

## OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

**Title:** William Lee Hudson Collection

**Dates:** 1916-1978

**Extent:** 1 legal-size document case box, 1 oversize box (2.1 linear feet)

**Creator:** William Lee Hudson and family

**Acquisition info:** Gift of the heirs of William Lee Hudson, circa 2005.

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### **Related Published Materials:**

*Our Greatest Need: Greater Medical Center at Dallas*, Southwestern Medical Foundation publication

Call Number: WX 28 AT4 S726G 1943

*The White Cap*, 1950 and 1952, Parkland School of Nursing Yearbook

Call Number: WZ 332 P248 [Year]

### **Separated Material:**

Surgical instruments of Dr. Hudson's include 6 scissors and 4 probes (Artifact #214). If you are interested to learn more about these artifacts, email [archives@utsouthwestern.edu](mailto:archives@utsouthwestern.edu).

## SCOPE AND CONTENT

The collection consists of a variety of materials by, about or owned by William Lee Hudson, M.D. Records include correspondence; news clippings; photographs; certificates, diplomas, and licenses; and some records related to Dr. Hudson's membership in medical societies.

## BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

William Lee Hudson (1892-1961) was born in Belton, Texas, and received his M.D. degree at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston in 1916. He was Chief of Surgery at Parkland Hospital from 1923 to 1949 and a Clinical Professor of Surgery in the early years of Southwestern Medical School. In 1973, the “Dr. Lee Hudson—Robert R. Penn Chair in Surgery” was endowed by his widow and sister-in-law at Southwestern Medical School. Also endowed was a “Hudson-Penn Prize in Surgery” for senior medical students. Dr. Hudson’s portrait hangs in the Department of Surgery at UT Southwestern. An essay describing his life and work is found on pages 9-10 of the book *Surgery: The First 50 Years: A History of the Department of Surgery, University of Texas Southwestern Medical School and Parkland Memorial Hospital* by Ronald F. Garvey.

## ARRANGEMENT OF ARCHIVAL MATERIALS:

Series 1. Professional and Personal Papers

Series 2. Oversize Materials

### Series 1. Professional and Personal Papers

#### Folder Title

#### Box

“A Mighty Fortress” booklet, Southwestern Medical Foundation, no date

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Article, *Texas State Journal of Medicine*, 1926

Carl Moyer Papers: Correspondence re: postgraduate medical education and publications, no date, 1950-1951

Correspondence: Personal, no date, 1943-1961 [gaps in years]

Correspondence re: Southwestern Medical College and the Medical Advisory Council, Dallas County Hospital District, c. 1923, 1945-1959 [gaps in years]

Correspondence re: Southwestern Medical Foundation, 1954-1956

Correspondence re: Texas Surgical Society membership, 1926

Correspondence/News Clippings re: Memorial Gifts and Endowed Chair, 1961, 1973, 1978

Dallas County Medical Society medal, no date

Dallas County Medical Society president article, *The Dallas Medical Journal*, 1938

“Honoring Bryce L. Twitty” program, 1939

News Clippings, 1934-1948 [gaps in years] [1 of 2]

News Clippings, 1934-1948 [gaps in years] [2 of 2]

Obituaries, 1961-1962

Photographs, 1938, 1940, c. 1960

Texas Surgical Society meeting program, 1941

### Series 2. Oversize Materials

#### Folder Title

#### Box

Photographs, c. 1916, c. 1920, 1944

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Appointment to Officer Reserve Corps, US Army, 1918

Certificate, Alpha Omega Alpha Honor Medical Society membership, 1950

**Folder Title**

Diploma, Doctor of Medicine, University of Texas, 1916  
License, Texas State Board of Medical Examiners, 1916

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