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Guide to the

**S.R. Leland papers**

1918-1924

## Summary

**Creator:** Leland, S. R

**Title:** S.R. Leland papers

**Date:** 1918-1924

**Size:** .2 linear feet (7 folders)

**Source:** Gift, Dornbusch, C.E, 1954

**Abstract:** S.R. Leland was an American clergyman. Collection consists of letters, 1918-1919, by Leland to his wife while he was YMCA secretary with the A.E.F. in France and England, describing the English and French countryside, his duties as YMCA secretary (including problems in securing supplies and entertainment for soldiers), and conditions of troops in France. Also, letters to him and an undated account by A.E. Hungerford of the torpedoing of the S.S. Oronsa, on which Leland sailed to England.

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## Creator History

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## **Key Terms**

### **Occupations**

Clergy

### **Geographic Names**

England -- Description and travel

France -- Description and travel

### **Subjects**

World War, 1914-1918 -- England

World War, 1914-1918 -- France

World War, 1914-1918 -- Naval operations

World War, 1914-1918 -- Participation, American

World War, 1914-1918 -- War work

Young Men's Christian associations -- England

Young Men's Christian associations -- France

### **Names**

Leland, S. R

Hungerford, A. E

Oronsa (Ship)

United States. Army. American Expeditionary Forces

YMCA of the USA