

Guide to the Map Collection, Yale University, Records

RU 739



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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: RU 739

CREATOR: Yale University. Library

TITLE: Map Collection, Yale University, records

DATES: 1906-2014

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 8.77 linear feet (15 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The records consist of correspondence and administrative records of the curator of the Map Collection at Yale University Library. Also included are photographs of Map Collection materials and staff.

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

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

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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.

Scope and Contents

The records consist of correspondence and administrative records of the curator of the Map Collection at Yale University Library. Also included are photographs of Map Collection materials and staff.

General note

Forms part of Yale Record Group 32-D (YRG 32-D), Records of Yale school and departmental libraries and collections.

Arrangement

The records are arranged by accession.

Collection Contents

Accession 1987-A-006: Administrative files and correspondence of the curator, 1906-1972

The materials are open for research.

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| b. 1, f. 1 | Elson Beecher | 1906-1912 |
| | Winfield Shiras | 1934-1936 |
| b. 1, f. 2 | A - B | |
| b. 1, f. 3 | D - E - F - G | |
| b. 1, f. 4 | H - K | |
| b. 1, f. 5 | Library of Congress | |
| b. 1, f. 6 | M - N - O | |
| b. 1, f. 7 | P - R - S | |
| b. 1, f. 8 | T - V - W - Y | |
| | Samuel Thorne | 1938-1942 |
| b. 1, f. 9 | A - B | |
| b. 1, f. 10 | C | |
| b. 1, f. 11 | D - G | |
| b. 2, f. 12 | F - G | |
| b. 2, f. 13 | H - I | |
| b. 2, f. 14 | J - K | |
| b. 2, f. 15 | L - M | |
| b. 2, f. 16 | N - O | |
| b. 2, f. 17 | P | |
| b. 2, f. 18 | R - S | |
| b. 2, f. 19 | T - U - V | |
| b. 2, f. 20 | W - Y | |
| | Alexander O. Victor | 1942-1972 |
| b. 3, f. 21 | A | |
| b. 3, f. 22 | B | |
| b. 3, f. 23 | C - D | |

Alexander O. Victor (continued)

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| b. 3, f. 24 | E - F - G | |
| b. 3, f. 25 | H - I - J | |
| b. 3, f. 26 | K - L - M | |
| b. 3, f. 27 | N - O - P | |
| b. 3, f. 28 | S - T - U | |
| b. 3, f. 29 | V - W | |
| b. 3, f. 30 | 1961-1963 | |
| b. 3, f. 31 | 1964 | |
| b. 3, f. 32 | 1965 | |
| b. 3, f. 33 | 1966 | |
| b. 3, f. 34 | 1967 | |
| b. 3, f. 35 | 1968 | |
| b. 4, f. 36 | 1969 | |
| b. 4, f. 37 | 1970-1972 | |
| b. 4, f. 38 | Miscellaneous | |
| Administrative Files | | |
| b. 4, f. 39 | Daily Log | Summer 1960 |
| b. 4, f. 40 | Daily Logs, Record of bills | 1960-1964 |
| b. 4, f. 41 | Daily Log | Summer 1964 |
| b. 4, f. 42 | Daily Log | Summer 1966 |
| b. 4, f. 43 | Exhibition labels | pre-June 1964 |
| b. 4, f. 44 | Karpinsky Collection | 1932 |
| b. 4, f. 45 | Janet Murdoch | 1952 |
| b. 4, f. 46 | Portolan Charts, XV-XVIII (centuries) exhibition information | undated |
| b. 4, f. 47 | Bursary students/information | 1961-1962 |
| b. 4, f. 48 | Bursary students/individual records | 1961-1962 |

Accession 2011-A-010: Map Collection photographs, Circa 1990s

The materials are open for research.

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Collection materials and staff

circa 1990s

Accession 2018-A-030: Records, 1927-1935, 1973-2014

Restricted until January 1, 2035.

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| b. 1, f. 1-4 | Accession records | 1975-2002 |
| b. 2, f. 1-2 | Accession records | 1975-2002 |
| b. 3, f. 1 | Account deposits | 1991-1997 |
| b. 3, f. 2 | Action plans-Map Collection | 1996-1997 |
| b. 3, f. 3 | Africa maps | 1997-2001 |
| b. 3, f. 4 | Africa maps-Norwich Collection, Stanford | 2003 |
| b. 3, f. 5 | Alexandria digital library | 1994-1996 |
| b. 3, f. 6 | Anne Soccie records | 2001-2002 |
| b. 3, f. 7 | Annual reports | 1995-1999 |
| b. 3, f. 8 | Annual statistics | 2004-2005 |
| b. 3, f. 9 | Antique maps-Barron | 2003-2004 |
| b. 3, f. 10 | Beinecke-Western Americana | 1996-1997 |
| | Budget | |
| b. 3, f. 11 | 1998-2000 | 1998-2000 |
| b. 3, f. 12 | 2004 | 2004 |
| b. 3, f. 13 | 2005 | 2005 |
| b. 3, f. 14 | 2006 | 2006 |
| b. 3, f. 15 | 2007 | 2007 |
| b. 3, f. 16-17 | 2007-2008 | 2007-2008 |
| b. 3, f. 18-19 | 2008-2009 | 2008-2009 |
| b. 3, f. 20 | 2009-2010 | 2009-2010 |
| b. 3, f. 21 | Cartobibliographies | 1998 |
| | Cataloging | |
| b. 3, f. 22 | 1998-2003 | 1998-2003 |
| b. 3, f. 23 | 2006-2007 | 2006-2007 |
| b. 3, f. 24 | Circulation | 2009 |
| b. 4, f. 1 | Collection care | 2000 |
| b. 4, f. 2 | Collection development | 2008 |

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| b. 4, f. 3-4 | Collection lists | 1935 |
| b. 4, f. 5 | Conservation | 1996 |
| | Correspondence | |
| b. 4, f. 6 | 1979-1980 | 1979-1980 |
| b. 4, f. 7 | A-G | 1983-1984 |
| b. 4, f. 8 | H-N | 1983-1984 |
| b. 4, f. 9 | O-Z | 1983-1984 |
| b. 4, f. 10 | A-G (except Arader and Arkway) | 1984-1985 |
| b. 4, f. 11 | Arader and Arkway | 1984-1985 |
| b. 4, f. 12 | H-N | 1984-1985 |
| b. 4, f. 13 | O-Z | 1984-1985 |
| b. 4, f. 14 | A-G | 1985-1986 |
| b. 4, f. 15 | H-N | 1985-1986 |
| b. 4, f. 16 | O-Z | 1985-1986 |
| b. 4, f. 17 | A-G | 1986-1987 |
| b. 4, f. 18 | H-N | 1986-1987 |
| b. 4, f. 19 | O-Z | 1986-1987 |
| b. 4, f. 20 | A-G | 1987-1988 |
| b. 4, f. 21 | H-N | 1987-1988 |
| b. 4, f. 22 | O-Z | 1987-1988 |
| b. 4, f. 23 | A-G | 1988-1989 |
| b. 4, f. 24 | H-N | 1988-1989 |
| b. 4, f. 25 | O-Z | 1988-1989 |
| b. 4, f. 26 | A-G | 1989-1990 |
| b. 4, f. 27 | H-N | 1989-1990 |
| b. 4, f. 28 | O-Z | 1989-1990 |
| b. 4, f. 29 | A-G | 1990-1991 |
| b. 4, f. 30 | H-N | 1990-1991 |
| b. 4, f. 31 | O-Z | 1990-1991 |
| b. 4, f. 32 | A-G | 1991-1992 |

Correspondence (continued)

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| b. 5, f. 1 | Acquisitions | 1991-1992 |
| b. 5, f. 2 | 1997-1998 | 1997-1998 |
| b. 5, f. 3 | Joan Swanekamp | 2002 |
| b. 5, f. 4 | County atlases | Undated |
| b. 5, f. 5 | Crown Collection | 1927, 1975 |
| b. 5, f. 6 | Curiosities | 2001-2004 |
| b. 5, f. 7 | Defense Mapping Agency | 1983-1990 |
| b. 5, f. 8 | Development | 2011-2013 |
| b. 5, f. 9 | Digitizing maps | 1998-2000 |
| b. 5, f. 10 | Donation of Denyse E. Reid | 1996-1997 |
| b. 5, f. 11 | Donations | 2006-2010 |
| b. 5, f. 12 | Duplicate maps for sale | 1973-1981 |
| b. 5, f. 13 | East View Cartographic | 2005 |
| b. 5, f. 14 | Egypt maps | Undated |
| b. 5, f. 15 | Endowments (McCorkle) | 1994 |
| b. 5, f. 16 | Exhibit loans | 2007-2008 |
| b. 5, f. 17 | Ford family gift | 2006-2010 |
| b. 5, f. 18 | Gifts-requirements | 1995-1997 |
| b. 5, f. 19 | GIS data | 2000-2002 |
| b. 5, f. 20 | GIS Day | 2014 |
| b. 5, f. 21 | GIS web page | 1997 |
| b. 5, f. 22 | GIS-Yale, 2001 | 2001 |
| b. 5, f. 23 | Globes | 1997 |
| b. 5, f. 24 | Grants | 2003-2008 |
| b. 5, f. 25 | Hood Art Museum-Dartmouth | 1990 |
| b. 5, f. 26 | Historic New Haven/Historic China-GIS | 2003 |
| b. 5, f. 27 | Imaginary maps | 2002 |
| b. 5, f. 28-33 | Inventory checks | 2006 |
| b. 6, f. 1 | Inventories-curator's office | 1978-2005 |
| b. 6, f. 2 | Inventories-found maps, atlases and uncatalogued maps | 2005 |

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| b. 6, f. 3 | Journals-remote sensing | Undated |
| | Lada Mocariski collection | |
| b. 6, f. 4 | Slides | Undated |
| b. 6, f. 5 | Slides and inventory | Undated |
| | Lanman collection | |
| b. 6, f. 6 | Appraisal | 1988 |
| b. 6, f. 7 | Contents | 1990 |
| b. 6, f. 8 | Correspondence | 1987-2003 |
| b. 6, f. 9 | Gift records | 1978-1988 |
| b. 6, f. 10 | Japanese and Chinese maps and prints | 1996 |
| b. 6, f. 11 | Malcolm Edgerton | 1988-1998 |
| b. 6, f. 12 | Maps | 1988-1998 |
| b. 6, f. 13 | Library map prize | 1980-2012 |
| b. 6, f. 14 | Listing of Dutch Atlases and Maps at Yale-volume 1 | Circa 1960s |
| b. 6, f. 15 | Listing of Dutch Atlases and Maps at Yale-volume 2 | Circa 1960s |
| b. 6, f. 16 | Loans-Mount Holyoke College Art Museum | 1995-1996 |
| b. 6, f. 17 | Loans-Yale Art Gallery | 1996-2001 |
| b. 6, f. 18 | LSF-Map Collection | 2000-2001 |
| b. 6, f. 19 | Map Center-configuration | 2003 |
| b. 6, f. 20 | Map Collection-funds | 2005 |
| b. 6, f. 21 | Map purchases | 2005 |
| b. 6, f. 22 | Map reclamation | 2006-2007 |
| b. 6, f. 23 | Map room manual | 1980-1989 |
| b. 6, f. 24 | Map storage | 1997 |
| b. 6, f. 25 | Memorandum | 1986-1992 |
| b. 6, f. 26 | Microfilm check | 2006 |
| b. 7, f. 1-6 | Microfilm inventory | 2005 |
| b. 7, f. 7 | Microfilm prints identified as manuscript maps | 2006 |
| b. 7, f. 8 | Missing atlases | Undated |
| b. 7, f. 9 | Miniature maps | Undated |

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| b. 7, f. 10 | Missing maps and prints | 1978 |
| b. 7, f. 11 | Missing maps | 1978 |
| b. 7, f. 12 | Missing maps | 2006 |
| b. 7, f. 13 | Monumenta Cartographica Neerlandica | 1996 |
| b. 7, f. 14 | Mudd atlases-inventory | 2005 |
| b. 7, f. 15 | Orbis-inventory | Undated |
| Orders | | |
| Correspondence | | |
| b. 7, f. 16 | 1980-1982 | 1980-1982 |
| b. 7, f. 17 | 1982-1984 | 1982-1984 |
| b. 7, f. 18 | 1984 July | 1984 July |
| b. 7, f. 19 | 1985 July | 1985 July |
| b. 7, f. 20 | 1986-1987 | 1986-1987 |
| b. 7, f. 21 | 1987-1988 | 1987-1988 |
| b. 7, f. 22 | 1988-1989 | 1988-1989 |
| b. 7, f. 22a | 1989-1990 | 1989-1990 |
| Paid or pre-paid | | |
| b. 7, f. 23 | 1984 July | 1984 July |
| b. 7, f. 24 | 1985 July | 1985 July |
| b. 7, f. 25 | 1986-1987 | 1986-1987 |
| b. 7, f. 26 | 1987-1988 | 1987-1988 |
| b. 7, f. 27 | 1988-1989 | 1988-1989 |
| b. 7, f. 28 | 1989-1990 | 1989-1990 |
| b. 7, f. 29 | 1989-1996 | 1989-1996 |
| b. 8, f. 1 | 1997-1998 | 1997-1998 |
| b. 8, f. 2 | 1998 | 1998 |
| b. 8, f. 3 | 1998-1999 | 1998-1999 |
| b. 8, f. 4 | 1999 | 1999 |
| b. 8, f. 5 | 2000-2001 | 2000-2001 |
| b. 8, f. 6 | 2001-2002 | 2001-2002 |

Orders > Paid or pre-paid (continued)

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| b. 8, f. 7 | 2002-2003 | 2002-2003 |
| b. 8, f. 8 | 2003-2007 | 2003-2007 |
| Received | | |
| b. 8, f. 9 | 1980-1982 | 1980-1982 |
| b. 8, f. 10 | 1982-1984 | 1982-1984 |
| b. 8, f. 11 | Other libraries | 1997 |
| Patron log | | |
| b. 8, f. 12 | 2007-2009 | 2007-2009 |
| b. 8, f. 13 | 2009-2012 | 2009-2012 |
| b. 8, f. 14 | Permissions to publish | 2004-2010 |
| Purchases | | |
| General | | |
| b. 8, f. 15 | 1993-1996 | 1993-1996 |
| b. 8, f. 16-17 | 1997-2005 | 1997-2005 |
| b. 8, f. 18 | W. Graham Arader | 1987-1990 |
| b. 8, f. 19 | Richard B. Arkway | 1993-1995 |
| b. 8, f. 20 | Roderick Barron | 2004-2006 |
| b. 8, f. 21 | Erisau | 2001-2002 |
| b. 8, f. 22 | Howard H. Holtzmann | 1997 |
| b. 8, f. 23 | Martayan Lan | 1996 |
| b. 8, f. 24 | David M. Lesser | 1993 |
| b. 8, f. 25 | M. Moliero Editor | 2000 |
| b. 8, f. 26 | Rick Prelinger | 1998 |
| b. 8, f. 27 | Publicity | 1999 |
| b. 9, f. 1-2 | Rare map transit and access log | 2006-2007 |
| b. 9, f. 3-4 | Rare map transit and access log | 2008-2014 |
| b. 9, f. 5 | Road map collectors | 1984-1997 |
| b. 9, f. 6 | Reprographic orders | 2003-2011 |
| b. 9, f. 7 | Reprographic orders | 2004-2006 |
| b. 9, f. 8 | Reprographic orders | 2008-2015 |

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| b. 9, f. 9 | Renovation photographs | Undated |
| b. 9, f. 10 | Requests for data sets | 2002-2011 |
| b. 9, f. 11 | Sanborn maps | 1996-1997 |
| b. 9, f. 12 | Slavonic papers | 1996 |
| b. 9, f. 13 | Security Committee | 2003-2008 |
| b. 9, f. 14 | Soviet maps | 1966-1981 |
| b. 9, f. 15 | Stolen maps | 1978 |
| b. 9, f. 16 | Survey | 2007 |
| b. 10, f. 1 | Teaching about maps | 1996 |
| b. 10, f. 2 | Training-GIS | 2009 |
| b. 10, f. 3 | Transfers from the Map Collection | 1988-1989 |
| b. 10, f. 4 | USGS maps | 2003-2004 |
| b. 10, f. 5 | Utopia maps | 1999 |
| b. 10, f. 6 | Vinland map | 1996-2000 |
| b. 10, f. 7 | Wall maps for teaching | Undated |
| b. 10, f. 8 | Walling, Henry F.-roll maps | Undated |
| b. 10, f. 9 | White Brothers-New Haven and Shoreline Property maps inventory | Undated |

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

Libraries -- Special collections
Map collections
Maps

Corporate Body

Yale University. Library