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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 108 NEEL, James Lucellus, 1849-1922

½ box. 3 folders. 11 items. 1874-1991. Originals.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

James Lucellus Neel, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Beard Neel, was born in Sumner County, Tennessee, in 1849. He attended the Vanderbilt Medical School in Nashville, Tennessee, graduating in 1872. Neel then moved to the Drake community in Warren County, Kentucky, in 1874, and practiced there for forty-two years. In 1879, he married Fannie B. Goodrum (1856-1934), and they had four children: John Gill (1887-1969); William Hal (1890-1953); Dixie Kathleen (1891-1891); and Mary Eunice (1895-1972).

Neel was known as a caring physician and although many of his patients were unable to pay for his services, he seemed to turn no one away. Two or three years before he died, he moved to Bowling Green, Kentucky. He had a limited practice until his death on 28 February 1922.

BIBLIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Vertical Files, Biographical and Obituaries,
Kentucky Library.
Warren County, Kentucky Families, c1991.

COLLECTION NOTE

The collection consists of Dr. J. L. Neel's account book, 1874-1893, which covers twenty-two years of his professional life. There are accounts of his patients, 1874-1878; income and equivalent that he received, 1884-1891; birth records, 1874-1892; and monthly records of his practice, 1874-1894. Also included are photographs of James L. Neel, John Beard Neel, William Hal Neel, Sr., William Hal Neel, Jr., and cousin Paul Wood Stone.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	NEEL, James Lucellus	1874-1991	11 items
Folder 1	Descriptive Inventory and data	1922; 1991	3 items
Folder 2	Neel, James L. – Account book	1874-1896	1 item
Folder 3	Photos, chiefly of Neel family members	n.d.	7 items

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

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Account book of James Lucellus Neel, a physician at Madison Mills, Warren County, Kentucky, which contains accounts of patients, 1874-1878; money and equivalent received, 1884-1891; birth records, 1874-1892; and monthly records of his practice, 1874-1894. Also photos, n.d. (7), chiefly of male members of the Neel family.

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SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Account books – Physicians – Warren County, 1874-1894
Medical practice – Warren County, 1874-1894
Neel, James Lucellus, 1849-1922 – Photos B1,F3
Neel, John Beard, 1826-1908 – Photos B1,F3
Neel, William Hal, Jr., 1918-1954 – Photos B1,F3
Neel, William Hal, Sr., 1890-1953 – Photos B1,F3
Physicians – Warren County
Stone, Paul Wood, 1886-1952 – Photos B1,F3

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