

Guide to the Davenport College, Yale University, Records of the Master

RU 444



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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: RU 444

CREATOR: Davenport College (Yale University)

TITLE: Davenport College, Yale University, records of the master

DATES: circa 1930-1979

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 23 linear feet

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The records consist of student records for the Classes of 1932-1951 and correspondence and committee files of Master Emerson Tuttle.

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Requesting Instructions

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Conditions Governing Access

Access to the materials is partially restricted. See inventory for details.

Preferred Citation

Davenport College, Yale University, Records of the Master (RU 444). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Biographical / Historical

The title "Master" for chief executive officers of residential colleges was changed to "Head of College" in April of 2016.

Scope and Contents

The records consist of student records for the Classes of 1932-1951 and correspondence and committee files of Master Emerson Tuttle.

General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 13-F-2 (YRG 13-F-2), Records of the master of Davenport College.

Arrangement

The records are arranged by accession.

Collection Contents

Accession 19ND-A-397: Records, 1932-1951

Restricted until Jan 1, 2026

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| b. 1, f. 1-2 | An Informal History of Davenport | 1933-1935 |
| | Council of Masters secretary's files | |
| b. 1, f. 3 | 1934-1938 | 1934-1938 |
| b. 1, f. 4 | 1938-1939 | 1938-1939 |
| b. 1, f. 5 | 1939-1940 | 1939-1940 |
| b. 1, f. 6-7 | 1940-1941 | 1940-1941 |
| b. 1, f. 8-9 | 1941-1942 | 1941-1942 |
| b. 1, f. 10 | 1942-1943 | 1942-1943 |
| b. 1, f. 11-12 | 1943-1944 | 1943-1944 |
| b. 1, f. 13 | 1944-1946 | 1944-1946 |
| b. 1, f. 14 | 1946-1947 | 1946-1947 |
| b. 1, f. 15 | 1947-1948 | 1947-1948 |
| b. 1, f. 16-17 | 1948-1949 | 1948-1949 |
| b. 1, f. 18 | 1948-1951 | 1948-1951 |
| b. 1, f. 19 | 1949-1950 | 1949-1950 |
| b. 1, f. 20-21 | 1950-1951 | 1950-1951 |
| b. 1, f. 22 | Letters and excerpts from bound copy | 1935-1937 |
| b. 1, f. 23 | Correspondence | 1936-1939 |
| b. 1, f. 24 | Reports of official committees | 1940-1941 |
| | Personnel | |
| b. 1, f. 25 | 1935-1939 | 1935-1939 |
| b. 1, f. 26 | 1938-1939 | 1938-1939 |
| b. 1, f. 27 | 1948-1949 | 1948-1949 |
| b. 1, f. 28 | House committee | 1942-1943 |
| b. 1, f. 29 | Requests to be acted upon | 1949-1951 |
| b. 1, f. 30 | Associate fellows of the colleges | 1948-1951 |
| b. 1, f. 31 | Housekeeping reports | 1950-1951 |

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| b. 1, f. 32 | Correspondence | 1950–1951 |
| b. 1, f. 33 | Miscellaneous reports | 1931–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 34 | Correspondence | 1941–1943 |
| b. 1, f. 35-36 | Gifts to college | 1935–1944 |
| b. 1, f. 37 | Lists Contains lists of student names and room numbers, students withdrawn from Yale, and similar information. | 1943–1945 |
| b. 1, f. 38 | Students | 1933 |
| b. 1, f. 39 | Dining hall | 1933–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 40 | Bursary and chief aid | 1935–1936 |
| b. 1, f. 41 | Functions | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 42 | Notices | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 43 | Guest suite | 1935–1938 |
| b. 1, f. 44 | Fellows | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 45 | Thanksgiving dinner, 1934 November 27 | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 46 | Commencement | 1934 |
| b. 1, f. 47 | Functions | 1936–1937 |
| b. 1, f. 48 | Student gifts | 1933–1934 |
| b. 1, f. 49 | Educational budget | 1934 |
| b. 1, f. 50 | Educational policy | 1933 |
| b. 1, f. 51 | Fellows: correspondence and lists | 1933–1934 |
| b. 1, f. 52 | Capehart (record player) | 1936–1937 |
| b. 1, f. 53 | Davenport and college athletics | 1932–1937 |
| b. 1, f. 54 | Fellows - lists | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 55 | Associate fellows | 1936–1937 |
| b. 1, f. 56 | Military-university relations | 1943 |
| b. 1, f. 57 | College and Sheffield rules revisions | 1934–1935 |
| b. 1, f. 58 | Davenport College entertainment | 1946–1948 |
| b. 2, f. 1 | Allocations: H.E. Tuttle - Committee on Distribution | 1935–1938 |
| b. 2, f. 2 | B | 1934–1944 |
| b. 2, f. 3 | Bayne-Jones, Stanhope | 1942 |

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| b. 2, f. 4 | Broadcasting WODC | 1944 |
| b. 2, f. 5 | C | 1936-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 6 | Carnegie Corporation | 1932-1941 |
| b. 2, f. 7 | College plan - athletics | 1931-1932 |
| b. 2, f. 8 | Committee on History of Art | 1936-1940 |
| b. 2, f. 9 | Garstin, D. V. | 1939-1940 |
| b. 2, f. 10 | Dining hall investigation | 1936-1937 |
| b. 2, f. 11 | Angell, James R. | 1935-1945 |
| b. 2, f. 12 | Allocations (fall 1942) | 1940-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 13 | Art Gallery (acting director) | 1942-1944 |
| b. 2, f. 14 | Dunn, F. S., "Anglo-American Relationships" | 1943 |
| b. 2, f. 15 | Colleges - miscellaneous | 1932-1934 |
| b. 2, f. 16 | Farnam, Thomas W. | 1935-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 17 | F | 1936-1945 |
| b. 2, f. 18 | Football | 1941-1942 |
| b. 2, f. 19 | French, Robert S. | 1936-1944 |
| b. 2, f. 20 | Furniss, Edgar S. (Provost) | 1936-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 21 | H | 1935-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 22 | Harvard Conference | 1942 |
| b. 2, f. 23 | Room applications | 1943 |
| b. 2, f. 24 | Rooms | 1944-1945 |
| b. 2, f. 25 | Boswell Papers | 1934-1935 |
| b. 2, f. 26 | Dining Halls - Miss Bowers | 1940-1942 |
| b. 2, f. 27 | Aurelian Honor Society | 1941 |
| b. 2, f. 28 | Committee on Institute for Veterans | 1944-1945 |
| | Curator of Prints | |
| b. 2, f. 29 | Greene Collection | 1937-1939 |
| b. 2, f. 30 | 1934-1939 | 1934-1939 |
| b. 2, f. 31 | 1943-1944 | 1943-1944 |
| b. 2, f. 32 | 1932-1933 | 1932-1933 |

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| b. 2, f. 33 | Harvard | 1926-1933 |
| b. 2, f. 34 | Associate fellows | 1935-June 1936 |
| b. 2, f. 35-36 | Yale Athletic Association | 1932-1941 |
| b. 2, f. 37 | University: W, X, Y, Z | 1934 |
| b. 2, f. 38 | University: T, U, V | 1934 |
| b. 2, f. 39 | University: S (including Charles Seymour) | 1934 |
| b. 2, f. 40 | University: O, P, Q, R (including James Gamble Rogers) | 1934 |
| b. 2, f. 41 | Pomfret School list | 1933-1934 |
| b. 2, f. 42 | University: M,N | 1933-1936 |
| b. 2, f. 43 | University: K, L (including Kingsley Trust) | 1933-1935 |
| b. 2, f. 44 | University: H, I, J (including Frederic B. Johnson) | 1934-1941 |
| b. 2, f. 45 | Silliman portrait | 1938-1940 |
| b. 2, f. 46 | Class Dinner | 1945 |
| b. 2, f. 47 | University: E, F (including Thomas W. Farnam, Sidney H. Francis, Robert D. French) | 1934 |
| b. 2, f. 48 | University: D, E | 1934-1935 |
| b. 2, f. 49 | Davenport report | 1935 |
| b. 2, f. 50 | H. Emerson Tuttle correspondence | 1930-1945 |

Accession 1945-A-002: Correspondence, 1930-1945

The materials are open for research.

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| b. 1, f. 1 | Acheson, Dean G. | 1942-1943 |
| b. 1, f. 2-3 | Allocations, Committee on | 1935-1936 |
| b. 1, f. 4 | Angell, James R | 1934 |
| b. 1, f. 5 | Athletic Association and Budgets | 1935 |
| b. 1, f. 6 | Auchincloss, Hugh | 1935 |
| b. 1, f. 7 | Aurelian Honor Society | 1934 |
| b. 1, f. 8 | Bissell Bowl | 1940 |
| b. 1, f. 9 | Budget | 1936 |
| b. 1, f. 10 | C-D-E | 1932-1933 |
| b. 1, f. 11 | Day, George Parmly | 1932-1933 |
| b. 1, f. 12 | DeVane, William C. | 1942-1944 |
| b. 1, f. 13 | F | 1932-1933 |
| b. 1, f. 14 | Farnham, Thomas W. | 1931-1933 |
| b. 1, f. 15 | Fellows | 1934-1938 |
| b. 2, f. 16 | Fellows: furniture | 1932-1934 |
| b. 2, f. 17 | Fraternities: Committee to Study Relation of Fraternities and Colleges. Academic | 1932-1933 |
| b. 2, f. 18 | G | 1932-1934 |
| b. 2, f. 19 | Garstin, D.V. | 1933 |
| b. 2, f. 20 | Graduate Club Association | 1933-1934 |
| b. 2, f. 21 | H-I-J-K | 1932-1937 |
| b. 2, f. 22 | Johnson, Frederick B | 1932-1933 |
| b. 2, f. 23 | Knollenberg, Bernhard | 1938-1941 |
| b. 2, f. 24 | L-M | 1932-1933 |
| b. 2, f. 25 | Lohrann, Carl A. | 1932-1944 |
| b. 2, f. 26 | Lovett, Sidney | 1932-1933 |
| b. 2, f. 27 | MacLeish, Archibald | 1934-1936 |
| b. 2, f. 28 | Mendell, Clarence | 1933-1943 |
| b. 2, f. 29 | Merritt, Alfred K. | 1933 |

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| b. 3, f. 30 | N-O | 1933-1942 |
| b. 3, f. 31 | Nettleton, George H. | 1937-1938 |
| b. 3, f. 32 | P-R | 1931-1944 |
| b. 3, f. 33 | Personnel Director, Nyman, R.C. | 1940-1944 |
| b. 3, f. 34 | Rogers, James Gamble | 1931-1938 |
| b. 3, f. 35 | S | 1931-1933 |
| b. 3, f. 36 | Scholarships, Committee on | 1940-1941 |
| b. 3, f. 37 - 38 | Seymour, Charles | 1930-1944 |
| b. 3, f. 39 | Sizer, Theodore | 1942-1945 |
| b. 3, f. 40 | Smith, Elliott Dunlap | 1933 |
| b. 3, f. 41 | T-U-V | 1933 |
| b. 3, f. 42 | Tighe, Laurence G. | 1942-1943 |
| b. 3, f. 43 | Undergraduate Activities, Committee on | 1938 |
| b. 3, f. 44 | W-X-Y | 1933 |
| b. 3, f. 45 | War Training Co-ordinating Committees minutes | 1943 |
| b. 3, f. 46 | Wilder, Thorton H. | 1934-1936 |
| b. 3, f. 47 | Yale News: clippings re: meal plans | 1933-1934 |

Accession 2001-A-151: Subject and fellowship files, diaries and printed material, circa 1960-1979

The materials are open for research.

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| b. 1 | Fellows files and miscellaneous subject files | |
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| b. 4, 3 | Miscellaneous subject files | 1960's - 1970's |
| b. 5 | Subject files and newsletter | |
| b. 9-10, 7-8, 6 | Subject files | |
| b. 12, 11 | Fellows files | |
| b. 13 | Fellows files, diaries, student publications, history of Davenport College | |
| b. 14 | Subject files | |
| b. 15 | Miscellaneous subject files and subject files | |

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 students
Student housing
Universities and colleges -- Administration

Names

Tuttle, H. E. (Henry Emerson), 1890-1946

Corporate Bodies

Davenport College (Yale University)
Yale University -- Administration
Yale University -- Student housing
Yale University -- Students