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Frederic Augustus Washburn, 1869-1949.

Papers, n.d., 1905-49

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Frederic A. Washburn (FAW) was the director of the Massachusetts General Hospital from 1908-1934, Assistant Director of the MGH from 1898-1899 and 1903-1908, Director of the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary from 1915-1934, and Director of the Cambridge Hospital (now Mount Auburn Hospital) from 1937-1940. He was also commander of Base Hospital 6 during World War I and in charge of the American hospitals in Great Britain, 1918-1919. In 1934, FAW became the Boston Commissioner of Institutions.

The collection includes correspondence; speeches and writings by FAW; biographical materials; historical information on the MGH, papers relating to FAW's military experiences, including FAW's diaries and plans of United States military hospitals in England and France during World War I; and newspaper clippings relating to FAW's career and the MGH. See also **United States Army Hospital #6, Records, 1917-1918, 1939-1946.**

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