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**The Papers of
Charles Henry Todd**

The papers of Charles Henry Todd, doctor, surgeon in the Confederate Army and in Owensboro, Ky., historian, and author.

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Size of Collection

2 cubic feet

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Biographical Note

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| 1838 | Born in Shelby County, Ky. |
| 1861 | Graduated from Tulane University with a degree in medicine. |
| 1861 | Assigned as assistant surgeon at the Moore Hospital at Manassas Junction. |
| 1862 | Transferred to the general hospital at Liberty, Va. and then assigned to the Sixth Louisiana Infantry as assistant surgeon. |
| 1863 | Promoted to surgeon. |
| 1864 | Transferred to the Thirteenth Virginia Infantry, captured after the battle of Monocacy and exchanged that Aug. |
| 1865 | Surrendered with Lee's army at Appomattox and returned to practice medicine in Owensboro. |
| 1915 | Died. |

Scope and Content Note

Papers include correspondence, 1865-1917, discussing routine political matters; book reviews; and articles and speeches by Todd on medical and historical subjects. Also included is genealogical information on the Burwell, Griffith, Harris, Hart, Steptoe, and Todd families.

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- fl. 1 Correspondence, 1865 June 18-1868 June 17.
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- fl. 21 Correspondence to Rosa Burwell Todd (1848-1911), 1869-1876.
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- fl. 24 Correspondence to Rosa Burwell Todd (1848-1911), 1884-1889.
- fl. 25 Correspondence to Rosa Burwell Todd (1848-1911), 1890-1899.
- fl. 26 Correspondence to Rosa Burwell Todd (1848-1911), 1900-1909.
- fl. 27 Speech: "King's Mountain," delivered by Rosa Burwell Todd (1848-1911) to the Gen. Evan Shelby Chapter of the DAR, 1902 Jan. 6.
- fl. 28 Letitia McCreery Burwell correspondence, 1868-1900.
- fl. 28a L. M. B. letter, 1848, May.

- fl. 29 Letter from William McCreery Burwell to Mary Fanny Burwell, 1862 Jan. 9.
- fl. 30 Todd children correspondence, 1875-1957.

Box 5

- fl. 31 Genealogy: Burwell, Griffith, Harris, Hart, Shelby, and Steptoe families.
- fl. 32 Genealogy: Todd family.
- fl. 33 Drafts of articles and speeches.
Book reviews.
- fl. 34 Drafts of articles and speeches: Confederate veterans and material about the Confederate side.
- fl. 35 Drafts of articles and speeches: "Bacon's Rebellion;" a speech.

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- fl. 36 Drafts of articles and speeches: Medical: cardiac stimulation; croupous pneumonia; diet; life insurance; malpractice; placenta previa; saline solution; and smallpox.
- fl. 37 Drafts of historical articles and speeches.
- fl. 38 Printed materials: Recipe; funeral invitation for Harry Innes Todd; miscellaneous Confederate and medical clippings.