

Max Theiler family papers

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Summary Information

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Biographical / Historical

Arnold Theiler (1867 March 26-1936 July 24) is commonly considered to be the father of veterinary science in South Africa.

Max Theiler (1899 January 30–1972 August 11), Arnold's son, was a virologist and doctor awarded the 1951 Nobel Prize in Physiology or Medicine for his 1937 efforts to develop a yellow fever vaccine.

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Arrangement

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Collection Inventory

Arnold Theiler		
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"Arnold Theiler 1867-1936, His Life and Times," compiled by Gertrud Theiler, 1966 August-October	box 1	folder 1
Scope and Contents note		
Typescript with corrections and annotations; includes "Reminiscences" by J. H. R. Bischop		
"Arnold Theiler 1867-1936, His Life and Times," by Gertrud Theiler, 1966	box 1	folder 2
Scope and Contents note		
Typescript; includes copy of Letter from Gertrud Theiler to Max and Lillian Theiler, 1972 July 5		
"Arnold Theiler 1867-1936: His Life and Times" by Gertrud Theiler, 1971	box 1	folder 3
Scope and Contents note		
Publikasies van die Universiteit van Pretoria, Nuwe Reeks NR. 61		
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"There was a Man: The Life and Times of Sir Arnold Theiler, K.C.M.G. of Onderstepoort," by Thelma Gutsche	box 1	folder 6
Scope and Contents note		
publication notice.		
"Letters from Arnold Theiler to His Parents, Franz and Marie Theiler" (Handwritten, First English Draft.), 1891-1901	box 1	folder 7
Scope and Contents note		
Handwritten, First English Draft. Compiled by Alfred Theiler; translated from the German by Max Theiler.		
"Letters from Arnold Theiler to His Parents, Franz and Marie Theiler" (First Typed Draft.), 1891-1901	box 1	folder 8

First Typed Draft. Compiled by Alfred Theiler; translated from the German by Max Theiler.

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box 1

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Scope and Contents note

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"Letters from Arnold Theiler to His Parents, Franz and Marie Theiler" (Final Draft.), 1891-1901

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Scope and Contents note

Final Draft. Compiled by Alfred Theiler; translated from the German by Max Theiler.

"Letters from Arnold Theiler to His Parents, Franz and Marie Theiler" (Final Draft.), 1891-1901

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Final Draft. Compiled by Alfred Theiler; translated from the German by Max Theiler.

Notes on Arnold Theiler, by Alfred Theiler, undated

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Notes and map used in "Letters from Arnold Theiler to His Parents"

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Scope and Contents note

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