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Summary Information

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Historical Note

The Arkansas State Medical Association was the first state organization for regular physicians. It was organized in 1870, but dissolved in 1873 after a disagreement between the Little Rock and Pulaski County Medical Society members. The Arkansas Medical Society was founded in 1875. Its first president was Dr. William B. Welch of Boonsboro, Washington County, Arkansas. The society began publishing the Journal of the Arkansas Medical Society in 1890. Today, the Arkansas Medical Society describes itself as an organization that supports physicians and seeks to improve the delivery of healthcare services.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains materials relating to the Arkansas Medical Society including correspondence, newsletters, and published articles.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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This collection is open for research use. The ASA possesses the material listed in this finding aid in the original format, but due to preservation concerns this collection is accessible to the public through microfilm format.

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Unknown.

Collection Inventory

1. Copy of George Washington Lawrence script for the broadcast of "Doctors-Then and Now."
23pp. 1947 May 9

2. Correspondence and memorandums from office of AMS and AMS members 1961-1966

3. Newsletters from ARKPAC; Blue Cross and Blue Shield; Rep. Oren Harris 1962-1966

4. Two published articles from "The Journal of the Arkansas Medical Society" 1961; 1963