

Guide to the Hugh Aiken Bayne Papers

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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 68

CREATOR: Bayne, Hugh Aiken, 1870-1954

TITLE: Hugh Aiken Bayne papers

DATES: 1870-1943

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 3.5 linear feet (7 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The papers are primarily printed and typescript documents relating to Hugh Bayne's service on international arbitration commissions, some with his marginalia and accompanying notes. His decisions as arbiter include his interpretations of disarmament clauses of the Versailles Treaty (1923) and his opinion on the claims of the Standard Oil Company (1926) and on the claim of Belgium to the treasure of the Order of the Golden Fleece. The remainder of the papers is made up of three volumes of his memoirs, (1870-1943) with photographs, clippings and correspondence pasted in, and the contents of three scrapbooks kept by Bayne while a student at Yale College (1888-1892).

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

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Hugh A. Bayne and his estate, 1928-1941, 1956.

Conditions Governing Access

The entire collection is available on microfilm. Patrons must use HM 81 instead of the originals.

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Preferred Citation

Hugh Aiken Bayne Papers. Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Biographical / Historical

Hugh Bayne was admitted to the bar in 1894. He practiced law in New Orleans from 1894-1898, and in New York City from 1898-1919. Bayne was a member of the legal services unit of the Reparations Commission under the Treaties of Versailles and St. Germain, 1919-1928.

Scope and Contents

The Hugh A. Bayne Papers consist of three types of material. Boxes 1 and 2 contain printed and typescript documents concerning Bayne's service on international arbitration commissions. Boxes 3 and 4 contain volumes of typescript memoirs with photographs, clippings, and correspondence pasted in. Three scrapbooks, originally catalogued as YYez. 892ba, were added to the papers in June, 1981. The scrapbooks, mainly from Bayne's undergraduate days at Yale, contain newspaper clippings, correspondence, photographs, and memorabilia. These scrapbooks were dismantled for microfilming and when filming was completed the clippings and other deteriorating paper were discarded. The remaining materials are in boxes 5-7, arranged by type.

All of the papers are available on microfilm (MICROFILM HM 81). The materials in boxes 3 and 4 are now restricted, in order to protect them; readers wishing to consult them must use the film.

The papers were given to Yale University Library by Hugh A. Bayne and his estate between 1928-41 and in 1956.

Collection Contents

Documents concerning international arbitration commissions

b. 1reel 1U	Volume: (Part I): Decision of Hugh A. Bayne, arbiter of two questions submitted by the council of ambassadors	1922-1923
b. 1reel 1U	Volume: (Part II): Standard Oil Company tankers arbitration between the United States and the reparation commission	1926
b. 1reel 1U	Volume: (Part III): S. S. Eduardo Musil arbitration between France and Italy	1922-1923
b. 1reel 1U	Volume: Agreement between the United States and Germany concerning prisoners of war	1918, 1922
b. 1reel 1U	Volume: Claim of Belgium to the treasure of the Order of the Golden Fleece: report of the committee of three jurists	1907, 1914, 1921-1922, 1940
b. 2reel 1U	Volume: Three international arbitrations	1922-1923, 1926
b. 2reel 1U	Volume: Claim of Belgium to the Triptych of St. Ildephonse: report of the committee of three jurists	1921
b. 2reel 1U	Folder: Typescript of "When Francis Scott Key was an ambassador," by Hugh A. Payne	1936

Memoirs

b. 3reel 2U	Volume I, Part 1 (p.1-236): Index-Ancestors-Life in New Orleans	1870-1898
b. 3reel 2U	Volume I, Part 2 (p. 237-473): Life at Yale-Life in New York-Emily-Miscellaneous	1888-1892, 1898-1917
b. 4reel 2U	Volume II: The War-Life in Paris-Home Again	1917-1919, 1919-1928, 1928
b. 4reel 2U	Papers removed from Bayne's Yale scrapbooks	1888-1892, 1911-1940, undated

Correspondence

b. 5, f. 1reel 3U	1889-1892
b. 5, f. 2reel 3U	1896, 1932, 1940, n.d.
b. 5, f. 3reel 3U	Memorabilia, miscellaneous

Yale memorabilia

b. 5, f. 4reel 3U	Academic, miscellaneous
b. 5, f. 5reel 3U	Activities, miscellaneous
b. 5, f. 6 - 8reel 3U	Athletic
b. 5, f. 9reel 3U	Exams

Yale memorabilia (continued)

b. 5, f. 10reel 3U	Financial records	
b. 5, f. 11reel 3U	Hé Boulé fraternity	
b. 5, f. 12reel 3U	Invitations, Yale functions	
b. 5, f. 13reel 3U	Invitations, miscellaneous	
b. 5, f. 14reel 3U	KOA fraternity	
b. 5, f. 15reel 3U	Post-graduation	(1911-1912, 1922)
b. 6, f. 16 - 17reel 3U	Programs-banquets	
b. 6, f. 18reel 3U	Programs and committee cards-dances	
b. 6, f. 19reel 3U	Programs and ticket stubs-drama	
b. 6, f. 20reel 3U	Programs-music	
b. 6, f. 21reel 3U	Programs-Yale Glee and Banjo Club	
b. 6, f. 22reel 3U	Publications, Yale	
b. 6, f. 23reel 3U	Miscellaneous	
	Photographs	
b. 6, f. 24reel 3U	Hugh A. Bayne	
b. 7, f. 25reel 3U	Yale campus, Yale football	
b. 7, f. 26reel 3U	Skull and Bones, miscellaneous	
b. 7, f. 27reel 3U	Writings by Hugh A. Bayne	

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.

Preferred Titles

Treaty of Peace Between the Allied and Associated Powers and Austria (1919 September 10)
Treaty of Versailles (1919 June 28)

Subjects

Law
Lawyers
World War, 1914-1918 -- Prisoners and prisons

Geographic Names

Europe
Southern States
United States -- Foreign relations

Genres / Formats

Autobiographies
Diaries

Names

Bayne, Hugh Aiken, 1870-1954
Rubens, Peter Paul, 1577-1640

Corporate Bodies

Austria. Staatsamt für Inneres und Unterricht
Belgium. Ministère des sciences et des arts
Order of the Golden Fleece
Yale College (1887-). Class of 1892
Yale University -- Students