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Scope and Content
Collection consists of research materials, pamphlets, newspapers, press releases, books, news bulletins, art prints, and ephemera distributed by the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Agency (UNRRA) and collected by David N. Leff while on assignment with the UNRRA Mission in Yugoslavia. Many of the pamphlets and periodicals are in Russian, Serbo-Croatian, French, and other languages.

Expanded Scope and Content Note
This collection consists largely of research materials collected by David Leff while on assignment with the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Agency (UNRRA) in Yugoslavia. The bulk of the collection is composed of pamphlets, newspapers, press releases, and news bulletins distributed by UNRRA, covering the years 1945-1948. Though much of the material is in English, many of the pamphlets and periodicals are in Russian, Serbo-Croatian, and various other languages.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the repository's online public access catalog.

**Subjects**

United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Authority--Archives.


- *The Communist: Organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia* (1 copy of each issue in collection). Placed in the Extremist Collection (Collection 50). Available in the Department of Special Collections, UCLA.

**Book Materials**

**Box 1**

Research materials for a book, arranged in folders by planned chapter.

Scope and Content Note

Materials include newspapers, excerpts from the *Jugoslavia Basic Handbook*, photographs, pamphlets, bulletins, some manuscript material, letters, periodicals, clippings, excerpts from articles and reports, and news bulletins.

Chapter headings are:

1) “Old Jugoslavia”
2) “Axis Onslaught”
3) “Occupation”
4) “Partisan Resistance”
5) “Mihailovic -- Hoax or Hero?”
6) “Chronicle of War”
7) “People's Authority”
8) “Old Order Changeth”
9) “Federated People's Republic”
10) “Gentle Revolution”
11) “New Democracy”
12) “Lifeboat of State”
13) “UNRRA”
14) “New Deal, South Slav Style”
15) “Plan and People”
16) “Russian Question”
17) “Neighbors”
18) “Clouds in the West”

**Box 2**

Notes on index cards -- probably arranged for the book.

Physical Description: (3 bundles)

**Box 2**

*Notebook, March 10-23, 1945.*

Physical Description: (Typescript, 13 leaves)

Scope and Content Note

Also a carbon copy.

**Box 2**

*Bibliography of The Gentle Revolution, by David N. Leff. n.p., n.d.*

Physical Description: (Typescript, 13 leaves)

Scope and Content Note

Also a carbon copy.
Box 2

**Key to bibliography, n.p., n.d.**

*Physical Description:* (Typescript, 1 leaf)

*Scope and Content Note*

Also 3 carbon copies.

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**Letter from Thomas A. Bailey to David N. Leff. Stanford, January 3, 1941.**

*Physical Description:* (Holograph, 1 leaf)

*Scope and Content Note*

Including enclosure.

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**Orders and passes, 1944-1945.**

*Physical Description:* (8 items)

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**Miscellaneous ephemera.**

*Physical Description:* (8 items)

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**Metal signs, saying “Dangerous to lean out” in various languages.**

*Physical Description:* (5 items)

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**Documents and Reports**

**Box 2**

*The Progress of Reconstruction in Jugoslavia. UNRRA Jugoslav Mission, Economic Reporting Division, January-June 1946.***

*Scope and Content Note*

Press releases on Economic Subjects issued by the Ministry of Information, F.P.R. of Jugoslavia:

- Report no.1, January 1946.
- Report no.2, February 1946.
- Report no.3, March/April 1946.
- Report no.4, May/June 1946.

**Box 3**


*Physical Description:* (18 items)

**Box 4**


*Physical Description:* (4 items)

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**Box 4**


*Physical Description:* (132 leaves)

**Box 4**

“60,000 Young Jugoslavs build a railway line.” By Leff, David N. UNRRA Jugoslav Mission: Office of Public Information, Belgrade, September 1946.

Confidential Material (English)

**Box 4**


*Physical Description:* (2 vol.)
Box 4  
Physical Description: (2 copies)

**Secret Material - Jugoslavia Basic Handbook**

Box 4  
*Supplement..., January 1944.*
Box 4  
Population of Jugoslavia, (based on data available June 1946.
Box 4  
Part 1 - Pre-Invasion, August 1943.
Box 4  
Part 2 - Post-Invasion, August 1943.
Box 4  
Map section, August 1943.

Division of Operational Analysis, UNRRA European Regional Office

Box 4  
*Transport rehabilitation in Jugoslavia* (Operational Analysis papers, no.27), February 1947.
Box 4  
*Distribution of UNRRA supplies in Jugoslavia* (Operational Analysis papers, no.29), March 1947.

**Miscellaneous Documents (Dittoed)**

Box 4  
*I. Food, n.d*
Physical Description: (13 leaves)

Box 4  
*The problem of nationalities in Jugoslavia in the light of the national Liberation struggle, December 1942.*
Physical Description: (7 leaves)

Box 4  
*Yugoslavia from Versailles to Paris.* By Vladimir Dedijer, n.d.
Physical Description: (5 leaves)

Box 4  
*An interview with General McLean. Translated from “Nova Jugoslavia” (p.13), n.f.*
Physical Description: (7 leaves)

Box 4  
*Declaration of Dr. Subasic's Government (p.98), August 7, 1944.*
Physical Description: (6 leaves)

Box 4  
Physical Description: (1 leaf, carbon copy)

Box 5  
*Jugoslav War Crimes Commission. Report to the International Tribunal, Nuernberg.*
Physical Description: (87 leaves)

Box 5  
*Jugoslav War Crimes Commission. Report to the International Tribunal, Nuernberg.*
Physical Description: ([33] leaves)

Box 5  
*Jugoslav Document Book (miscellaneous documents - translated into English).*
Box 5  
*Explanatory Notes on Jugoslav Documents.*
Physical Description: ([6] leaves)

Box 5  
Physical Description: (199pp.)
Box 5

Physical Description: (57pp.)

Box 5

Physical Description: (92pp.)

Box 5

Physical Description: (41pp. and 5 fold-out maps)

Box 5
“People’s youth of Yugoslavia” (in 3 languages).

Physical Description:

Box 5
Yugoslavia (vol.1, no.1). Belgrade, October 1947.

Box 5
Memorandum of the regional national liberation committee for the Slovene littoral and Trieste.

Physical Description: (23 leaves)

Box 5
Memorandum of the government of the Federative People’s Republic of Yugoslavia on the economic problem of Trieste.

Physical Description: (16 leaves)

Box 5
Annex to the memorandum of the government of the Federative People’s Republic of Yugoslavia on the economic problem of Trieste.

Daily News Bulletins

Physical Description: (Carbon copies)

Box 6
June-December 1945.

Physical Description: (6 folders)

Box 7
January-June 1946.

Box 8
July-November 1946.

Physical Description: (Ditto copies)

Box 9
December 1946-January 1947.

Box 10

Box 11
February-April 1947.

Box 12
April-May 1947.

Box 12
News bulletins (no.7-9), April 26, 28, & May 1, 1949. Published by TANJUG (Telegraphic Agency New Yugoslavia).

Physical Description: (3 items)

Box 12
News clippings (Various papers and periodicals), v.d.

Physical Description: (11 folders)

Scope and Content Note

re Communism, Eastern Europe, Yugoslavia, and related subjects.

Box 12

Scope and Content Note

Also 5-year plan. Included are Jugoslav newspapers, (scattered issues), and dittoed material.


Note
(Reprint from United Nations Series)

UNRRA Materials

First session of the Council of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. Selected documents: Atlantic City, New Jersey, November 10-December 1, 1943.

United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration: Resolutions adopted by the Council at its second session, held at Montreal, September 16-26, 1944. London, 1944.

UNRRA at work (no.1-6). London, June 1946.

Scope and Content Note
“UNRRA: Structure and operations”
“UNRRA in Greece”
“UNRRA in Yugoslavia”
“UNRRA in Albania”
“UNRRA in Poland”
“UNRRA in Czechoslovakia”


Pamphlets and Books, in English and French

The British-Yugoslav association, London
Youth builds a railway, April 1947.
Yugoslavia today and tomorrow, Summer 1948.
The epic of Yugoslavia. Described by Marshal Tito and his Generals. United South Slav Committee, London.

Physical Description: (96pp.)

Adamic, Louis, ed. Liberation. United Committee of South-Slavic Americans.
Kardelj, Edvard. Yugoslavia’s Claim to Trieste. United Committee of South-Slavic Americans.
Pirinsky, George. For a free Macedonia. United Committee of South-Slavic Americans.
  
  Physical Description: (2 copies)

Box 13  Tito, Josip Broz. *Yugoslavia's Foreign Policy*. United Committee of South-Slavic Americans.

Box 13  *The Bulletin* (incomplete), October 1943-December 1946. United Committee of South-Slavic Americans.

Box 13  *These are the people....* American Committee for Yugoslav Relief.
  
  Physical Description: (2 copies)

Box 13  6 untitled flyers. American Committee for Yugoslav Relief.

Box 13  Extracts from field trip report of Philip E. Nelbach, 1948. United Yugoslav Relief Fund of America.

Box 13  *The Slavic American; a quarterly*, Summer 1948 and Fall 1948. United Yugoslav Relief Fund of America.


Box 13  Official documents issued during the two world wars, May 1945. Woodrow Wilson Foundation.

Box 13  Pamphlets on Tito

  Fast, Howard. *The incredible Tito; man of the hour*, 1944.
  
  Physical Description: (2 copies)

Box 13  Fast, Howard. *Tito and his people*, 1944.

Box 13  Pamphlets on Yugoslavia

  Cok, Ivan M. *The first to resist; story of the first underground movement in this war*. London, 1945.


Box 13  *Religion in Yugoslavia.... By seven American Protestant clergymen and editors of religious journals who visited Yugoslavia in the summer of 1947*.

Box 13  *Statuts de la jeunesse populaire Yougoslavie*, 1946.

  
  Physical Description: (2 copies)


Box 13  Miscellaneous Pamphlets - Various Subjects

  Brown, Harold Chapman. *What is philosophy?* Published by California Labor school.

Box 13  *Constitution (fundamental law) of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics*. Moscow, 1944.


Box 13  Weatherwax, John M. *Peace key*. Los Angeles, 1946.

Box 13  Books


Box 13  *La ligne des jeunes; oeuvre de la Jeunesse Populaire de Yougoslavie*.

Box 13  Periodicals
Box 14  
**Trideset Dana, November 1945-May 1947.**  
Physical Description: (14 items)

Box 14  
Scope and Content Note  
vol.2, no.3 (Summer 1947)  
vol.3, no.1 (Winter 1947-1948)  
vol.3, no.2 (Spring 1948)

Box 14  
**Changing Epoch Series (no.1-4). London.**  
Scope and Content Note  
“Studies on the new economic, social, and cultural developments that are taking place in the world today.”

Box 14  
**The Communist: organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Yugoslavia.**  
Scope and Content Note  
no.1, October 1946(2 copies, 1 bound).  
no.2, January 1947 (2 copies, 1 bound).

Box 14  
“How should we meet the threat of the New Comintern?” In *Town Meeting*, vol.13, no.28 (November 4, 1947). [Bulletin of America's Town Meeting of the Air, broadcast by stations of the American Broadcasting Company].

Box 14  
**Viesnik Rada: le messager du travail, November 1946-May 1947.**

Box 15  
**Jež (weekly periodical, incomplete), October 13, 1945-April 24, 1948.**

Box 14  
**Kerempuh. Zagreb, 1947.**  
Physical Description: (2 issues)

**Miscellaneous Books and Pamphlets**

Box 16  
**Miscellaneous books and pamphlets in Serbo-Croatian and Russian.**  
Scope and Content Note  
Includes *Dnevnik*, by Vladimir Dedijer, with copious notes in English.

Box 17  
**Miscellaneous books and pamphlets in various languages -- not English or French.**  
**Oversize Materials**

Box 18  
**Group of loose-leaf art prints, apparently in Russian, 1947.**  
Physical Description: (25 leaves, accompanied by 2 leaves of text)

Box 18  
**For a lasting peace, for a People's Democracy! Organ of the Information Bureau of the Communist Parties. Belgrade, March 1, 1948-April 1, 1949.**  
Physical Description: (9 issues)