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THE BRUCE WEBSTER, MD (1901-1976) PAPERS

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Biographical Note:

Born: Nov. 1, 1901 at Lansdowne, Ontario, Canada  
Died: Jan. 4, 1976 at New York  
M.D.: McGill University, 1925  
1925-1927 Intern and Assistant Resident in Medicine, Johns Hopkins Hospital  
1929-1931 National Research Fellow  
1931-1932 Assistant Professor of Medicine, Tulane University  
1932-1946 Assistant Professor of Medicine, Cornell University Medical College  
1936-1971 Head, Syphilis Clinic, New York Hospital  
1942-1944 Lt. Col., U.S. Army Medical Corps, Chief of Medical Service, Ninth General Hospital  
1944-1946 Consultant in Medicine, Col., General Headquarters S.W.P.A. and F.E.C.  
1945 Awarded Legion of Merit  
1946 Discharged from Army  
1946-1964 Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine, Cornell University Medical College  
1947-1967 Medical Director, Time, Inc.  
1964-1967 Professor of Clinical Medicine, Cornell University Medical College  
1967-1976 Emeritus Professor, Cornell University Medical College  
1969-1972 President, American Social Health Association  
1971-1972 Chairman, National Commission on Venereal Disease, H.E.W.  
1975 William Freeman Snow Award

Subjects:

Barr, David  
DuBois, Eugene  
Henry, Barklie  
Heuer, George  
Ninth General Hospital  
Venereal Disease

Non-Manuscript Materials:

Certificates and diplomas (see Box #6)  
Photographs housed in Photograph Collection (See Photo Catalog).
Partial list of correspondents (box # - Folder #):

Astor, Vincent 1 - 8
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Henry, Barklie 4-6
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f.1  Biographical curriculum vita, birth certificate, etc., 1900-1975
f.2  Bibliography, 1924-1967
f.3  McGill University Graduation speech and miscellaneous, 1923-1924
f.4  Passports, British, date issued 1929 and U.S. date issued, 1952
f.5  Appointments, correspondence 1923-1931, 1974
f.6  Appointments, correspondence - NYH-CMC, 1930-1975
f.7  Correspondence – General, 1937-1975
f.8  Correspondence – Personal, 1922-1966
f.9  Manuscript re: Current Research on Quantitative Production of Thyroid Hormone in Living Animals, 4/1929
f.10 Manuscript re: Bismuth Poisoning, 1929-1941 (with multiple copies)
f.11 Manuscripts - Preventive Medicine and Drugs, related experiment conclusions and notes, c. 1940-1943
f.12 Pilot Study of Cardiovascular Syphilis, Drs. D. Densen, P. Padget, B. Webster, 1948
f.13 Manuscript, research, and correspondence re: Cardiovascular Syphilis, 1952-1953
f.14 Manuscript, research, and correspondence re: Cardiovascular Syphilis, 1952-1953
f.15 Manuscripts, 1949-1958

Box 2

f.1  Manuscripts, 1965-1973
f.2  Manuscript and correspondence - "What You Should Know About VD... And Why?," 1974
f.3  Copy of manuscript speech - "Present Trends in the Organization of Industrial Health Units," Given before the Texas Industrial Nurses Association, c. 1960s
f.4  Research notes and report on Graves' Disease, c. 1930s
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f.5 Research notes and report on Graves' Disease, c. 1930s
f.6 Research notes Re: Swachammer Study/Patent Case Studies, 1940-1942
f.7 Typhus research, Ninth General Hospital, Correspondence, reports, statistics, 1943-1945
f.8 Conception Control, Program to Promote, Bureau of Public Sanitation, Ministry of Health and Welfare, Outlines, 1952
f.9 Reprints, 1942-1950
f.10 Reprints, 1951-1975

Box 3:

f.1 Reprints, "Professional Education and The Control of Venereal Diseases," Medical Clinics of North America, c. 1972 (bound volume)
f.2 Reports and reprints by others re: Venereal Disease, 1952-1974
f.3 Class Notes, McGill University, 1921-1923
f.4 Diaries, 1922, 1932
f.5 Medical Diary and account book, 1929
f.6 Financial Record Book, including detailed account of Bruce Webster's activity in U.S. Army (inside back cover), 1942-1948
f.7 Diary, Consultant visit to Far Eastern Command, U.S. Army, July-September 1949
f.8 Diary, 1956

Box 4

f.1 U.S. Army - "Personal File," Correspondence, forms, etc, 1940-1945
f.2 U.S. Army - "Personal File," Correspondence, forms etc. including material re: Legion of Merit Award, 1945-1946
f.3 U.S. Army – Japan, Correspondence, including research re: V.D. in Japan, 1945
f.4 U.S. Army – Japan, Correspondence and miscellaneous, 1949-1966
f.5 U.S. Army – Australia, Invitations and miscellaneous, 1943-1944
f.6 Barbara Henry (Mrs. Barklie Henry) Research Laboratory, Correspondence and reports (incl. Syphilis Division), 1933-1942
f.7 Barbara Henry Research Laboratory, Reprints, 1939-1941 (bound volume)
f.8 Time, Inc. - Medical Director, Correspondence and miscellaneous re: Time Asia Tour, 1947-1975
f.9 Time News Tour of Asia, Briefing, February 1965
f.10 World Health Organization, Replies to questionnaire re: Training for V.D. Control, 1964-1965
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Box 5:

f.1 Venereal Disease, National Commission On, Bruce Webster, Chairman, Reports, minutes, and committee proceedings, April 1971-June 1971
f.2 Committee proceedings, June 1971-September 1971
f.4 Venereal Disease, National Commission On, Bruce Webster, Chairman, Correspondence, June 1971-1972
f.5 Venereal Disease, etc. Personal copy of report, 1972. (bound volume)
f.6 Conferences - Others, in which Bruce Webster participated, Programs, report and speech by Dr. Webster, 1971,1975
f.7 American Social Health Association, Minutes of meeting, 1965 and workshops held on VD with pictures of teaching of VD, 1960-1961
f.8 Bibliography, Computer printout re: Health-education, sex education, schools, students, 1963-1974

Box 6

f.1 Georgica Pond Conservators, Inc., Minutes, correspondence, membership lists, 1953-1961
f.2 Georgica Pond Conservators, Inc., Minutes, correspondence, 1975
f.3 European Travels, Maps, mementoes, etc., August 1948
f.4 Pharmacopoeia and Physician's Interpreter, annotated and signed by Bruce Webster, c.1925
f.5 New Testament, briefly annotated and signed by Bruce Webster c.1920
f.6 Memorabilia --invitations, clippings and poetry, 1929-1966
f.7 Memorabilia - Calling cards, I.D. tags, military decorations, etc., c.1931-1970s
f.8 Military Decorations, Boxed in blue leatherette container with inscription of "Legion of Merit, Legionnaire"
f.9 McGill University Yearbook, Volume 1, 1922

Box 7

Rolled certificates and diplomas