

1975.0042 PAPERS OF SIR PETER MACCALLUM 1885-1961

Creator	MacCallum, Sir Peter
Creator's Activity/Occupation	Academics - Pathology

Biography:

Peter MacCallum was born in 1885 and was educated at Canterbury University College in New Zealand and Edinburgh University. In 1915 he enlisted with the Royal Army Medical Corp where he served in Belgium and France as Captain. MacCallum returned to Edinburgh in 1919 where he researched and lectured in Pathology. He was appointed Professor of Pathology at the University of Melbourne in 1925, retiring in 1950. He helped to design the Royal Melbourne Hospital and was instrumental in the establishment of the Cancer Institute. MacCallum was also Executive Chairman of the Anti-Cancer Council of Victoria from from 1945 and National Chairman of the Red Cross 1951-1958.

Reference Number	1975.0042		
Collection/Series Title	PAPERS OF SIR PETER MACCALLUM		
Date Range of Collection/Series	1885-1961		
Size/Extent 7 boxes, 1 oversize folio (0.96m)			
Access Conditions	Access: Open		

Scope and Content of Series

Birth certificate; original testimonials for Rhodes Scholarship 1907; Victorian registration and Royal Army Medical Corp certificate 1915; lectures and reports; correspondence; university papers; collected speeches 1941-1951; talks 1935-1951; notes on overseas medical institutions; Halford oration; medical journal extracts; publications; honours and awards; invitations.

Archival History

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Unit/Box		Title	Date range	Description	
Unit/Box 1975.0042 Unit 8	1975.0042.00001	Title Oversized material	Date range 1885-1954	Description Testimonials for Rhodes Scholarship 1907; Birth Certificate (born 14 Jul 1885), Maryhill, Lanarteshire, Scotland; Commission as Lieutenant, Special Reserve of Officers Royal Army Medical Corps, 8 April 1915; Invitation to Mayoral Ball to honour Queen Elizabeth's visit, 2 March 1954, and Queen Mother's visit, 3 March 1958; Citation on being created Knight Bachelor, 1 January 1953; Australian Red Cross Society, Certificate of Honorary Life Membership, with typed citation; Supplement to The London Gazette citing Knighthood, 30 December 1952; Sundry mixed invitation; Investiture Melbourne 1 March 1954. Previous Control Number:	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00002	Folder 1	1955-1956	Folder 30. Folder includes Hospitals and Charities Commission: Medical Service in Hospitals, a Report by Committee of which Sir Albert Ernest Coates is Convenor; Report on visit overseas by MacCallum in 1956 on behalf of the Ant-Cancer Council; Analysis of medicos, where graduated, where located 1955; Ratio of doctors to population 1948-1955.	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00003	Folder 2: W.A. Government Report and offprints	1946-1950	Folder includes correspondence; Articles; Report on the establishment of a Medical School in Western Australia, submitted by MacCallum 12 October 1946; Studies in Pathology presented to Peter MacCallum, Melbourne University Press, 1950.	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00004	Folder 3: Mycobacterium Ulcerans	1948-1958	Reprints of investigations by MacCallum, Jean Tolhurst, Glen Buckle etc. 1948, 1957, 1958; Correspondence 1950-1951	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00005	Folder 4: Dupuytren's Contracture	1959	Some notes on the pathology of Dupuytren's Contracture, 25 March 1959	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00006	Folder 5: Christ College Old Boys, Melbourne	Undated	Handwritten list of old boys who have not previously attended, visitors, apologies	
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00007	Folder 6: Letters (non-family)	1951-1961	Correspondence	



1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00008	Folder 7	Undated	Extracts from Physics: The Elements (Chapters V & VI), by Norman Robert Campbell, for circulation amongst students. Annotated by MacCallum.
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00009	Folder 8: University of Melbourne Council	1954-1961	Material including correspondence and minutes relating to MacCallum's attitude to manner of dealing with protests at exclusion of students from medical course under quota system, 1954; Material relating to the death of Dr F Apperley, 1961.
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00010	Folder 9: Notes, Addresses, Concepts	1948-1952	Hand and typewritten material
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00011	Folder 10: China	1957-1960	News cuttings, photographs, diary, 1957-1960; Papers relating to visit in 1957; Letter 29 July 1960 to Dr Combe, mentioning MacCallum's efforts to organise and extend medical education to China and finance it by a campaign for use of a chemical contraceptive.
1975.0042 Unit 1	1975.0042.00012	Folder 11: Publications MacCallum	1922-1960	Publications by MacCallum and others, including The Story of the Melbourne School of Pathology by E S J King from Medical Journal of Australia, 28 July 1951.
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00013	Folder 12: Lectures	1952	University Extension Lecture: Impressions of a Medical Visit to India and Ceylon, 21 October 1952
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00014	Folder 13: Lady Masson Memorial Lecture	1951	Chemistry and Medicine, 10 September 1951
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00015	Folder 14: Halford Oration	1938	Population Growth: a commentary on certain aspects of its relation to medical science and services, Canberra, 9 December 1938. Also reprints of Oration by Sir James Barrett (1932), Professor H A Osborne (1928); Sir Henry Newland (1931); Sir Alan Newton (1937); Edwin Bramwell (1935); Eustace Russell (1934); WE L H Crowther (1933), David Arthur Walsh (1929).
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00016	Folder 15: Pseudo- epitheliomatous Granulation	1959	Draft paper by MacCallum and J T Hueston sent to British Journal of Surgery, 11 June 1959
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00017	Folder 16: Transport	1953	Publications regarding car parking problems and accidents (not medical), 1953



1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00018	Folder 17: Papers on Specific Diseases / Leprosy / Hydatids	1952	Various scientific papers including that by Wade and Ledowsky; Correspondence 1952
1975.0042 Unit 2	1975.0042.00019	Folder 18: Extracts from Medical Journals	1952-1954	Various subjects
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00020	Folder 19: Chelmer	Undated	Radiological Services, Chelmer Industrial and Accident Medical Centre, The Objective of Establishing the Centre. Objectives and how to achieve them; MacCallum's alterations and additions to typed draft.
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00021	Folder 20: Dentistry	1955-1958	E J Goddard Oration 'On becoming edentulous?', 25 September 1958; Address for Children's Dental Health Week; Memoranda, notes, minutes regarding Dental School, 1955
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00022	Folder 21: Heidelberg	1956-1957	Accounts for payment to MacCallum for attendance at Repatriation Hospital
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00023	Folder 22: Various Oriental Papers	1950-1956	Correspondence, articles, cards, invitations from India, China, Japan; Private letter from Tim Lowe, 30 August (year unknown).
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00024	Folder 23: Medical Board	1957-1958	Two papers by MacCallum: Medical Supply and University Training in Medicine, 18 January 1957; Admission of Holders of Foreign Medical Diplomas in the Victorian Register, 18 January 1957. Victorian Medical Board Statistical Information as at 31/12/58.
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00025	Folder 24 a: Cancer Conference Canberra 1955	1954-1955	Notes, correspondence, agenda, reports, regarding conference
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00026	Folder 24 a: Memorandum for Cancer Conference Canberra, March 1955	1954-1955	Cancer registrations, records and statistics
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00027	Folder 24 b: F. Davies Estate / Lady F. M. MacCallum Trust	1954-1956	Correspondence with The Equity Trustees
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00028	Folder 24 b: Cancer Conferences	1954-1955	List of Papers Discussed at Cancer Conferences 1930-1939; Notes; Correspondence



1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00029	Folder 24 d: Victorian Cancer Congress 1960	1960	Congress programme
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00030	Folder 24 e: Peter MacCallum Clinic / Anti Cancer Council / Cancer Appeals	1956-1960	Speeches; Drafts; Newspaper. Also contains photographs, slide, correspondence.
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00031	Folder 25: Australian National Research Council	1953-1954	General minutes and committee meetings, Sydney
1975.0042 Unit 3	1975.0042.00032	Folder 26: Students Hostel / Students Representative Council	1945-1952	Minutes of Hostel Board of Management (MacCallum and Trustee)
1975.0042 Unit 4	1975.0042.00033	Folder 27	1936-1939	Statistics regarding medical practioners 1936; Notes for oration and material relating to Mental Deficiency Bill 1939; Correspondence.
1975.0042 Unit 4	1975.0042.00034	Folder 28: Population	1938	Material collected in preparation of the Halford Oration, 12 December 1938, 'Population Growth, a commentary on certain aspects of its relation to medical science and services'.
1975.0042 Unit 4	1975.0042.00035	Folder 29: India	1952-1957	Correspondence; Receipts; Notes; Publications; Reports; Invitations
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00036	Folder 31: Lecture notes	Undated	Blood diseases; Section of heart; Colloid degeneration; Sarcoma; Bone (2 papers); Thrombosis of coronary ortherics; Toxicology; Lens defracts; The Lability of haemopriatic tissue; The orary; Chronic hepatitis; The heart; Cancer - the present position; The mammary gland; Endocrine; Ductless glands; Points to remember in sanitary law; Methods of making celloidin capsluas; Complement fixation test; Encephalitis lathargica; ? of pregnancy; What is cancer; Hydrocephalus; Phagociphosis in pernicious anaemia; Diabetes insipidus; Renal function; Missionary; Gouty Report in subcutaneous tissue; Sections of lung; Sections of heart
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00037	Folder 32: Lecture notes	Undated	Miscellaneous unidentified subjects
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00038	Folder 33: Lecture notes	Undated	Pathology



1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00039	Folder 34: Lecture notes	Undated	Clinical Medicine
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00040	Folder 35: Lecture notes	Undated	Loose lecture notes
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00041	Folder 36	1932-1935	Notes for lectures to 3rd year students; November 1932 Tables - Calculations (Notebook); Schedules of University of Kansas School of Medicine (2nd, 3rd, and 4th Year), 1934-1935; Post data and diagnostic indications; Proposed plan of campaign: investigation of preoperal?; Mortality and morbidity in Victoria
1975.0042 Unit 5	1975.0042.00042	Folder 37	1920-1926	Examination paper, University of Edinburgh, 1920; Method of casetaking (textbook), Edinburgh, c. 1920; Commonwealth Serum Laboratory letter to MacCallum, 1926; Draft of an address, undated; Whitehead (evaluation and rules of a card game, probably Bridge), undated.
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00043	Folder 38	Undated	Lecture and Notes, includes Folder: Pathology - Old Notes, numbered pages to 218
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00044	Folder 39	Undated	Continuation of Pathology - Old Notes, pages 219-351
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00045	Folder 40: Lecture notes	Undated	Includes notes on metastasis, vitamins, inflammation, etc.
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00046	Folder 41	Undated	Includes Tumour pathology; phagocytosis; What is being done in Cancer Research in Victoria; Hypertrophy and Hyperplasia
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00047	Folder 42	Undated	Miscellaneous Pathology Notes; includes Bacteriology notes pages 141-273.
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00048	Folder 43: Lecture notes	1939-1947	Osteogenic Tissue and its reactions; Micro organisms of the soil; The general character of bacteriophage phenomena; Tumours; Reticulosis and recticuylosacrome; Whither Medicine 1947; Dr Lowe's lectures on war wounds 1939; Practical therapeutics; Hydrocephalus; Phagocytosis in pernicious anaemia; Carditis; The secretion of urine; Encephalitis lethargica
1975.0042 Unit 6	1975.0042.00049	Folder 44: Lecture notes	Undated	Miscellaneous unidentified subjects
1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00050	Folder 45: Lecture notes	Undated	Loss of blood; Blood clotting; Blood; Vitamin A; Liver



1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00051	Folder 46: Lecture notes	Undated	Miscellaneous unidentified subjects, includes Professor McCallum's notes on Fat Necrosis, 1939 Pathology Society.
1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00052	Folder 47: Lecture notes	Undated	Miscellaneous lecture notes including Report on a series of 79 Thyroid glands; Ductless glands; Physiological principle in treatment; Miscellaneous reprints
1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00053	Folder 48	Undated	Miscellaneous notes including notes for meeting of Association of Physicians, April 1937
1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00054	Folder 49: Talks and addresses	1916-1951	Stawell Oration by Sir John Medley, Medical Journal of Australia, 30 December 1950 (includes leading article on retirement of MacCallum); The University and Clinical Teaching, by MacCallum as Retiring President of the Victorian Branch of the British Medical Association; Modern Medicine; The Master Technician 22 August 1939; Lecture given at Trinity College, 11 August 1938; Medicine and the Modern World, opening address for the British Medical Association, New Zealand Branch, Biennial Conference, 13-16 February 1951; Notes on paper on Alcohol delivered to British Medical Association Symposium, 4 July 1945; Recent Cancer Research (Dissertation delivered to Royal Medical Society, 7 January 1916; Twenty five years of Pathology at the Royal Melbourne Hospital, 1948; Geelong Grammar address to pupils on Medicine as a Vocation, 22 November 1942; Commencement address 10 April 1943 (includes presentation of R G Menzies for LL D honoris causa and response to Menzies address); Address on occasion of honouring R G Menzies, 1943; Address on occasion of honouring R G Menzies, 1943; Address on occasion of honouring Chinese Ambassador, 1943; Lecture given to the Society of Dietitians on Deficiency Diseases, 1 May 1939; Speech given at Conferring of Degrees, 15 March 1943; Heredity and Disease, Eugenics Society, 18 August 1938; Lecture on War Wounds given to Melbourne Post Graduate Committee, 24 July 1939.



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1975.0042 Unit 7	1975.0042.00056	Folder 51: Correspondence	1939-1940	Provident Fund; Housing etc., 1939- 1940

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