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Papers, 1905-1955 and undated

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Collection Overview

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Historical Note

Raymond Carroll Osburn (1872-1955) received his B.S. (1898) and M.S. (1900) degrees from Ohio State University and his Ph.D. degree in 1906 from Columbia University. In 1898 Osburn was appointed Instructor of Biology and Embryology at Starling Medical College, and from 1899 to 1902 he was Professor of Biology at Fargo College. After studying at Columbia on a fellowship from 1902 to 1903, he taught at the New York High School of Commerce for four years. His other academic appointments included Assistant Professor of Zoology, 1907-1910, and Professor of Biology, 1910-1915, at Barnard College; Professor of Biology, 1915-1917, at Connecticut College for Women; and Professor of Zoology and Entomology and Entomology Department Chairman, 1917-1942, at Ohio State. In addition, he was Associate Director, 1910-1915, of the New York Aquarium; summer Director, 1918-1937, of the Franz Theodore Stone Laboratory of Ohio State; and Research Associate on Bryozoa, 1945-1952, at the Allan Hancock Foundation of the University of Southern California.

Introduction

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Descriptive Entry

These papers consist of a small amount of Osburn's correspondence, research notes and drafts of publications on bryozoans, and original pen drawings of bryozoans.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Invertebrate zoology

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts
Scientific illustrations

Names:

Allan Hancock Foundation
Barnard College
Columbia University
Connecticut College for Women
Fargo College (N.D.)
Franz Theodore Stone Laboratory (Put-in-Bay, Ohio)
New York Aquarium
New York High School of Commerce
Ohio State University
Osburn, Raymond Carroll, 1872-1955
Starling Medical College
University of Southern California

Container Listing

Series 1: Correspondence, 1915, 1921, 1936, 1939, 1946, 1949 and undated.

Note: This series consists of a small amount of Osburn's professional correspondence concerning the identification of Bryozoans. Specimen lists are attached to several letters.

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Series 2: Research Notes and Drafts of Publications, 1905-1949, 1955 and undated.

Note: This series consists of drafts of publications on bryozoans; research notes; coastal station records; and notes on various orders of bryozoans.

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Series 3: Pen Drawings of Bryozoa, 1945 and undated.

Note: This series consists of original pen drawings of bryozoans.

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