

Donated Papers and Manuscripts

The donated papers and manuscripts described below have either been in the College since before 1987 or were accepted by personal arrangement by the Honorary Librarian in the 1990s. **The College Archives now has a Collections Development Policy which enables us to accept and manage personal papers according to acceptable archival standards.**

Personal Papers

- Dr Alexander Walk: history of the College and its predecessor bodies and on psychiatry in general.
- Dr Barraclough: Curb project, Eliot Slater's tribute, neurosurgical units and psychosurgery, all late 1970s.
- Dr Clark: minutes, constitution of the proposed College, 1960s, on the College Ethical Committee, 1974-7 and on the misuse of psychiatry in the Soviet Union, 1970s.
- Freud, Sigmund: Letters on election as honorary member of the Association, 1936-1938.
- Galton, Francis: Letters to Dr Saleeby, mainly about publications, 1904-1909.
- Meyer, Alfred: Personal Certificates, photographs, and list of printed papers, 1918
- Tuke, Samuel: Letters from Thomas Hancock of London, 1814-1915; E. Anderson of Dundee, 1915; Thomas Wintar of Philadelphia, 1815; and William Morton Pitt of Dorset, 1829-1830.

Manuscripts

- Portraits of contributors to Tuke's Dictionary of Psychological Medicine, 1892
- Album of Medico-Psychological Association chairmen and presidents collected by T. Utterson Wood and A.R. Urquhart, 1908
- Scrapbook of original and copies of letters, articles, references, titles and ideas on the Sarah Stolz Lectures by Henry Winsley-Stolz, 20th century.

Badges, medals and seals:

- Royal Medico-Psychological Association nursing and other badges and medals.

Asylum Records:

- Camberwell House: Case Book volume 1, 1846-7, admissions 1 to 441, with notes to 1860s. (*1 volume*); Orders for the reception of pauper patients, 1846-8, admissions 201 to 600, including admissions of some patients in above Case Book, (*2 volumes*); Commissioners in Lunacy visitors book, 1846-65, (*1 volume*).
- Otto House: Case Book number 1, recording admissions 1902-15, with notes to 1930s and with some death certificates and letters inserted, (*1 volume*).
- Hanwell: 'Notes of Clinical Lectures on Insanity Delivered at the Hanwell Asylum in 1848 by Dr Conolly and Dr Hitchman'. Note taker not identified.
- Other Asylum Records:
The Archives also has a collection of 19th century photographs, pictures, newspaper cuttings, floor plans, drawings, postcards, engravings, and descriptions of London, Scottish, Walsh and English County Asylums. The material was put together by Dr Alexander Walk, Honorary Librarian for the 'Psychiatry and Mental Health in Britain: A Historical Exhibition' in 1963.

Hospital Histories:

A small collection of asylum and mental hospital histories and asylum reports from the mid-19th to the late twentieth century.