Frederick A. Wurzbach, Jr. Notebooks

Notebooks, 1912-1918.
.75 cubic feet (20 volumes and 1 box)

**Biographical Note:** Frederick Alfred Wurzbach, Jr., was the son of Frederick A. and Amalia Alt Wurzbach. His father was a prominent businessman in the Bronx who had once served as the Director of the Bronx Eye and Ear Hospital. Wurzbach, Jr., received his B.S. from Columbia College in 1917, and his medical degree from the Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons in 1919. In 1945, he maintained an office in the Medical Arts Building, Grand Concourse, the Bronx, N.Y. Wurzbach died Nov. 8, 1970.

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of 20 volumes and ten folders of lecture notes and supporting materials from Wurzbach’s time at Columbia College and the Columbia University College of Physicians & Surgeons (P&S), 1915-1918. It appears Wurzbach was taking classes at P&S while still enrolled in Columbia College.

Volumes 1-19, 22 are bound lecture notes, 1915-1917. The 3 unbound volumes (designated as v. 20-21, 23) consist of .25 linear feet. The bulk of the material is class and study notes, along with examinations, handouts, case histories, a lab book, experimental data, forms and schedules. Also included are forms and patient instructions from Bellevue and Presbyterian Hospitals and the Vanderbilt Clinic, and various reprints from the professional literature.

Wurzbach generally did not identify the lecturer in his notes. One exception is volume 22 which consists of notes of the physiological chemistry lectures of Professor William J. Gies, Sept. 1915-Feb. 1916.

**Language:** English.

**Access:** Open.

**Location:** Forms part of Student Notebook Collection.

**Subjects:**

Columbia University. Columbia College.
Columbia University. College of Physicians and Surgeons.
Medical students – United States – 20th century.
Medicine – Study and teaching – United States.
Folder List:


   
   Volume 23 (loose):

3. Student Notes, 1916-1917: anatomy, neuroanatomy, surgery, etc.

4. Student Notes, 1916-1917: pharmacology, etc.

5. Examinations, 1917 and undated

6. Study notes, undated, histology cards, drawings, TB, unidentified notes

7. Study Cards, undated: muscles, peritoneum, arteries, organs, etc.

8. Class Handouts, Case Histories, etc., 1918: including Hygiene and Preventive Medicine, Third year clinic, etc.


10. Printed Matter, 1912-1918: reprints