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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract: Records relating to the history, growth, and development of the School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences at Purdue University.

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Restrictions

Access: Collection is open for research. The collection is stored offsite; 24 hours notice is required to access the collection.

Related Materials The Glenn L. Jenkins Papers, Purdue University

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Historical Sketch

The idea of developing a school of pharmacy at Purdue University was first brought up in 1883 when Purdue’s President James H. Smart visited the drug store of his friend, Indianapolis pharmacist John Newell Hurty. Hurty pointed out to Smart that it would be in the university’s best interests to add pharmaceutical studies to its curriculum. Smart agreed to bring the idea up before Purdue’s Board of Trustees with the provision that Hurty would head up the school for at least two years. In the fall of 1884, Purdue’s School of Pharmacy opened its doors with an enrollment of seven students. The faculty of four was headed by Hurty, who traveled from Indianapolis one day a week to deliver lectures. In 1888, A.L. Green was officially appointed dean of the school after a two year interim period when Hurty stepped down as the school’s head in 1886. That same year, Hurty was awarded the school’s first doctorate degree in pharmacy.

In 1910, Charles B. Jordan was appointed head of the School of Pharmacy. One of his main goals was to provide more space for the growing school which originally shared Building No. 2 with the departments of Chemistry, Physics, Mechanics, and Civil Engineering. In 1894, these departments were moved to a new building and the school of pharmacy became the sole occupant of the building. By the 1920s the school had outgrown the aging building and at the urging of Dean Jordan, President Edward C. Elliott went before Indiana’s General Assembly to request funds for a new building. The funding was granted and the new school, which was stocked and furnished by a generous contribution from J.K. Lilly, opened its doors in 1930. Dean Jordan also inaugurated several programs to insure a more complete education of pharmacy students. One of these was the nurturing and promotion of graduate studies. In 1925, Anna Florence Shireman became the first pharmacy student to receive a Master’s degree. In 1932, Alice Haden became the first woman awarded a Ph.D. degree from Purdue University when she attained her doctorate through the Pharmacy School.

Glenn Jenkins became head of the School of Pharmacy in 1941 following the death of Dean Jordan. Jenkins immediately reorganized the graduate program and added departments of instruction for graduate work: pharmacology and pharmacognosy in 1941, bionucleonics in 1947, physical pharmacy in 1956, and pharmacy administration in 1957. In 1950, the first African American male to receive a Ph.D. at Purdue was Phillip V. Hammond, who received a doctorate in pharmacology. Five years later, Dolores Cooper became the first African American woman to receive a Ph.D. at the university with a doctorate in pharmacology. In 1960, the curriculum was changed from a minimum four-year course to a minimum five-year course with one year of pre-pharmacy and four years of pharmacy instruction. In 1963, the name of the school was changed from School of Pharmacy to School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences to indicate the school’s new educational objectives. By the 1960s, Purdue’s School of Pharmacy had become the fifth largest undergraduate and the largest graduate school of pharmacy in the United States. The school was a pioneer in pharmaceutical research, most notably in the area of bionucleonics, a term which was coined by Purdue’s President Hovde and Dr. John E. Christian. When Jenkins retired in 1966, he left solid research and undergraduate programs as his legacy. His successors have followed his example and Purdue’s School
of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences continues to be a world wide leader in pharmaceutical education and research. In 1970, the school moved into a new 145,000 square foot facility which was dedicated the Robert E. Heine Pharmacy Building in 1985.

From the first day of class in 1884 to the present, the school’s philosophy and curriculum have been based on two basic principles: one, that the students should be educated in the appropriate sciences to become pharmacists who could serve in a professional capacity as pharmacist, researcher, or teacher who would contribute to the protection of the public’s health; and two, in order to achieve these high standards the students would be educated by professional pharmacists and scientists devoted to teaching and research. Purdue’s School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences continues to evolve and is dedicated to the education of future pharmacists and researchers.

School of Pharmacy Deans
J.N. Hurty 1884-1886
A.L. Green 1888-1910
C.B. Jordan 1910-1941
G.L. Jenkins 1941-1966
V. E. Tyler 1966-1986
C.O. Rutledge 1987-2002
J.M. Pezzuto 2002- Present
Scope and Content Note

The School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences Records (1881-1992; 6 Cubic ft.) document the history, growth, and development of the School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences at Purdue University. The Records are divided into five series: History and General Information on the School; Faculty and Alumni Information; Photographic Materials; Audio-Visual and Electronic Media; and Artifacts.

Types of materials include: correspondence, printed material, reports, photographic materials, lists, ephemera, works of art on paper, surveys, interview transcripts, resumes, certificates, audio-visual materials, artifacts, and electronic media.
Inventory

Box 1 [Storage, Aisle 365]
History and General Information, 1881-1989

Elliott, Edward C., 1946-1956
  Correspondence between President Elliott and Rufus A. Lyman
Fraternal Organizations in Pharmacy – Historical Background, ca. 1963-1978
  Directories, brochures, business correspondence
Graduate Alumni (Office Copy), ca. 1886-1958
History of Purdue Pharmaceutical Education, ca. 1885-1985
History of Purdue Pharmacy Education #1, ca. 1893-1984
  Reports, articles, booklets, brochures, business correspondence
    “History of the First Ten Years of the Purdue University School of Pharmacy,” n.d.
Industrial & Physical Pharmacy Department, ca. 1980s
  Brochures regarding graduate studies
Interim Report of Purdue School of Pharmacy to the American Council on
  Pharmaceutical Education, April 1981
Jordan, Charles B. – Correspondence, 1916-1941 [3 files]
Library: School of Pharmacy, 1942-1986
  Clippings, brochures, articles
Lilly – Miscellaneous Information / History, ca. 1960s-1970s
  Articles, brochures, and clippings regarding the Eli Lilly Pharmaceutical
    Company
Logo: Original for School of Pharmacy, ca. 1984
  Photographs of logo, articles
M.S. and Ph.D. Alumni, ca. 1886-1958
  List of degrees granted by School of Pharmacy
Medicinal Chemistry Department, 1981-1984
  General information reports
Merck, Sharp, and Dohme: 50 Years of Research, ca. 1980s
  Brochures
Museum: Correspondence About Pieces Owned by School of Pharmacy, ca. 1930-1950s
  Business correspondence
National Library of Medicine Sesquicentennial, 1836-1986
  Booklet
Newsletters: School of Pharmacy, Nursing & Health Science, 1972-1989
Pharmacy Alumni List, 1886-1942
Pharmacy Practice Department, 1989
  Policy manual update
Pre-Pharm Year, ca. 1949
  Admission requirements
Purdue – Movie “One Brick Higher,” 1949
  Business correspondence
Purdue Alumni who served in World War II, ca. 1940s
Purdue Club of Chicago (Pharmacy), n.d.
  Report
Purdue Pharmacy Student Tours, 1965-1967
  Business correspondence
Purdue University – School of Health Sciences – Publicity, ca. 1980s
  Articles, clippings
Purdue University – School of Nursing – Publicity, ca. 1970-1980
  Articles, clippings
Story of Patents & Progress, 1966
  DuPont brochure
Study: Commission on Pharmaceuticals, 1975-1976
  Articles regarding the study
Trace Level Research Institute – Purdue, 1960
  Reports, business correspondence
Wetherill Laboratory of Chemistry – Dedication: June 1955
  Booklet
Wisconsin / Historical Association of Pharmacy – Archives, 1973-1975
  Articles

Box 2 [Storage, Aisle 365]
History and General Information, 1941-1991

8th Annual Graduate Student Meeting in Medical Chemistry, Purdue University, 1975
Centennial Materials, Miscellaneous, 1983-1984
  Centennial Brochures, 1984
  Program – Centennial, 1983-1984
  Centennial, 1984
    Business correspondence, reports
  Centennial Addresses, 1984
  Distinguished Alumnus Award – Centennial, 1984
    Business correspondence
  Speakers – Centennial, 1984
    Business correspondence
  Sponsors – Centennial, 1984
    Business correspondence
  News Releases - Centennial, 1984
  Centennial Material, 1984
    Clippings, brochures
Enrollment / Degrees Present: 1943-1965
  Clippings, business correspondence, reports
Faculty Meeting Record Book, ca. 1941-1954
Heine Pharmacy Building – Dedication, 1985
  Sketches of building, copy of dedication proceedings, programs, brochures
Heine Pharmacy Building, 1970
Sketches of building, brochures
Pharmacy Department and School Publications, ca. 1934-1982
Booklets
Pharmacy Faculty News, 1966-1987
Newsletters
PhD Abstracts: 1932-1935, Alice Hayden, John Goorley, H.D. DeKay, G. Baker
Power, Frederick Belding, n.d.
Picture and list of pharmaceutical contributions
Purdue University School of Pharmacy #3, 1986-1991
Clippings, programs, reports
Register of PhD Candidates in Pharmacology, 1974-1975
School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences Annual Report, 1987-1988
Booklets
Varro E. Tyler Lectures, 1987 [2 copies]

Box 3 [Storage, Aisle 365]
History and General Information, 1880-1987

Abbott Laboratories – Historical Sketches, 1933
Academic Review, 1982 – Schools of Pharmacy and Nursing and Health Sciences
Alumni – Archival, 1915-1976
Class and alumni lists, alumni surveys
American Association of Colleges of Pharmacy - 1935 Report
American College of Apothecaries - 1953 Report
Anniversaries of Purdue School of Pharmacy – Programs, 1934
Antiques - Catalogued from Attic Storage, ca. 1980s
Burroughs Wellcome Company 1880-1980 - History
Booklet
Cancer Center - Purdue University Newsletters, ca. 1986-1987
Constitution - Proposed Revisions to the Constitution of the Faculty of Pharmacy and
Pharmacal Sciences, 1964
History - Indiana Pharmacy, n.d.
Papers on pharmaceutical history
Indiana Pharmaceutical Association - History, n.d.
Jackson, Edward H., 1887-1984
Archival artifacts donated by Edward Jackson’s family; includes invitation to
Purdue School of Pharmacy’s tenth annual commencement, 1895;
commencement program, “Notes on Chemistry” by Arthur L. Green, ca. 1893; “A
Process for the Separation of Alkaloidal Poisons” by Arthur L. Green, 1887
Purdue University School of Pharmacy #1, ca. 1926-late 1980s
Indiana Medical Historical Museum, ca. 1980s
Clippings
Clinical Pharmacy: “The Growth of Clinical Pharmacy in Academia” submitted
by Glenn Sperandio, 1980
Article
Purdue University Cancer Center Update Newsletters, 1975-1984
Jordan – Fischelis – Correspondence, 1934-1940
Tyler, Varro E. - Oral History, Correspondence, ca. late 1980s
  Transcript of oral history interview
Environmental Health Institute Communiqué: Newsletters 1971-1977
History – West Lafayette and Pharmacy, ca. 1930s-1970s
  Clippings
Graduate Education in the School of Pharmacy – Philosophy, ca. 1926-1974
  Statements and clippings
Five Year Program Adoption by the School of Pharmacy, 1954-1957
  Business correspondence
News Releases, Clippings, 1973-1979 [3 folders]
Capsule Comments Newsletters, 1975
Purdue University School of Pharmacy #2, ca. 1950s-1980s
  Clippings, articles, newsletters, and reports
Photograph Album, Class Pictures, Purdue School of Pharmacy, 1886-1948
Photograph Album, Purdue School of Pharmacy, ca. 1920s-1950s

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Andrews, Theodora - news clippings
Aquarell, S.L. - news clippings
Baird, W.M. - news clippings
Banker, G.S. - news clippings
Beaman, Harold - news clippings
Belcastro, P. - news clippings
Bennett, Robert - news clippings
Bergstrom, R. - news clippings
Black, Curtis - news clippings
Blake, Donald - news clippings
Blank, Jerry - news clippings
Born, Gordon - news clippings
Borowitz, J.L. - news clippings
Bothel, J. - news clippings
Bousquest, W.F. - news clippings
Brooks, Jo - news clippings
Brown, Charles - news clippings
Bucke, W.S. - news clippings
Byrn, S. - news clippings
Carlson, G. - news clippings
Carlstedt, B.C. - news clippings
Cassady, J.M. - news clippings
Chalmers, J.M. - news clippings
Chalmers, R. - news clippings
Christian, J.E. - news clippings
Cushman, M.S. - news clippings
Cwalina, G.E. - news clippings
Data, J.B. - news clippings
DeKay, H.G. - news clippings
Dundan, Bernice - news clippings
Edwards, L.D. - news clippings, resume, business correspondence, staff record
Erb, R.J. - news clippings
Evanson, R.V. - news clippings
Floss, H.G. - news clippings
Francke, D.E. - news clippings, resume, Purdue Graduate School application
Franke, Gloria N. - news clippings, personal letter
Geddes, Lanelle – news clippings
Goorley, J.T. – correspondence
Green, M.A. - news clippings
Grubb, B.B. - news clippings, State of Indiana pharmacist certificate
Hansen, W.G. - news clippings, priest ordination booklet
Heine, R.H. - news clippings
Heinstein, P. - news clippings
Hem, S. - news clippings
Hook, A.F. “Bud” - news clippings
Hornemann, U. - news clippings
Hufford, B.A. - news clippings
Hurty, J.N. - news clippings, copy of thesis
Isom, G. - news clippings
Jardine, I. - news clippings
Jordan, C.B. – notes, lectures, articles, reports
Jordan, Charles B. - Correspondence 1916-1939, 1941 [3 folders]
Kildsig, D.O. - news clippings
Kirk, K.W. - news clippings
Kitt, Diane - news clippings
Knevel, A.M. - news clippings
Laudolt - news clippings
Lee, C.O. - news clippings
Loudon, G.M. - news clippings
Maickel, R.P. - news clippings
Marcus, C.B. – news clippings
Martin, A.N. – news clippings
McLaughlin, J. - news clippings
Mennear, J. – news clippings
Mitra, A. – news clippings
Miva, T.S. – news clippings
Morre, J. – news clippings
Murray, M. – news clippings
Nichols, R. – news clippings
Nursing, School of – news clippings
Park, K. – news clippings
Peck, G.F. – news clippings
Pharmacy School – news clippings
Pidgeon, C. – news clippings
Popovich, N.G. – news clippings
Ramstad, E. – news clippings, correspondence, University of Ife, Nigeria curriculum, reports
Remers, W.A. – news clippings
Rupp, M. – news clippings
Rutledge, C.O. – news clippings
Schaaf, R. – news clippings
Schondelmeyer, S.W. – news clippings
Scott, Stephen – news clippings
Shaw, S.M. – news clippings
Smith, D.L. – news clippings
Smolen, V. – news clippings
Sperandio, G.J. – news clippings, oral history of school
Spratto, G.R. – news clippings
Sturmer, J.W. – correspondence regarding honorary degree
Thomas, Joseph III – news clippings
Tyler, Varro T. – news clippings, oral history of school
Vanderkleed, C.H. – correspondence
Wells, J.N. – news clippings
Wilson, G. Thomas – news clippings
Yim, G. – news clippings
Yost, K.J. – news clippings
Zabik, J. – news clippings
Ziemer, Paul L. – news clippings

**Box 5**

**Photographs and Audio Materials / Computer Files, ca. 1890’s-1984**

Archival Faculty Portraits, ca. 1890s-1986
Class of 1905 - Pictures
  Student portraits
Faculty, Alumni, and Class Photographs, ca. 1890s-1960s
Historic Displays, ca. 1920s-1980s
  School of Pharmacy window displays
Miscellaneous Action Shots – Archival (old building), ca. 1912-1960
  Laboratory work and display photos
Miscellaneous Class Photographs, 1883-1986
Miscellaneous Pharmacy Group Meetings, ca. 1916-1964
Miscellaneous Pharmacy Staff Photographs, ca. 1930s-1960s
Pharmacy School, ca. 1910-1960s
  Building, laboratories, and faculty photos
School of Pharmacy – Old Building, ca. 1920s-1960s
Building, library, laboratories, and apothecary photos

Negatives of Class Photographs, n.d.
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Lantern Slide Plates, ca. 1940s
  Pharmacy building and Dean Jenkins
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  Disk 2: Oral History of Pharmacy School, backup
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  Tape 1: Pharmacy Building Dedication
  Tape 2: Pharmacy Building Dedication, November 13, 1970
  Tape 3: Intro: Jack Orr, Lloyd Parks, George Hagar, Dean Tyler
  Tape 4: End of Tyler, announcements before lunch

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General Files and Artifacts, 1882-1990

Files on Societies and Organizations, 1882; 1986-1987
  Indiana Pharmacists Association, 1882; 1986-1987
    Includes original newspaper of founding of the Association, 1882
  Indiana Society of Hospital Pharmacists, circa 1987
  Kappa Epsilon, 1987-1990
History of Pharmacy display, undated (includes prints and photographs of historic pharmacy figures, engravings and prints on subjects such as apothecaries, etc.)
Prints relating to Pharmacy and Medicine, undated
    Print of Purdue School of Pharmacy and Pharmacal Sciences building, by William C. Ressler, undated
  Set of color prints, “2300 Years of Medical Costume,” undated
Plaques, 1952-1965
  *U.S.S. Des Moines*, awarded to Dr. G.L. Jenkins, Honorary Pharmacists Mate, First Class, U.S. Navy, for medical duties served, June 8-August 5, 1952
  Indiana Society of Hospital Pharmacists Certificate of Honorary Life Membership, Dr. Glenn L. Jenkins, January 16, 1965
Medals, 1936-1958
  Pharmacopoea Amstelredamensis Senatus Auctoritate Munita, 1636-1936
  Scientiae Medicinae Artique Salutari, Centennial, Squibb, 1858-1958