



**Collection Name:** J. Hampton Hoch Papers  
**Collection #:** MSS 762  
**Size:** 1 cf. (19 folders)  
**Dates:** 1952-1970  
**Processed:** June 2007/SDH  
**Restrictions:** None

### **Biographical Note:**

J. Hampton Hoch was born in Philadelphia on September 20, 1904 to Quintus and Irene E. Buss Hoch. He was graduated from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy and Science, from which he later earned his Masters of Science and Doctor of Science degrees. He came to the Medical College of the State of South Carolina in 1927, rising through the ranks to the level of full professor in 1937. Dr. Hoch served in World War II in the United States Air Force from which retired as a Lt. Colonel. Dr. Hoch was a founding member of the Charleston Chapter of the American Pharmaceutical Association. A prolific writer on the topics of pharmacy history, he served on the editorial boards of several publications. Upon his retirement from MUSC in 1971 he was named Professor Emeritus of Biology and Pharmacognosy. He died on May 26, 1976.

### **Scope and Content Note:**

The J. Hampton Hoch Papers, 1952-1970, consist of 18 folders of material documenting Hoch's research and teaching interest in the history of pharmacy. The files are arranged alphabetically within two series: class notes and research. The class notes series consists of Hoch's handwritten notes for his history of pharmacy course in the School of Pharmacy at the Medical College of the State of South Carolina. These notes are organized by week of instruction and include both his handwritten notes and supporting documentation. In addition are six student papers written for Dr. Hoch's History of Pharmacy class between 1957 and 1968. Research series consists of materials collected and written by Hoch about topics pertaining to the history of pharmacy, particularly biographical sketches of South Carolina physicians and scientists. Other research materials seem to support parts of his books, *History of pharmacy in South Carolina*, 1951, and *An academic genealogy of the first faculty of the Medical College of South Carolina*, 1968.

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### **Subject Headings:**

Biography—South Carolina.  
Education, Pharmacy—history—South Carolina.  
Marriage records—South Carolina.  
Obituaries—South Carolina.  
Pharmacy—history—South Carolina.  
Physicians—biography—South Carolina.  
Schools, Medical—South Carolina—history.  
Schools, Pharmacy—South Carolina—history.  
Science—South Carolina—biography.  
Vital Statistics—South Carolina.  
Hardin, Frank Bernard.  
Hoch, J. Hampton (John Hampton), 1904-1976.  
Newman, J. S. (James Stanley)

### **Merged Collections:**

The following collections were merged with MSS 762 to form J. Hampton Hoch Papers:  
MSS 405, Biography of South Carolina doctors, 1669-1800  
MSS 434, Biographical sketches: South Carolina physicians  
MSS 435, Biographical sketches, obituaries, tombs list, and marriage notices  
MSS 436, Biographical sketches: South Carolina scientists

### **Related Collections:**

MSS 383, Physicians of the Southern Department in the Revolution, David Olyphant

### **Inventory:**

Box 1:

Class Notes:

Folder 1: History of Pharmacy (1 of 5)  
Folder 2: History of Pharmacy (2 of 5)  
Folder 3: History of Pharmacy (3 of 5)  
Folder 4: History of Pharmacy (4 of 5)  
Folder 5: History of Pharmacy (5 of 5)  
Folder 6: History 431  
Folder 7: Seminar  
Folder 8: Student papers, History of Pharmacy, 1957-1968

Box 2:

Research:

Folder 9: Biography of South Carolina doctors, 1669-1800 (formerly 405)  
Folder 10: Biographical sketches, obituaries, tombs list, and marriage notices (formerly 435)  
Folder 11: Biographical sketches: South Carolina physicians, A-F (1 of 3) (Formerly 434)  
Folder 12: Biographical sketches: South Carolina physicians, G-O (2 of 3) (Formerly 434)

- Folder 13: Biographical sketches: South Carolina physicians, P-W (3 of 3) (Formerly 434)
- Folder 14: Biographical sketches: South Carolina scientists, Frank Bernard Hardin and James Stanley Newman (Formerly 436)
- Folder 15: Contributions to medicine of non-medical men
- Folder 16: Early history of pharmacy in South Carolina
- Folder 17: Pharmacy images
- Folder 18: Reprints
- Folder 19: South Carolina medicine in the 18<sup>th</sup> century