Information Sheet

R Barr, Thomas Akers, 1841-1903.
270 Papers, 1861-1919.
Sixty-three items.

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Thomas Akers Barr (1841-1903) was born and reared in Salem, Illinois. His father was Isaac Greenfield Barr, a Methodist circuit rider who died in 1845. Thomas became interested in medicine and attended the Cincinnati Eclectic College, graduating in 1864. First practicing in Hutsonville, Illinois, he moved to Lebanon, Missouri, to establish practice in 1869. There in 1871 he married Nancy Ann Frances Johnson (1856-1930) of Fulton, Missouri. Thirteen children were born of the union. Dr. Barr was well-known in Lebanon as a physician and as a member of fraternal organizations, among them the Ancient Order of United Workmen and the Masonic Lodge. He practiced medicine in Lebanon until his death in 1903.

The Barr collection has been assembled from a much larger collection of family papers. Most of the material selected consists of correspondence addressed to Dr. Barr, although a few miscellaneous business papers are included. The correspondence includes Civil War letters to Barr from friends serving in several Illinois infantry units. There are letters from soldiers in the 62nd regiment at Camp Kenton, Tennessee, the 111th regiment at Columbus, Kentucky, and the 31st regiment at Goldsboro and Raleigh, North Carolina. The letters from George W. Hand of the 31st Illinois contain comments on the surrender of the Confederate army in North Carolina and the assassination of President Lincoln.

Before his graduation from medical school in 1864, Barr began corresponding with Dr. Lyman Pike, an eclectic physician in Onarga, Iroquois County, Illinois. Pike was seeking a partner in his practice, and Barr’s eclectic credentials suited him. He wrote often to Barr from 1863 to 1866, commenting on the philosophy of eclectic medicine, listing the works in his medical library, and describing the increasing rivalry between himself and allopathic and homeopathic practitioners in Onarga. Although Barr visited Pike and evidently considered working with him, he ultimately declined to do so. Their correspondence ended in 1867 after a dispute involving a small business matter. In Missouri, Barr corresponded with Dr. T. H. Jones, of Newtonia, whose practice included patients from the lead mines around Granby.

The remainder of the Barr collection consists of letters written by Harry Woodson Barr (1897- ), Dr. Barr’s youngest son, during his service in the U. S. Army in World War One. A regimental clerk, Barr spent nearly his entire term of service stationed at Camp Bowie, Texas. His letters note details of his training, life at Camp Bowie, and demobilization after the end of the war.

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11 Dec 1883 Collection notice—Laclede Bank—Lebanon, MO.
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