

THE LAERTUS CONNOR, M.D. COLLECTION

Papers, 1876-1891

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Accession Number 396

Dr. Laertus Connor was Professor of Diseases of the Eye and Ear and Clinical Ophthalmology and Otology at the Detroit College of Medicine in the late 1800's and early 1900's. Dr. Connor, an 1865 graduate of Williams College, held various positions in medical colleges, including Secretary of the American Medical College and Secretary of the Detroit College of Medicine in 1880.

A scrapbook of newspaper clippings and commencement programs reflects Dr. Connor's interests in medical education, especially at the Detroit College of Medicine and the University of Michigan Medical College.

Contents

1 manuscript box

Scrapbook, 1876-1891

The collection comprises one scrapbook of newspaper clippings and commencement programs concerning medical education in the late nineteenth century. The clippings, from various newspapers dated 1876 to 1891, are arranged by subject.

Subjects included in the scrapbook are:

Medical education

Detroit Medical College, early history

The University of Michigan Medical College

Abortion

Eye and Ear Health

Williams College Alumni

MacLean-Scripps Libel Case

Harper Hospital

Biographies of Detroit Area Doctors, including Charles J. Lundy, Morse Stewart, C.C. Yemans,

Andrew J.B. Jenner, Carl Brumme, Edwin Lodge, Caleb Gilbert, Herman Kiefer, Daniel La Ferte, J.F.

Noyes and Eugene Smith.