

The Phil R. Russell, DO Collection



**Phil Rogers Russell, D.O.
1894-1975**

Descriptive Summary

- Creator:** Phil R. Russell, DO
- Title:** The Phil Rogers Russell, DO Collection
- Inclusive Dates:** 1903-1975
- Abstract:** The Phil R. Russell, DO Collection consists of speeches, articles, book manuscripts, books, memorabilia, photographs, certificates and awards that Dr. Russell authored or was presented during his lifetime.
- Extent:** 1 box, 1 ²/₃ linear foot, 1 map cabinet drawer, 1 file cabinet drawer
- Language:** English
- Repository:** Archives, University of North Texas Health Science Center, Gibson D. Lewis Library.

Historical Note

Phil Rogers Russell, DO, practiced osteopathic medicine in the state of Texas from his 1917 graduation from the American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri, until his death at the age of 80 in 1975. He was a strong supporter of the profession and was instrumental in the establishment and growth of the Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital and the Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine. He won numerous awards and honors from the American Osteopathic Association, the Texas Osteopathic Association, other osteopathic institutions and associations, and civil awards. He was the author of "Quack Doctor", a memoir of his years as an osteopathic physician.

Restrictions The collection is open for research. The collection is non-circulating and can be viewed by appointment.

Provenance The Phil R. Russell Collection consists of items donated to Lewis Library by Dr. and Mrs. Phil R. Russell and facsimiles of items transferred to the Sutherland Cranial Teaching Foundation from the UNTHSC Archives.

Citation Phil R. Russell, DO Collection, [*Box 00005, FLT 4-2, OS 00060, PLQ2 or PLQ6*], The University of North Texas Health Science Center, Gibson D. Lewis Library, Archives.

Container List:

Box	Title	Date
Box 00005	Announcement Flyer: Phil R. Russell Freshman Scholarship (facsimile)	
Box 00005	Article: The Game Begins on the Training Table	
Box 00005	Biographical Sketch / Obituary	
Box 00005	Book: Phil R. Russell with Judy Alter. The Quack Doctor. Fort Worth: Branch-Smith, 1974	1974
Box 00005	Booklet: Discussion of Basic Science Law by Phil Russell, DO, 1948 (facsimile)	1948
Box 00005	Correspondence	1934-1975
Cab-2	Framed Portrait	
Cab-2	Framed Photograph	
Box 00005	History of Osteopathic Medicine (copy 1) by Phil R. Russell, DO (facsimile)	
Box 00005	History of Osteopathic Medicine (copy 2) by Phil R. Russell, DO (facsimile)	
Box 00005	Newspaper Clippings (copies)	
OS 00060	O.J. Snyder D.O. Memorial Medal (damaged); Philadelphia College of Osteopathy	1958 Jan 25
Box 00005	Photograph Negatives	
Box 00005	Photographs 5088-5132 (digital copies available Q:\Library\Images\5000-9999)	
Box 00005	Program: 46 th Annual Golden Deeds Award Banquet	1975 May 1
OS 00060	Scrapbook: Dr. Phil R. Russell, Friendly faces bring pleasant memories of the Atlantic City Osteopathic Convention June, 1941. Come again!	1941 Jun
Box 00005	Speech: AOA	

Box	Title	Date
Box 00005	Speech: AOA Retirement	
Box 00005	Speech: Association of the Osteopathic Boards of Examiner, Past President	
Box 00005	Speech: Members of the House of Delegates & Board of Trustees	
Box 00005	Speech: President's Acceptance Address	
Box 00005	Speech: Relationship of Examining Boards to Students & Colleges	
Box 00005	Speech: Statement to the Members of Texas Board of Medical Examiners	

Certificates & Plaques:

FLT 4-2	<p>Certificates:</p> <p>American Osteopathic Association Distinguished Service Certificate</p> <p>American School of Osteopathy Certificate of completion of Practical Dissection on the Cadaver</p> <p>American School of Osteopathy Diploma</p> <p>Certificate of Membership Michigan Association Physicians & Surgeons of Osteopathic Medicine</p> <p>Eye, Ear, Nose & Throat Department American School of Osteopathy</p> <p>Fort Worth Public Schools Diploma from WC Stripling High School (Phil C. Russell)</p> <p>Fort Worth Public Schools Diploma from WC Stripling High School (Roy Russell)</p> <p>Special Certificate from the American School of Osteopathy</p> <p>State Board of Medical Examiners – State of Texas License</p> <p>State Board of Osteopathic Registration & Examination of Missouri Certificate of Graduation</p> <p>Texas State Board of Health member appointment</p> <p>Waggoner School of Ophthalmology – Degree of Doctor of Ophthalmology</p>	
Box 00005	<p>Certificates & Awards, 1916-1925</p> <p>State Board of Osteopathic Registration & Examination of Missouri, 1916 Jun 24</p> <p>Oklahoma State Board of Medical Examiners, 1917 Jul 10</p> <p>State Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Texas, 1917 Jul 15</p> <p>Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons, 1923-1924</p> <p>Fort Worth Club Certificate of Membership, 1925 Aug 26</p>	
Box 00005	<p>Certificates & Awards, 1931-1947</p> <p>State Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Texas, 1931 Mar 11</p> <p>State Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Texas, 1931 Apr 18</p> <p>Drake University, 1934 May 26</p> <p>North Texas Agricultural College Diploma Associate in Science, (Phil C. Russell), 1936 May 27</p> <p>State Board of Medical Examiners for the State of Texas, 1937 Apr 13</p> <p>Member Medical Advisory Board in the Selective Service System of the US, 1940-1947</p> <p>American Osteopathic Association: President, 1941 Jun 26</p>	

Admiral of the Flagship Fleet, 1941 Oct 4

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Certificates & Awards, 1951-1959

Kirksville College of Osteopathy & Surgery, Honorary Degree Doctor of Science in Osteopathy, Kirksville, MO, 1951 Jun 8

American Osteopathic Association Life Membership, 1951 Jul 18

American Osteopathic Association Life Membership, 1951 Jul 20

United States Committee, Inc. The World Medical Association member certificate, 1955

Honorary Texas Colonel, 1955 May 2

Honorary Membership in the Susan Baker Memorial Cardiovascular Foundation, 1956 Mar 1

Fannin County Society of Osteopathic Medicine Appreciation, Executive Secretary of the Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons, 1957 Apr 6

Honorary Staff at Dallas Osteopathic Hospital, Dallas, TX, 1957 Jun 1

Honorary Admiral in the Texas Navy, 1957 Nov 18

Certificate of Recognition, Blue Cross Hospital Service, 1958 Aug 23

Association of Osteopathic Publications, President, 1959-1960

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Certificates & Awards, 1960-1970

Member, Governor's Advisory Committee on Aging for the State of Texas, 1960 Mar 10

Anniversary Club, Kirksville College of Osteopathy & Surgery, Kirksville, MO, 1960 Apr 30

Academy of Applied Osteopathy, Honorary Life Membership, 1960 Jul 21

College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery, Counsellor at Large, Des Moines, IA, 1961 Mar 27

Honorary Texas Colonel, 1961 Aug 13

Member, Governor's Advisory Committee on Aging for the State of Texas, 1964 Feb 24

Proclamation: Dr. Phil R. Russell Day in Fort Worth, Fort Worth, TX, 1964 Jun 25

State Osteopathic Board of Registration & Examination in Medicine & Surgery, Certificate of Appreciation, 1964 Oct 3

Sigma Sigma Phi, Award for Distinguished Service in the Advancement of Osteopathy, 1964 Oct 5

Honorary Staff, Dallas Osteopathic Hospital, Dallas, TX, 1966 Jul 1

American Osteopathic Association, Certificate of Appreciation, 1966 Jul 13

Kirksville College of Osteopathy & Surgery 50 Year Award, Kirksville, MO, 1966 Oct 11

American Osteopathic Association Publication, Certificate of Appreciation, 1966 Nov 13

Member, Governor's Advisory Committee on Aging for the State of Texas, 1970 Apr 15

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Certificates & Awards, undated

TCOM 1000 Certificate of Membership, Texas College of Osteopathic Medicine, Fort Worth, TX

World Medical Association, United States Committee, Inc.
Gustave L. Magcuso Memorial Award
College of Osteopathic Medicine & Surgery, Counselor-at-Large

- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Academy of Applied Osteopathy: Andrew Taylor Still Medallion of Honor
Awarded by the Academy of Applied Osteopathy to Phil R. Russell, DO 1960
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
American Osteopathic Association: Appreciation Award
To Phil R. Russell, DO In sincere appreciation of his untiring efforts in making his dream of the Andrew Taylor Still Memorial Home a reality. Presented by the Officers and Trustees of the American Osteopathic Association, July 22, 1948.
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
American Osteopathic Association: Appreciation Resolution
In appreciation to Phil R. Russell, DO Resolutions of the Board of Trustees of the American Osteopathic Association for his participation on the board and his years of service. 1949
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
American Osteopathic Association: Distinguished Service
President of the American Osteopathic Association 1941-42 to Dr. Phil R. Russell in appreciation of the Distinguished Services rendered the Osteopathic Professions; The Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons, 1941-42
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
American Osteopathic Association: Society of Divisional Secretaries
The Society of Divisional Secretaries of the American Osteopathic Association grants the status of Honorary Membership to Phil R. Russell, DO in recognition of outstanding and faithful service to the osteopathic profession and to this society; July 16, 1964
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital: Honorary Medical Staff
Phil R. Russell, DO in recognition of your dedication and faithful service for many years as a member of the medical staff of Fort Worth Osteopathic Hospital your colleagues and the Board Of Directors take pleasure in appointing you a member of the Honorary Medical Staff presented this 29th day of June, 1974
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Quack Doctor Plaque
A close friend and Fort Worth orthopedic surgeon, Thomas R. Turner, DO facetiously depicted the allopathic profession's reaction to Russell's book. c.1974

- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Southwestern Insurance Association
Phil R. Russell, DO in recognition and grateful appreciation of the many contributions toward better understanding and cooperation between the osteopathic profession and the insurance industry. June 12, 1970
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Diploma:
Texas Christian University
Bachelor of Science in Commerce degree awarded to Phil R. Russell, June 3, 1940.
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons: Distinguished Service President of the Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons 1923-24 to Dr. Phil R. Russell in appreciation of the Distinguished Services rendered the Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons, 1923-24
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons, District II: In Appreciation
To Dr. Phil R. Russell in recognition and appreciation of 54 years of health care TAOPS & S. District II, Charter Member, undated
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons: Resolution
Be it resolved by unanimous acclamation The Texas Association of Osteopathic Physicians & Surgeons in recognition of his long selfless service, devotion and sacrifice to the entire osteopathic profession and to the health and welfare of the people of these United States, presents this most sincere testimonial to our friend and leader: Phil R. Russell, DO A.D. 1964
- Cab-1, DWR-2 Plaque:
Texas Osteopathic Liaison Committee: Resolution
Resolved, that the gratitude of the Texas Osteopathic Liaison Committee be expressed by this resolution, that the resolution be recorded in the minutes of this meeting and that a copy be sent to Dr. Russell's widow, Zelma, 1975