

Medical and Hospital Series
Eleanor S. Brockenbrough Library, The Museum of the Confederacy

Hospital Collection

This large collection consists of records for various hospitals in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Missouri, Pennsylvania, and Virginia. The records that are included in the collection are lists, rules and regulations, correspondence, memoirs, registers and other record books, letter and order books, accounts, and histories.

Finding aid is available.

Abel Seymour Baldwin Collection and General Hospital, Lake City, Florida Collection
(*MssI-Ba001*)

The Baldwin Collection consists of letter books for the latter half the Civil War, an account book, a case book, and a furlough book. These records were kept by Confederate Surgeon Abel Seymour Baldwin, who was in charge of the Lake City General Hospital beginning in mid-1862. He later served as the chief surgeon of the District of East Florida and then as the Acting Medical Director of General Hospitals in Florida and Quitman, Georgia.

Finding aid is available.

Sally Louisa Tompkins and Robertson Hospital Collection

This collection contains miscellaneous items that were in the possession of Sally Louisa Tompkins. The most significant items are her commission as a Confederate captain, the register for Robertson Hospital, and letters from soldiers who were patients at Robertson Hospital.

Finding aid is available.

Record of Wounds Treated at Winder Hospital (*MS-19180605*)

This record book—which is a part of the Hospital Collection—was kept by Private Henry Clay Rees of Company B of the 8th Virginia Infantry and includes the time period of August 1862 to November 1864. Since Rees was detailed as a clerk in January 1865, it is likely that all of the entries were copied from some earlier source.

Index is available.

Medical Personnel Collection

The Medical Personnel Collections consists primarily of the orders, correspondence, and biographical sketches of Confederate surgeons, but papers from hospital stewards and matrons are also included in this collection.

Finding aid is available.

William Allan Carrington Collection

The Carrington Collection includes several Reports of Sick and Wounded for North Carolina units for March and April 1865, as well as reports from the “Hospitals in & around Richmond” for December 1862 and February 1863. Surgeon William A. Carrington held several positions during the Civil War, including inspector of hospitals and medical director.

Finding aid is available.

Hunter Holmes McGuire Collection

The McGuire Collection consists primarily of morning reports from the spring of 1861 and reports of sick and wounded from mid- to late-1862. Hunter H. McGuire is best known as Lieutenant General Thomas J. Jackson's medical director. After Jackson's death, McGuire served in this capacity for Lieutenant General Richard S. Ewell and Lieutenant General Jubal A. Early.

Finding aid is available.

Samuel Hollingsworth Stout Collection (MS-19521201)

The Stout Collection consists of orders, correspondence, and circulars, most of which are from the latter half of the Civil War. Surgeon Stout ended the Civil War as the Medical Director of Hospitals of the Army of Tennessee.

Finding aid is available.

Isaac S. Tanner Collection

Surgeon Isaac Tanner spent the majority of the Civil War with the 21st North Carolina Infantry and Major General Robert F. Hoke's Division. This collection includes his correspondence, record books for the 21st North Carolina Infantry and Hoke's Division, as well as a prescription book from the 85th New York Volunteers.

Finding aid is available.

The Confederate Association of Army and Navy Surgeons Collection

This small collection consists of a questionnaire regarding the treatment of wounds, a list of members, records, and several issues of the *Confederate States Medical & Surgical Journal*. This organization was formed in Richmond in August of 1863 for the purpose of sharing information on military medicine.

Finding aid is available.

Department of Virginia Collection

The Department of Virginia Collection consists solely of a "List of Sick and Wounded Allowed to Remain in Private Quarters and Furloughed 1863" and the "Roster General Hospitals Dep[artmen]t of Virginia 1864." The former book is useful to those who are researching individual soldiers, and the latter book is useful to those who are searching for medical personnel.

Finding aid is available.

Miscellaneous Items

The items in this collection do not fit neatly into any of the collections that comprise the Medical and Hospital Series. Items that are a part of this small collection include a biographical sketch of Crawford Williamson Long (a surgeon who was not a part of the Confederate military), a roster of individuals who attended a 1875 meeting of the Association of Medical Officers of the Confederate Army and Navy (a postwar organization), a consolidated report of the sick and wounded who served in the Army of Tennessee, and a petition to the General Assembly of Virginia that concerns apothecaries.

Finding aid is available.

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Hospital Collection

Box 1:

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- Lee Hospital, Columbus, Georgia: Appointment of Matrons, November 23, 1864
- Catoosa Hospital, Griffin, Georgia: Rules and Regulations, ca. 1863
- Wayside Hospital, Savannah, Georgia: Letter, July 1, 1865
- Unidentified Hospital, Savannah, Georgia [?]: List of Committee Members, Volunteers, Free Women of Color
- Unidentified Hospital, St. Louis, Missouri: Memoir
- Gettysburg College Hospital and Camp Letterman Hospital/General Hospital, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania: List of Patients
- Liberty Hospital, Bedford, Virginia: History
- General Hospital, Danville, Virginia: List of Dead, March 1864-November 1864; "A List of Property in charge of The Chief Matron 1st Div[isio]n Gen[era]l Hos[pital] Danville Va.," April 1864 and July 1864
- Alabama Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Accounts, Inventories, Invoices, October 1 1862-October 1, 1863; List of Patient Effects and Record of Deaths
- Chimborazo Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: 1930s Correspondence, 1930s; Images; Newspaper Clippings; Pamphlets
- Clopton Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Accounts; Clopton Family Information; Correspondence, 1861-1865; List of Employees; History; Newspaper Clippings; Pass; Receipt; Miscellaneous
- 4th Street Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Commendation of Surgeon William H. Gwathmey; Correspondence, 1861-1863; Register
- General Hospital No. 9, Richmond, Virginia: Furlough; Morning Reports, ca. June 1862
- General Hospital No. 12, Richmond, Virginia: List of Dead for Banner Hospital and the Old Soldiers Home, April 1862, October 1864, June 1896, September 1915
- Jackson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Rules Governing Matrons
- Stuart Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Voucher for Supplies
- Winder Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Orders Detailing Men for Hospital Duty, February 1863-June 1863; Receipt, September 4, 1862
- Unidentified Prison Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Report of Medical Officers
- General Hospital, Smithfield, Virginia: Inventory of Supplies, March 18, 1862
- Hospital, Warrenton Springs, Virginia: Correspondence, 1861

Box 2:

- Admission Records, Confederate States Hospital, Petersburg, Virginia, 1862-1864: Aaron-Griffith and typed inventory

Box 3:

- Admission Records, Confederate States Hospital, Petersburg, Virginia, 1862-1864: Grigsby-Powell

Box 4:

- Admission Records, Confederate States Hospital, Petersburg, Virginia, 1862-1864: Powers-Ziegler

Oversize Box 1:

- Chimborazo Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Account Book, February 1, 1864-April 2, 1865
- Clopton Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Folder, Prescription and Diet Book, August 15, 1862-September 15, 1862, Register, June 9, 1862-September 9, 1862
- General Hospital No. 8, Richmond, Virginia: Account Book with List of Personnel, June 1, 1862-November 1864

Oversize Box 2:

- Winder Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Record of Wounds Treated, August 1862-November 1864

Oversize Box 3:

- General Hospital, Gordonsville, Virginia: Register, June 1, 1863-May 5, 1864

Oversize Box 4:

- General Hospital, Emory, Virginia: Register, December 4, 1862-April 5, 1865
- General Hospital No. 2, Lynchburg, Virginia: Supplies and Orders Book for 3rd Ward, 3rd Division, October 9, 1862-April 7, 1865

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- General Hospital, Danville, Virginia: Surgeon's Office Special Orders, March 8, 1863-October 4, 1863
- General Hospital, Front Royal, Virginia: Letter and Order Book, September 10, 1861-January 6, 1865
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Medical Personnel CollectionBox 1:

- Rutherford Collection: Surgeons' Biographies
- List of Surgeons and Assistant Surgeons
- List: Members of the Richmond Ambulance Corps
- Thomas Benjamin Amiss (Assistant Surgeon): Articles, Correspondence, Correspondence of Mrs. T. B. Amiss, Covers, Pass, Photographs
- Alexander Hamilton Bayly (Steward): Oath of Allegiance, Parole, Special Orders
- Robert J. Breckenridge, Jr. (Surgeon): Biographical Sketch
- Peter Fielding Browne (Surgeon): Appointment
- Hugh William Caffey (Surgeon): Correspondence
- William Allan Carrington (Surgeon): Biographical Sketch

- Benjamin Mellinchamp Cromwell (Surgeon): Appointments, Correspondence, Pass, Special Orders
- Corbin D. Fletcher (Surgeon): Biographical Sketch
- Edward Archalaus Flewellen (Surgeon/Medical Director): Correspondence
- John Harvey Fryar (Steward): Correspondence, Reflections
- Charles J. Gee (Surgeon): Invoice
- G. A. Hamill (Assistant Surgeon): Correspondence, Invoice
- Harrison, Jacob Prosser (Assistant Surgeon): Appointment, Appraisal of Horse and Equipment, Orders, Oath, Parole, Pass, Report of Examination, Special Orders
- H. M. Haw (Matron): Certification
- Caspar C. Henkel (Surgeon): Correspondence
- Brodie S. Herndon, Sr. (Surgeon): Correspondence
- Dabney A. Herndon (Surgeon): Correspondence
- William Dixon Horton (Assistant Surgeon): Calling Cards and Covers, Correspondence, forms, Medical Approval, Miscellaneous, Orders, Passes, Receipt, Special Orders, Tickets
- Thomas S. Hudgins (Medical Purveyor's Office [?], Richmond, VA): Biographical Sketch
- John Claudius L'Engle, Jr. (Assistant Surgeon): Correspondence, Oath of Allegiance to the C.S.A., Special Orders
- Richmond Addison Lewis (Surgeon): Correspondence, Manuscript, Obituary, Orders, Report of Examination
- Albert Sydenham Mayo (Assistant Surgeon): Appointment, Obituary
- John Minor (Surgeon): Appointment, Correspondence, Furlough Request, Oath of Allegiance, Orders, Report of Examination, Special Orders
- Aristides Monteiro (Surgeon): Biographical Sketch, Commission, Correspondence, Genealogical Information, Invoice, Miscellaneous, Parole, Passes, Report of Examination, Special Orders
- Robert Pooler Myers (Assistant Surgeon): Appointments, Correspondence, Oath of Allegiance, Orders, Parole, Special Orders, United Daughters of the Confederacy Certificate
- George Luther Nye (Steward): Correspondence, Receipts
- John Beverly Oden (Surgeon): Invoice
- Lucy Wilhelmina Norvell Otey (Administrator): Correspondence, Obituaries, Program

Box 2:

- Homer Lee Parsons (Surgeon): Appointment, Correspondence, Oath of Allegiance, Orders, Report of Examination, Special Orders
- Nettleton Hoge Payne (Surgeon): Biographical Sketch
- Milton Ritenour (Surgeon): Correspondence, Note on Character
- George Ross (Assistant Surgeon): Autographs, Appointment, Biographical Sketch, Certification of Service, Commission, Correspondence, Orders, Receipts, Special Orders
- Franklin Brevard Shuford (Assistant Surgeon): Biographical Sketch, Correspondence, Resolution
- Luther L. Swank (Steward): Article, Correspondence

- William Alexander Thom (Surgeon): Order
- R. C. White (Assistant Surgeon): Voucher
- Unidentified: Correspondence

Oversize Box 1:

- William Newton Jett (Surgeon): Diploma
- John Claudius L'Engle, Jr. (Assistant Surgeon): Invoice
- R. H. McGill (Steward): Memorandum Book
- S. Meredith (Surgeon): Surgical Notebook
- J. W. Powell (Surgeon): Surgical Notebook
- Elizabeth Moir Mason Rowland (Matron): "Rules for Governing the Matrons of Jackson Hospital" (*See Family History Series Oversize Box 1*)
- Kate Mason Rowland (Matron): Appointment (*See Family History Series Oversize Box 1*)
- Leonard A. Slater (Surgeon): Diplomas
- J. H. Stevens (Surgeon): Surgical Notebook
- Joseph Yates (Surgeon): Notebook
- Unidentified (Surgeon): Surgical Notebook

Abel Seymour Baldwin and General Hospital, Lake City, Florida Collection

Oversize Box 1:

- Abel Seymour Baldwin, Letter Book, July 20, 1863-February 8, 1864
- Abel Seymour Baldwin, Letter Book, January 31, 1865-May 12, 1865
- General Hospital, Lake City, Florida, Account Book, March 25, 1864-May 7, 1865
- General Hospital, Lake City, Florida, Case Book, March 13, 1864-January 14, 1865
- General Hospital, Lake City, Florida, Furlough Book, July 2, 1864-October 25, 1864

William Allan Carrington Collection

Oversize Box 1:

- William Allan Carrington: Reports, December 1862-April 3, 1865

Hunter Holmes McGuire Collection

Oversize Box 1:

- Hunter Homes McGuire: Returns and Reports, April 1861-October 1862; Envelopes and Labels; "The Seven Days Fighting about Richmond"

Isaac S. Tanner Collection

Oversize Box 1:

- 21st North Carolina Infantry: Book of Tables of Descriptive Wounds, Invoices, Medical Officers' Returns, Summaries of Sick and Wounded, and Surgical Cases, May 25, 1862-December 31, 1864
- 21st North Carolina Infantry: Register of Dead, Sick, and Wounded and Book of Invoices and Orders, March 24, 1862-March 1864

Oversize Box 2:

- Hoke's Division: Casualties and Account Book, July 1, 1864-April 9, 1865
- Hoke's Division: Register of Killed and Wounded and General Orders, December 29, 1862-April 20, 1865
- Hoke's Division: Special Orders, Circulars, and Letters, October 16, 1862-February 28, 1865

Oversize Box 3:

- 85th New York Volunteers: Prescription Book, October 19, 1862-August 23, 1863

Sally Louisa Tompkins and Robertson Hospital CollectionBox 1:

- Sally Louisa Tompkins (Administrator): Correspondence, Receipts, Memorials/Monuments, Magazine and Newspaper Clippings, Biographical Sketch, Will, Lock of Hair, Measure of Shoe, Miscellaneous, Miscellaneous Inventories
- Sally Louisa Tompkins (Administrator) and Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Patient Letters, Receipts and Bills
- Receiving and Forwarding Hospital, ANV: Admissions
- Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Miscellaneous Documents

Oversize Box 1:

- Sally Louisa Tompkins (Administrator): Account and Copy Book, ca. 1850s
- Sally Louisa Tompkins (Administrator): Commission, September 9, 1861
- Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Account Book, 1862
- Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Account Book, June 1863-October 1863
- Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Account Book, 1864
- Robertson Hospital, Richmond, Virginia: Register

Department of VirginiaOversize Box 1:

- "List of Sick and Wounded Allowed to Remain in Private Quarters and Furloughed 1863"
- "Roster General Hospitals Dep[artmen]t of Virginia 1864"

MiscellaneousBox 1:

- Association of Army and Navy Surgeons Collection: Correspondence; List of Members; Minutes, August 1863-March 1865; *Confederate States Medical and Surgical Journal*, February 1864, March 1864, and April 1864
- Samuel H. Stout (Medical Director): Correspondence, Orders, Circulars, Passes, Discharges, Lists, Returns, Invoices, Forms, Oath of Allegiance, 1861-1865
- Isaac S. Tanner (Surgeon): Correspondence, 1863-1864; Report, December 1864

- Miscellaneous Documents: Biographical Sketch of Crawford Williamson Long, Association of Medical Offices of the Confederate Army and Navy minutes, October 1875; Medical Director's Consolidated Report for the Army of Tennessee, December 1864