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Dr. George M. Combest Collection

Combest, George Marion (1866–1926). Papers, 1899–1927. .10 foot.

Physician. A diary (1899) detailing Combest's participation in the Spanish-American War; certificates (1896–1906) of honorable discharge from military service, of registration as a physician in Indian Territory, and of pension eligibility from previous military service; articles (1918–1926) concerning Combest's enlistment into the medical reserve force in 1918; his obituary in 1926; and medals earned during his military career. The collection also includes an unpublished biography (n.d.) entitled "Life and Works of George Marion Combest: Oklahoma Pioneer Medical Doctor," by Christine Combest Millsap.

Folder:

- 1) Service medals and Uniform Insignia
 - U.S.R./United States (Volunteer) Regiment
 - War With Spain, 1898
 - Philippine Insurrection, 1899
 - Army of Occupation-Military Government of Cuba
 - Ribbons corresponding to the above service medals
 - Second Lieutenant's bars
- 2) Discharge and Pension Certificates
- 3) Medical discharge hearing of an enlisted man at Fort Riley, Kansas, March 28, 1918.
- 4) Certificate of the Board of Medical Examiners for the Southern District of the Indian Territory/Certificate of Registration as Physician and Surgeon, 1905; Medical Corps banner; prescriptions.
- 5) "Life and Works of Doctor George Marion Combest: Oklahoma Pioneer Medical Doctor" by Christine Combest Millsap; newspaper clippings.
- 6) "War Diary or a Trip Around the World"--Ward 8, First Reserve Hospital, Manila, Philippine Islands, 1899.