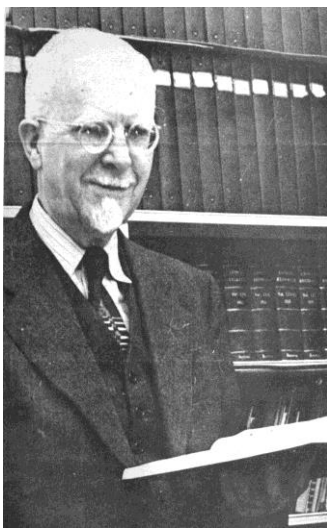


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Missionary Research Library Archives: Section 6

Finding Aid for

Charles Luther Boynton Papers, 1807 – 1976



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Summary Information

Creator: Charles Luther Boynton, 1881-1967
Title: Charles Luther Boynton Papers
Inclusive dates: 1807-1976
Bulk dates: 1910-1945
Abstract: Baptist Missionary to China working with the YMCA; member of China Continuation Committee; Secretary of National Christian Council of Churches; Founding member of Shanghai American School and Community Church of Shanghai. Contains directories of Protestant Missionaries to China; Missionary Committees reports; broadcast transcripts of Christian radio; data on Christian education in China; essays; sermons; correspondence.
Size: 52 manuscript boxes, 1 OS box, 6 Drawer Filing Cabinet, 40 linear feet
Storage: Onsite storage
Repository: The Burke Library
Union Theological Seminary
3041 Broadway
New York, NY 10027
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Administrative Information

- Provenance:** The Charles Luther Boynton papers were acquired by the Missionary Research Library in 1956. This independent Missionary Research Library was founded in 1914, under the direction of Charles H. Fahs, research assistant to John R. Mott and curator of the Missionary Research Library 1914 to 1948. MRL records were moved with the MRL to the Brown Memorial Tower of Union Theological Seminary in 1929. In 1976 the records were accessioned to the Burke Library archives with the closure of the MRL. Additions were incorporated from The Burke Library stacks, July 2007 and May 2008. Additional notebooks added April 2014.
- Access:** Archival papers are available to registered readers for consultation by appointment only. Please contact archives staff by email to burkearchives@libraries.cul.columbia.edu, or by postal mail to The Burke Library address on page 1, as far in advance as possible. Burke Library staff is available for inquiries or to request a consultation on archival or special collections research.
- Access Restrictions:** The collection is unrestricted to readers. Certain materials, however, are in a fragile condition, and this may necessitate restriction in handling and copying.
- Preferred Citation:** Item description, MRL6: Charles Luther Boynton Papers, series #, box #, and folder #, The Burke Library at Union Theological Seminary, Columbia University in the City of New York.

Biography

Charles Luther Boynton was born on June 8, 1881 in Townshend, Vermont. He graduated from Pomona College in California in 1901, where he began his lifelong association with the YMCA. In 1903 Boynton came to New York City to pursue studies at Union Theological Seminary and to work as office secretary for the Student Department in the YMCA's International Committee. He was ordained in the Baptist Church in 1906.

Boynton served as National Secretary to the YMCA International Committee in Shanghai, China from 1907 to 1912. His reports of work responsibilities, meetings, finances and conditions in China are meticulously detailed. In 1915 he was appointed to the newly formed China Continuation Committee, which coordinated missionary activity, and served the missionary body of China through this committee until 1920, when its descendent, the National Christian Council of China, was formed. He served on this Council until 1946, and then traveled between the United States and China until his retirement from missionary work in 1948.

Throughout his career, Boynton kept detailed records on missionary personnel in China and chronicled the development of the Shanghai Christian community. He founded the Shanghai American School so that missionaries would not have to be separated from their families for long periods. He was Principal of the school and Pastor of the Shanghai Community Church. Boynton also recorded weekly radio news broadcasts in Chinese and in English. During World War II he was interred by the Japanese for a period of 30 months. His papers include detailed journals, essays and reports on conditions and developments in China spanning four decades.

Boynton returned to the United States in 1946, and lived in Claremont, California. He continued to work on the history of Protestant Missionary Work in China, in addition to organizing autobiographical material. In his retirement, Boynton chose a new branch of interest every 5 years -- maps, coins, guide books, music and international stamps, to name a few -- and pursued this hobby with vigor. He read constantly, belonging to several book clubs at a time. He once estimated that he purchased approximately 200 books per year for over 40 years, giving most of them away after he had read them. Charles L. Boynton died in 1967.

Collection Scope and Content Note

The Papers of Charles Luther Boynton consist of the Directories of Protestant Missionaries in China, records of the National Christian Council of China, the Shanghai Community Church, and educational endeavors for Chinese and American children. The collection includes the extensive correspondence of these organizations with the missionaries stationed in China, along with personal correspondences, essays, reports and sermons.

The majority of the collection consists of bound volumes of missionary recordkeeping and statistics, and reports from the National Christian Council of China. The papers also include personal correspondence, biographical and autobiographical writings, and clippings from magazines and newspapers.

The collection is divided into four series:

- **Series 1: China Missionaries Lists, 1807-1942 (14 Boxes, 6 Drawer Filing Cabinet, 20.50 linear feet)**

This series contains extensive data on Protestant missionaries and their sponsoring organizations. Arrangement of the material is alphabetical (Missionaries listings; Sponsoring bureau and their missionaries); chronological (Lists of missionaries according to year); and topical (i.e. Arrivals, Departures, Marriages, Deaths, Missionaries by Province, Doctors and nurses, etc).

Also included in this series are index cards, which due to their fragile nature are **RESTRICTED**. They are organized as follows: Drawers 1, 2 and 4 numbered cards; Drawer 3 cards stamped "Protestant Missions" or "Protestant Missionaries in China", A-Z, not numbered; Drawer 7: Listing and numbering of missionaries: Corbett #3477 – Hazelton #7112.

- **Series 2: National Christian Council of China Records, 1913-1950 (25 boxes, 12.50 linear feet)**

This series contains reports and minutes of multiple levels of committees serving the China missionary movement: Annual meetings; executive committee meetings and staff meetings. There are also copies of NCCC mailings to local missionary stations, Radio Broadcast transcripts, and reports from the Foreign Missions Conference committees.

- **Series 3: Other Community Services, 1918-1946 (9 boxes, 4.50 linear feet)**
This series contains reports on the formation and operation of the Shanghai American School and the American Song Service, which was re-named the Community Church of Shanghai.
- **Series 4: Biographical and Miscellaneous Material, 1897-1976 (5 boxes, 2.50 linear feet)**
This series contains Boynton's early journals and correspondences, sermons, addresses and essays while in China, and autobiographical writings. (Note: Autobiographical writings include historical information and descriptions of social conditions. For example, *My Life For China* contains journal entries from Japanese internment during WWII; Annual Reports to YMCA 1907-1912 contain status on Chinese education in 1910 and living conditions in Shanghai in 1911).

Series 4 also contains miscellaneous material, including the 1932 League of Nations Report concerning China's complaint about Japan; Bulletins from the American Shanghai Volunteer Company; Phi Beta Kappa Society in China, Biographical material on Fong Foo Sec, correspondence and newspaper articles.

Processing

When the Burke Library acquired Boynton's papers, an attempt was made to maintain the original order he imposed throughout the course of his career.

Folded materials were flattened. Newspaper clippings were photocopied on acid free paper. Staples, rubber bands, and metal clips were removed and replaced with plastic clips. All materials were placed in acid-free folders and boxes.

The collection was updated in 2014 as part of the Henry Luce Foundation Grant. Three additional notebooks, which had been mixed among unprocessed material, were added at this time. Two of these notebooks are in Series 1, Box 2A, and the third is in Series 2, Box 19, Folder 1. The box and folder numbering system was kept as is due to the number of people that have used and referenced this collection over the years in books, articles and other publications.

Further Sources

The Burke Library offers a number of other collections relating to the people and topics covered in this collection. Union Theological Seminary Records, the National Christian Council of China Records, and other collections relating to missions in China are just some of the material available.

The China Continuation Committee, located in box 1, series 2, was the precursor of NCCC. See also The Burke Archives MRL 12, World Missionary Conference, 1910, Series 2, Boxes 5-6.

For more information, please see the Burke Library Archives website at:
<http://library.columbia.edu/locations/burke/archives.html>.

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Series 1: China Missionaries Lists, 1807-1942

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Drawer 5	Man-Sha
Drawer 7	Cor-Haz

Alphabetical Checklist of Protestant Missionaries, China, 1807–1942

1	1	1	Volume 1: A-Collishaw
1	1	2	Volume 2: Collyer-Greening
1	1	3	Volume 3: Greenhill-Kreyer
1	1	4	Volume 4: Krick-Neville
1	2	1	Volume 5: Nevins-Sibley
1	2	2	Volume 6: Sibley-Wheeler
1	2	3	Volume 7: Wheldon-Zwissler
1	2	4	China Missionaries, [A-C bound], 1807-1941
1	2	5	China Missionaries [C-Z, loose-leaf paper], 1807-1941
1	2A	1	Chronological list of Missionaries to China and the Chinese, 1807-1942, with introductory notes, 1 v. annotated.
1	2A	2	Directories of Missionaries in China, 1865-1866; 1875; 1883; 1889; 1891
1	2A	3	Missionaries in China, Spiral Notebook, March 1946 with additions
1	3	1-2	Chronological list, Protestant Missionaries to China and the Chinese, 1807-1942, p.1-239, 240-481
1	3	3	Revised Chronological list, Missionaries to China and the Chinese, 1807-1942, p. 1-239; 240-481 [Pres. Note: Do not separate pp. 479-81]
1	3	5-6	Missionaries in Shanghai, 1843-1907; 1842-1942
1	4	1	Directions for <i>Who's Who of China Missionaries</i> Project
1	4	2-4	Who's Who of China Missionaries, 1807-1940
1	4	5-6	Missionaries in China, 1868 and forward: Journal nos. 1-5
1	4	7	Changes in Missionary Body in China
1	5	1-4	Missionaries in China, 1806-1906, v.1-v.4: A-Z
1	6	1	Chronological list of Missionary Arrivals, 1907-1935
1	6	2-3	Missionary Records: Arrivals, 1867-1926; from <i>Missionary Recorder</i> and <i>Chinese Recorder</i>
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1	7	4	Missionary Records: Children of Missionaries, 1865-1926
1	7	5	China Children of Western Parents, v.1: A-Study
1	7	6	Missionary Children, volume 2: Sturt to Zimmer
1	7	7	American Children in China, 1896-1919, A-Z
1	8	1	Doctors in China, 1889-1948, also Nurses, 1948
1	8	2	Doctors in China, 1830-1948
1	8	3	Doctors and Nurses in China, 1948, ms [Compiled from 1948 Directory per CLB notation; Removed from Series 2, Box 24, f1 on 12/15/05]
1	8	4	Directory of Missionaries by Province, 1946
1	8	5	Emergency Directory of Protestant Missionaries, 1946
1	8	6	Nationalities of Missionaries in China, 1948
1	8	7	Directory of Missionaries in China, 1948
1	8	8-9	Departures, 1867-1926 [2 copies]
1	9	1	Newspaper Clippings on Deaths of Missionaries
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1	9	4	Missionary Deaths: By Mission Bureaus
1	9	5	Missionary Deaths: Alphabetical, by Year of Death
1	9	6-9	Obituaries and Biographical Material, A-K
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1	11	1	Lists of missionaries by Mission Bureaus, ABMU-YMCA
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1	11	5	Protestant Missionary List, by Mission Bureau and Province
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1	12	8	Missions and Church Buildings in China
1	13	1	Data Regarding Missions Stations
1	13	2	Donald MacGillivray, Ed. <i>A Century of Protestant Missions in China</i> 1807-1907 (Shanghai, 1907); Separated 1907 Map of China
1	13	3	Chronological Index to: Wylie's <i>A Memorial of the Protestant Mission in China</i> (1867), and MacGillivray's <i>A Century of Protestant Missions in China</i> [Ms Annotation by CLB: This Index is incomplete: It has been superseded by a complete Index typed in 1956.]

Series 2: National Christian Council of China Records, 1913-1950

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2	2	1-3	Biennial meeting, Hangchow, May 1931; Sunkiang, May 1933; Shanghai, May 1935
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2	5	2-3	Financial Statements, Apr 1935-Mar 1939; April 1946-March 1950
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2	8	3-5	<i>Bulletin of the NCCC</i> , No. 20-56 Duplicates
2	8	6	Booklets, Travel Report, Staffing chart, 1922 – 1940; <i>NCCC Wartime activities</i> , 1937 – 1941, booklet
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2	9	2	I: No. 1-100, Oct 1924-Oct 1925
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2	11	1	II: No. 1-100, Jan 1929-Apr 1929
2	11	2	Administrative Papers and Conference Reports, Apr 1929-May 1929, No. 101-200
2	11	3	II: No. 201-300, Jun 1929-Mar 1930 [Fragile]
2	12	1-4	II: No. 301-650, Mar 1930-Sept 1931
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2	14	1-3	III: No. 1-250, May 1933-Dec 1934
2	15	1	III: No. 251-350, Dec 1934-Apr 1935, Including <i>Materials on Middle School Education</i> , Hangchow, 1935, No. 271
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2	19	1	Mailings Post-War: Spiral Notebook Index, 1947-1949 [Fragile] (2 books)
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2	20	3-5	Bulletin of the NCCC: Duplicates [Fragile]
2	20	6	Printed Materials: <i>China Papers on Madras Topics</i> , 3v, 1938
2	20	7	Printed Materials: <i>NCC News</i> , 1948-1950: Jan-Jul, Sep-Dec 1948; Jan-Jun, Sep-Dec 1949; Jan-Jun 1950
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2	21	1	Series I: No.1-41, Aug 1937-Jun 1938
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2	22	1	Series V: No. 1-50, Sep 1940-Aug 1941
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2	22	7	Committee on East Asia: Sep 1942-Dec 1943
2	22	8	Committee on East Asia, 1944
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2	23	9	China Committee Meetings, Jan 1951-Feb 1952
2	23	10	Korea Committee, 1949, Comparison with China on Communism
2	23	11	Japan Committee 1947-1950
2	23	12	Christian Education Report, 1948, The Philippines, Korea, Japan, China, India, Burma
			NCCC Foreign Missions
2	24	1	Buck Hill Falls, 1948: Study of Foreign Missions Financing, 1919-1948
2	24	2	Buck Hill Falls, 1948: Conference on Missionary Personnel and Training
2	24	3	Buck Hill Falls, 1948: Partial Study of the Adult Division
2	24	4	Buck Hill Falls, 1948: Church World Service Asia Committee
2	24	5	Buck Hill Falls, 1948: China Radio Reports and Status
2	24	6	Expenditures in China by Mission Bureaus, 1928-1946
2	24	7	Bulletin: International Missionary Council, 1942-1944
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2	25	3-6	FCCCA Information Service Newsletter, Vol. XXVIII-XXIX, Nos. 1-43, 1949-1952
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4	4	6	Boynton letters to and from Missionary Research Library: Bound Reference set of correspondences and status
4	4	7	Boynton Photo; Newspaper articles; CLB Notes on Collection contents
4	5	1	Shanghai Tiffin Club Bulletins, New York, 1947-1952 [Including Membership card for CLB]
4	5	2	Miscellaneous Pamphlets: Memorial Day Service 1918; Christian Literature Pamphlets; Lutheran World Vision Pamphlet
4	5	3	China Bibliography from Day Missions Library, Yale Divinity School
4	5	4	<i>Courage in Both Hands</i> by Allan A. Hunter
4	5	5	Fong Foo Sec, Biographical Material, assembled by Boynton, 1958
4	5	6	Fong Foo Sec Memorial Information, Photograph
4	5	7	Charts from China [Statistical data re missionary and educational activity] “prepared with the help of Mr. Boynton”, ms, [1915?]