



# Gates (Frederick Lamont) papers

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## Summary Information

<b>Repository:</b>	Rockefeller Archive Center
<b>Creator:</b>	Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
<b>Creator:</b>	Rockefeller University
<b>Creator - aut:</b>	Gates, Frederick Lamont
<b>Creator - ctb:</b>	Flexner, Simon
<b>Title:</b>	Frederick Lamont Gates papers, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research Scientific Staff
<b>ID:</b>	FA161
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1913-1934
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.44 Cubic Feet 1 box
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1 box of 2.5 inches
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English

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## Biographical/Historical note

Frederick Lamont Gates (1886-1933) physician and scientist at The Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research first in physiology and pharmacology and later in pathology and bacteriology from 1913 until his resignation in 1929 when he went to the physiological laboratories at Harvard with Institute support.

### Biographical note

1886	Born December 17, Minneapolis, Minn.
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1909	A. B. Yale University (first two years) University of Chicago
1913	M. D. Johns Hopkins University
1913	Fellow, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, New York
1914	Assistant, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
1916	Associate, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
1921	Associate Member, Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
1929	Resigned to work at Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts in physiological laboratories
1933	Died June 17, Cambridge, Massachusetts

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## Scope and Contents note

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Consists primarily of administrative correspondence with Simon Flexner and Business Manager.

Includes a number of handwritten letters. Also includes a number of photographs, typescript of biographical note written by Dr. Olitsky and copy of Memorial Service.

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## Arrangement note

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## File Plan note

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### Revision Description

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### Conditions Governing Access note

This collection is open for research.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Medical technology
- Diseases
- Physiology
- Pathology
- Pharmacology

- Bacteriology
- Bacteria
- Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research
- Rockefeller University
- Gates, Frederick Lamont
- Flexner, Simon

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## Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

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Materials requiring specialized equipment for access (film, audio, video, slides) may be closed to research dependent on availability of the applicable equipment

Brittle or damaged items, or materials otherwise in need of preservation care, may be closed to researchers at the discretion of the RAC Head of Archival Services/Head of Reference.

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Instances
Correspondence	box 1
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>	
Items of special interest are listed.	
Letter to Simon Flexner outlining projected programs in new directions of investigations with ultra-violet light, 1924 October 6	
On purchase of an ultra microscope made under direction of J. E. Barnard purchased from R. & J. Beck Co., London, "... still an experimental instrument", 1926 October-November	
Correspondence between J. H. Northrop and Simon Flexner on absorption spectrum work done by F. L. Gates and its importance, and return to RIMR of equipment from Harvard laboratory, 1933	
<b>"Collected Reprints"</b>	
<u>Processing Information note:</u>	
<b>Processing Information note</b>	
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