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Congregational Christian Service Committee records, 1942-1964. RG4770

Summary

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American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions

General Council of the Congregational and Christian Churches of the United States

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Collection History and Status

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Historical Note: The Committee was established through a resolution from the General Council of Congregational Christian Churches in 1943. In 1952 the committee fell under the auspices of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions (ABCFM). Their primary goal was to provide international relief for disasters and refugees in the form of short-term help. Groups involved with the Service Committee were World Council of Churches, National Council of Churches, Board of Home Missions, Council for Social Action, Church World Service. Earle Ballou served as executive Secretary.

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Further Searches

Subject Headings:

Congregational Christian Service Committee.

American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions.

World Council of Churches.

Council for Social Action.

General Council of the Congregational Christian Churches of the United States.

Refugees.

Ballou, Earle H. (Earle Hoit), 1892-1987

Disaster relief.

Related Materials:

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