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**GOVERNOR TOM C. RYE  
PAPERS  
1915-1919**

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## **INTRODUCTION**

This finding aid covers the gubernatorial papers of Tennessee Governor Tom C. Rye, who served from 1915-1919. It consists of 107 boxes of materials that contain correspondence, special subject files, financial materials, pamphlets, applications, petitions for pardons, and miscellaneous materials.

There are no restrictions on the use of the materials and researchers may make copies of individual items for individual or scholarly use.

## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

Thomas Clarke Rye was born in a Camden log cabin in 1863. Rye read law and at age twenty-one set up a practice. A prohibitionist, as attorney general he acquired a reputation as a man who upheld the law. As governor during the First World War, he saw 80,000 Tennessee enter the forces to fight Germany. He Promoted the “Ouster Law,” which unseated powerful Memphis mayor Edward H. Crump for failing to enforce prohibition laws, although the mayor’s influence was felt for years. Rye’s administration saw major revisions in state government, with the creation of a highway department and boards of charitable institutions and education. Rye returned to his law practice after serving as governor, and died in 1953.

Source: *The Tennessee Blue Book, 2001-2004*, page 498.

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5. Correspondence – Secretary to Governor Tom C. Rye  
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6. Correspondence – Governor Tom C. Rye  
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7. Correspondence – Secretary to Governor Tom C. Rye  
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| 3. Correspondence to H. W. Goodloe – Secretary to Governor Rye<br>Andrews-Young | 1916 |
| 4. Correspondence to H. W. Goodloe – Secretary to Governor Rye<br>Aklen-Ziegans | 1917 |
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| 6. Miscellaneous Correspondence – Bass-Snyder                                   | 1914 |
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**Box 95**

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