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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 465 ORRAHOOD, Marvin David, 1923-2000

1 box. 7 folders. 258 items. 1963-1965. Originals, photocopies.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Marvin David Orrahood II, the son of Marvin David Orrahood, Sr., and Sara Alice Halbach, was born in Clarksburg, West Virginia on 3 May 1923. He earned an A. B. degree at West Virginia University (1944) and an M. D. from Harvard Medical School (1947). He interned at Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania (1947-1948) and took residency training in pathology at Washington University (1947-1948), Veterans Administration Hospital (1948-1950), and Saint Louis University (1951-1954), all in St. Louis, Missouri. After completing military service in 1956, Orrahood began the practice of pathology in Odessa, Texas, then moved his practice to Owensboro, Kentucky in 1958.

On 10 June 1950, Orrahood married Aline Joyce Heldt of Evansville, Indiana. Their children were: David Lindsay Orrahood (1951-1977), John Thomas Orrahood (1951-1979), Sarah Ann Orrahood (b. 1953), James Wyatt Orrahood (b. 1956), and Joyce Lynn Orrahood (b. 1957). Dr. Marvin David Orrahood died on 22 March 2000.

COLLECTION NOTE

This collection contains correspondence of Dr. Marvin David Orrahood II and Parts I-IV of a family genealogy and history, "The Family of Marvin David Orrahood II and Aline Joyce Orrahood." Most of the correspondence (Folders 2-4) relates to Dr. Orrahood's practice of pathology in Owensboro, Kentucky and includes correspondence with other physicians and makers of medical equipment, Kentucky Medical Association legislative bulletins, and matters relating to the profession in general. A small amount of personal correspondence relates to Dr. Orrahood's interest in books and numismatics and to his involvement in the Daviess County Historical Society.

The manuscript of Parts I-IV of "The Family of Marvin David Orrahood II and Aline Joyce Orrahood" (Folder 5) includes material on the related families of Atkinson, Ballah, Halbach, Lindsay, and Parker. Also included (Folder 6) is a list of physicians who practiced in Owensboro, Kentucky in the 19th and 20th centuries.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	Orrahood Collection	1963-1965	258 items
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Folder 4	M. David Orrahood – Correspondence	Sept.-Dec. 1965	82 items
Folder 5	“The Family of Marvin David Orrahood II and Aline Joyce Orrahood,” Parts I-IV	[1965]	1 item
Folder 6	Physicians – Owensboro, Kentucky	n.d.	1 item
Folder 7	Circulars relating to genealogical data sought on Orrahood and related families	1964	2 items

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

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Correspondence, primarily professional, of Dr. Marvin David Orrahood, a pathologist practicing in Owensboro, Kentucky. Includes Parts I-IV of a family history and genealogy, “The Family of Marvin David Orrahood II and Aline Joyce Orrahood.”

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