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OVERVIEW OF COLLECTION

Title: Jarrett W. Palmer papers

Date: 1895-1964

Extent: 12 boxes (12 linear feet)

Creator: Palmer, Dr. Jarrett W., 1874-1969

Language: English

Repository: Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. specolle@georgiasouthern.edu, 912-478-7819, library.georgiasouthern.edu.

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Related Collections:

50 years of expert care : BMH, 1937-1987

Curtis G. Hames papers, 1944-1995 [manuscript]

John Oliver Kelly medical records, 1911-1934 [manuscript]

Katrine Hawkins clippings, 1950, 1958, 1984 [manuscript]

Doctors, dentists, pharmacists, and veterinarians who practiced in Effingham County in the late 1800s and early 1900s / researched and prepared by Norman V. Turner.

Julian K. Quattlebaum collection, 1933-1984 [manuscript]

ABOUT THE COLLECTION

Biographical History: [Dr. Jarret William Palmer](#) was born on May 22, 1874, to parents Emma Dent and William T. Palmer (1851-1922) in Ailey, Montgomery County, Ga. He married Stella Riddle on May 26, 1904, and together they had three children. Palmer later married Eula Marie Peterson on June 22, 1937; they had no children. Palmer was elected as the President of The Medical Association of Georgia in 1918, and as the President of the Georgia Board of Medical Examiners in 1921. He was involved in a variety of associations, ranging from college committees, church organizations, and medical organizations. Palmer died on October 23, 1969, in Montgomery, Georgia, at the age of 95, and was buried in the Petterson Family Cemetery in Ailey, Georgia.

Scope and Content: Assembled by Dr. Jarrett W. Palmer (1874-1969), this collection features documents detailing Palmer's religious and medical practices in Ailey, Ga. Materials span 1895-1964, and include religious and medical publications, bank statements, financial and administrative forms, insurance paperwork, medical records and referrals, various artifacts from his practice, and other relevant documentation.

System of Arrangement:

Collection is organized chronologically by subject.

Box 1: Religious 0200106501204

Box 2: Legal & Financial 0200106501212

Box 3: More Finances 0200106501220

Box 4: More Finances 0200106501238

- Box 5: Medical Publications** 0200106501246
Box 6: Medical Records 0200106501253
Box 7: Association of Seaboard Airline Railway Surgeons 0200106501261
Box 8: Association of Seaboard Airline Railway Surgeons continued
0200106501279
Box 9: Catalogs and Certificates 0200106501287
Box 10: Artifacts 0200106501295
Box 11: Legal Documents 0200106501303
Box 12: Miscellaneous and Medical Examinations 0200106501311

Acquisitions Info: Gift of Mrs. Stella Will Moore, 1983, through Dr. Roger G. Branch, 1998.

Access Points:

Jarrett W Palmer
Roger G Branch
Stella Will Moore
Palmer, Jarrett W
Physicians -- Georgia -- Montgomery County -- Biography -- Sources
Physicians
Georgia -- Montgomery County
Montgomery County (Ga.)
Ailey (Ga.)
Branch, Roger G., 1934-
Medical Association of Georgia
Brewton-Parker College
Georgia State Board of Medical Examiners
Seaboard Air Line Railroad Company

CONTAINER LISTING

Box 1: Religious 0200106501204

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
The Christian Index, 1948-1950	1	1
The Christian Index, 1951-1967	1	2
The Christian Index Photocopies	1	3
Miscellaneous Religious Publications, 1950-1954	1	4
Miscellaneous Religious Publications, 1956-1967	1	5

Church and Religious Documents	1	6
Georgia Sunday School Records, book	1	<i>Loose</i>
Black Notebook about Sunday school	1	<i>Loose</i>
Daniel Baptist Association Session Booklets, 1923-1964	1	<i>Loose</i>
Dodge County Baptist Association, Minutes of the 68th annual Session, 1948	1	<i>Loose</i>
Hephzibah Baptist Association, 154th Session, 1948	1	<i>Loose</i>
The Baptist Adult Union Manual	1	<i>Loose</i>
Training in Church Membership	1	<i>Loose</i>
Building a Standard Sunday school	1	<i>Loose</i>
Alcohol the Destroyer	1	<i>Loose</i>
Associational Sunday school Work	1	<i>Loose</i>

Box 2: Legal & Financial 0200106501212

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Brewton Parker College	2	1
Indentures, Deeds, and Conveyances	2	2
Receipts and Invoices	2	3
Bank Statements 1950-1955	2	4
Bank Statements 1956-1959	2	5
Bank Statements 1960-1964	2	6
Bank Statements 1965-1967	2	7
Checking Ledgers	2	8
Miscellaneous Financial Paperwork	2	9
Bank account books: 1916, 1917, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1928, 1930, 1933, 1934, 1939, 1942, 1947, 1957, and 1963.	2	<i>Loose</i>

Box 3: More Finances 0200106501220

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Fragile Documents – mostly checks	3	1
Checks 1902-1955, four leather-bound checkbooks.	3	<i>Loose</i>

Box 4: More Finances 0200106501238

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Bank Statement Envelopes	4	1
Checks 1955-1967	4	<i>Loose</i>
Book entitled "Physician's Daily visiting List and Record 1947." Used to record finances.	4	<i>Loose</i>

Box 5: Medical Publications 0200106501246

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Public Health Publications	5	1
Journal of the Medical Association of Georgia, 1923-1946	5	2
Journal of the Medical Association of Georgia, 1949-1967	5	3
Medical Journals and Publications (1)	5	4
Medical Journals and Publications (2)	5	5
Medical Journals and Publications (3)	5	6
Southern Medical Journal	5	7
Drug Reports and Advertisements	5	8
Medical Catalogs	5	9
Medical Order Forms	5	10

Box 6: Medical Records 0200106501253

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
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Public Health Information	6	1
Medical Records and Referrals A	6	2
Medical Records and Referrals B	6	3
Medical Records and Referrals C, D	6	4
Medical Records and Referrals E,F	6	5
Medical Records and Referrals G	6	6
Medical Records and Referrals H	6	7
Medical Records and Referrals I, J, K	6	8
Medical Records and Referrals L	6	9
Medical Records and Referrals M	6	10
Medical Records and Referrals N, O	6	11
Medical Records and Referrals P, R	6	12
Medical Records and Referrals S	6	13
Medical Records and Referrals T	6	14
Medical Records and Referrals U, V	6	15
Medical Records and Referrals W, Y, Z	6	16
Miscellaneous Records	6	17
Hospital Admission	6	18
Miscellaneous Medical Forms, Letters, and Information	6	19

Box 7: Association of Seaboard Airline Railway Surgeons 0200106501261

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Programs, Minutes, Transactions, and Proceedings of the Association from 1904-1951	7	<i>Loose</i>

Box 8: Association of Seaboard Airline Railway Surgeons continued 0200106501279

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
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Miscellaneous Papers Regarding the Railway Surgeons	8	1
Programs, Minutes, Transactions, and Proceedings of the Association from 1952-1961	8	<i>Loose</i>
Two (2) record books/membership lists of the Association.	8	<i>Loose</i>

Box 9: Catalogs and Certificates 0200106501287

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Nine (9) large, fold-out catalogs from medical and drug suppliers	9	<i>Loose</i>
Fourteen (14) certificates of commendation for Palmer's years of service in the medical field	9	<i>Loose</i>
Turpentine calendar from 1967	9	<i>Loose</i>
Map of Arkansas	9	<i>Loose</i>

Box 10: Artifacts 0200106501295

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Penholder	10	<i>Loose</i>
Brace (?) with two (2) pads	10	<i>Loose</i>
Coke can (1966-1970)	10	<i>Loose</i>
Medicine envelope/prescription envelope	10	<i>Loose</i>
"Atlas Atomizer" – in box	10	<i>Loose</i>
Two (2) boxed Larostidin "Roche" injection ampoules – with liquid intact	10	<i>Loose</i>
Tycos blood pressure cuff	10	<i>Loose</i>
Metal lancet case	10	<i>Loose</i>
Blood transfusion kit	10	<i>Loose</i>
Glass syringes	10	<i>Loose</i>
Dermal ligatures	10	<i>Loose</i>

Two (2) scalpel blade cases, with unused blades	10	<i>Loose</i>
Small beige-colored box with two (2) syringe needles	10	<i>Loose</i>
Black case containing glass jars with metal screw tops	10	<i>Loose</i>
Boxed "Radox" soaking salts, opened	10	<i>Loose</i>
Copper wire	10	<i>Loose</i>
Metal "MD" plate	10	<i>Loose</i>
Boxed Pituitrin ampule	10	<i>Loose</i>
Keys (x2)	10	<i>Loose</i>
Silver and teal-colored pen	10	<i>Loose</i>
Two (2) boxed Cincosal ampoules	10	<i>Loose</i>
Alcohol lamp	10	<i>Loose</i>
Lavender Oil bottle, liquid intact	10	<i>Loose</i>
Clear glass bottle, empty	10	<i>Loose</i>
Brown glass bottle, empty	10	<i>Loose</i>
Brown bottle, labeled "Columbia Drug Co.", containing viscous fluid with floating mass inside	10	<i>Loose</i>
Oil Origanum (oregano) bottle, almost full	10	<i>Loose</i>
Methyl Salicylate (wintergreen oil) bottle, liquid intact	10	<i>Loose</i>
Square bottle labeled "Abbott Alkaloidal Co. - Chicago"	10	<i>Loose</i>
Oil of Cedar bottle	10	<i>Loose</i>
Bottle of compressed tablets used for making lime water	10	<i>Loose</i>
Bottle of Ammonium Bromide	10	<i>Loose</i>
Stone slab with measurements	10	<i>Loose</i>
Color blindness test kit	10	<i>Loose</i>
Stamp with Dr. Palmer's name imprinted on it	10	<i>Loose</i>
Wooden clipboard	10	<i>Loose</i>

Heart-shaped medical pendant	10	<i>Loose</i>
Hemoglobin test scale book	10	<i>Loose</i>
Glasses lenses	10	<i>Loose</i>
Miscellaneous metal pieces in a plastic baggy	10	<i>Loose</i>

Box 11: Legal Documents 0200106501303

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Income Tax Documents, 1925, 1929, 1940-1950	11	1
Income Tax Documents, 1951-1966	11	2
Miscellaneous Income Tax Figures	11	3
Insurance Documents	11	4
J.A. Riddle Legal and Financial Documents	11	5
Miscellaneous Records	11	6
Investigations and Forms	11	7
Letterheads and Envelopes	11	8
Photocopies	11	9
Academic Papers	11	10
Correspondence	11	11
Three (3) small packets with badly water-damaged documents	11	<i>Loose</i>
Two (2) large packets with sundry clippings from newspapers and journals	11	<i>Loose</i>

Box 12: Miscellaneous and Medical Examinations 0200106501311

<u>Items</u>	<u>Box Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Notepads	12	1
Clippings	12	2
Miscellaneous Notes	12	3

Prescriptions	12	4
Photos, other delicate documents	12	5
Post, postcards and parcel information	12	6
Agriculture	12	7
Advertisements	12	8
Railway Tickets	12	9
Miscellaneous Social security pamphlet Formal invitation Brochure to visit Jamestown Graduation commencement program Other items	12	10
Correspondence	12	11
Examination Books (1)	12	12
Examination Books (2)	12	13
Examination Notes	12	14
Test Questions	12	15
Examination Schedules	12	16
State Board of Medical Examiners Letters	12	17
State Board Speech	12	18
Book, "Report on Examination Institutes 1957-1958-1959"	12	<i>Loose</i>
Book, "Appointment Book"	12	<i>Loose</i>
Yearbook, The Collegian of 1911, Maryland Medical College, missing covers	12	<i>Loose</i>