# Accession #30 **Jean Gowing**

2.5 linear feet textual materials (including photographs) 1 record carton containing 3 artifacts

Dates: [1914 – (1950 – 1987)]

#### **Description**

Records from Dr. Gowing's student days, including some photographs; correspondence with WMC alumnae; professional papers; teaching materials; records from her pediatric work; WMC alumnae association; WMC admissions policy at WMC, including personal notes regarding co-education. Materials show a member's view of MWIA, including some photographs.

Some files are in acid-free folders but nothing has been physically processed.

Box #1	Artifacts: bottle, instruments, umbilical cord treatment			
Box #2	Correspondence, teaching materials, WMC/MCP alumnae			
Box #3	photographs (MWIA and misc), papers, MWIA, AMWA publications			
Inventory of boxes completed June 2000, attached.				

#### **MWIA**

I estimate about .3 linear feet are MWIA-related. These materials are mainly related to Gowing's paper on Trisomy 18 presented at the 1962 Congress; to MWIA's meeting in Philadelphia in 1950; and travel plans to other meetings.

### Research strengths

Research strength is in Gowing's relationship and history with WMC in 1920s and forward: her medical school records; communication with classmates; photographs from student period (some show original WMC building in background); her teaching materials; and her involvement and perspective on the 1960s' admission policy.

#### Processing time

Estimating 25 - 30 hours per linear foot to arrange and describe at folder level, processing the entire collection would take roughly 63 to 75 hours (or 8 to 10 full days).

## **Survey Inventory**

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<u>Box</u>	<u>Format</u>	<u>Contents</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Notes</u>
2	papers	MCP educational	1978-1979	
2	**	correspondence 1	1956 (1936,	1965)
2		correspondence 2	1973-1976	this correspondence is largely
2		correspondence 3	1968-1976	related to alumnae
2		correspondence 4	1970s	
2		correspondence 5	1975-1976	
2		clippings	1963-1976	random
2	**	lectures	n.d.	
2		May Day - Bryn Mawr- program	1920	
2		porgrams -non MCP	1948-1964	
2		Pedi dept exam questions	1963	
2		WMCP programs	1964-1976	
2		WMC programs, publications	1959-1972	
2		women physicians history	1975	
2		Broomall club	1974	
2		WMCP 'tickets'	1920s	
2		WMCP misc	1969-1974	
2		alumnae	1968-1969	
2		patient records	1915-1928	
2		alumnae clippings, etc	1943, 1965-	1971
2		WMC publications	1963-1972	
2		WMC pediatrics	1963-1965	
2		WMCP pediatrics	1967, 1972	
2		WMC Hospital, etc	1958-1963	
2		WMC achievement award	73, 75	
2	**	this file has materials for JG's		
		recommendation to Harrisburg Hospital in the 1920s		
2	*	WMC Staff	1963-1969	
2	**	co-education w/personal notes	1966-1974	
2		WMC name change + other	1948-1971	
	**	photographs - Manilla/MWIA, Congress		
3	**	photographs - JG, AWHS	1000-	
3	**	photographs - WMC students	1920s	
3		admission policy	1920s	
3		misc. early materials - corr	1966-67	
3		MWIA – papers presented	20s, 40s, coi	
3		trisomy 18 paper	40s-60s	
3		MCP welcome to MWIA	1962	
3		MWIA congress in Phila	1950	
3		council meeting agendas	1950	
3		AMWA	10 /2 /0	
3		misc journals, publications	48, 63, 69	
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3	meetings - AMWA+MWIA	50s, 60s	
3	photographs, itineraries, clippings		
3	MWIA congress bulletins	30s, 60s	some not in MWIA collection
3	medical reprints	40s	
3	journals		
3	Gray's Anatomy	1918	
rolled items	certificate from Royal Life Saving Society	1915	these materials in aisle #19, unit 4, shelf 5
McNairy/Gowing	certificate from Misericordia hospital	1927	