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MALLOCH FAMILY FONDS

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TITLE: Malloch Family fonds.

DATES: 1868-1953.

EXTENT: 125 cm of textual records and photographs.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH: Originally from Ontario, the Malloch family, Archibald Edward Malloch, 1844-1919 and his son Thomas Archibald Malloch, 1887-1953, were closely associated with Sir William Osler. The father, Archibald Edward Malloch, took his training at the University of Glasgow, studying under Joseph Lister who chose him as his house-surgeon in 1868. Malloch practiced mainly in Hamilton, Ontario and helped introduce Lister's antiseptic principles to North America.

His son, Thomas Archibald Malloch, received his M.D., C.M. from McGill University in 1913 and served during World War I. He was a Demonstrator in Medicine at McGill University, 1923-1925. From 1926 until shortly before his death he was Librarian of the New York Academy of Medicine. He wrote several books, including *William Harvey*, in 1929. Thomas Archibald Malloch was a close friend of Sir William Osler and Lady Osler.

CUSTODIAL HISTORY: Received from A.E. Malloch, the son of Thomas Archibald Malloch, from 1974 to 1990. Old accession numbers 252, 385, 430, 483, 573, 639, 822 and 891.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: Fonds documents the Mallochs' activities related to their medical and literary work. The fonds contains notes, correspondence, commonplace books, account books, material related to publications, family memorabilia, scrapbooks, photographs, telegrams, postcards and certificates.

SOURCE OF SUPPLIED TITLE PROPER: Title based on the documents in the fonds.

LANGUAGE: The documents are in English.

FINDING AIDS: Partial inventory list available.

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Folder 1: From Elizabeth Malloch to her son Archibald Edward Malloch (AEM) [1 letter]

- 6 June 1864, Brockville, Ontario

Folder 2: From Jessie May Stewart (Aunt) to AEM [17 letters]

- 18 August 1864 to 13 December 1866, Brockville, Ontario

Folder 3: From Elizabeth Malloch (mother) to Eliza Malloch (sister) [2 letters]

- 03 May 1865 to 22 February 1866, Brockville, Ontario to Scotland?

Folder 4: From Elizabeth Malloch to her son AEM [13 letters]

- 15 Feb 1866 to 29 December 1866, Brockville and Montreal

Folder 5: Elizabeth Malloch to Grace Jane Malloch (sister) [2 letters]

- 19 Feb 1866 and 19 April 1866 (includes an undated fragment), Brockville

Folder 6: From Grace Jane and Eliza Malloch (sisters) to AEM [7 letters]

- 10 Feb 1865 to 19 April 1866, 11 Bellevue Crescent, Scotland.

Folder 7: From Elizabeth Malloch to her son AEM [5 letters]

- 27 April 1865 to 9 Nov 1865, Brockville and Montreal

Folder 8: Jessie May Stewart (Aunt) to Grace Anne Malloch? [1 letter]

- 07 June 1866, Brockville

Folder 9: From Elizabeth Malloch to her son AEM [13 letters]

- 10 Jan 1867 to 28 Mar 1867, Brockville to Scotland?

Folder 10: From Elizabeth Malloch to her son AEM [13 letters]

- 04 April 1867 to 17 Sept 1867, Brockville – 12 letters
- One letter from Rilchamaig, Scotland.

Folder 11: Last Will and Testament of George Malloch, 10 October 1844

- Original copy

Folder 12: Last Will and Testament of George Malloch, 10 October 1844

- Transcribed copy by Charles Roland, October 2005.

Folder 13: Letters to Dr. Cushing

- From Sir. William Osler to Dr. Harvey Cushing, Baltimore, 17 May 1905
Regarding a gift of money left by Malloch for a “Lister Prize” in the best piece of original work in surgery.
- Letter from the Dean of Johns Hopkins University, Medical Department to Dr. Cushing, 20 Jan 1909
Regarding the Malloch gift of money.

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- *The Canadian Journal of Medical Science*. Vol 1, No. 4, Toronto, April, 1876.
- Photocopy of the descendants of Edward C. Malloch.

Folder 15: Last Will and Testament of Archibald Edward Malloch

- Typewritten copy (original?), 1892, with codicils dated 1912 and 1914
- Transcribed copy, 2007

Folder 16: Correspondence to Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Malloch from friends in England

- 14 September 1940, London
- 15 September 1940, New York