classics" published article	1945 July 28
b. 8, f. 8	Bibliographies	1940-1942
b. 8, f. 9	Memorabilia and obituaries	1956-1967
	IV. Sumner Today	
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## V. Surveys and Case Files (continued)

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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.

### **Subjects**

Sociology -- Study and teaching  
Universities and colleges -- Administration  
Universities and colleges -- Departments

### **Names**

Davie, Maurice R. (Maurice Rea), 1893-1964  
Keller, Albert Galloway, 1874-1956

### **Corporate Bodies**

Yale University. Dept. of Sociology  
Yale University -- Administration