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Title: Mylrea Collection

Name of creator: Mylrea, C. Stanley G. (1876-1952) Physician

Dates of creation of material: 1945-1951

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Extent: 1 box

Biographical history: Mylrea, C. Stanley G. (1876-1952) Physician

Born 1876. Sec. to E.C. Millard, representative of "The Friends of Armenia" in Alexandretta, Sept. 1897; English teacher, Central Turkey College, Aintab, Dec. 1897; returned to America and entered Medical School in Philadelphia, 1898; Doctor of Medicine, 1906. Accepted by the Arabian Mission of the Reformed Church in America, 1906; served Bahrain 1907-1912; served Kuwait 1912-47; OBE 1919; King George V and Queen Mary Jubilee Medal 1935; Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal 1943. Married, 2 July 1906, Bessie Augusta London. Died 3 January 1952.

Scope and content: "Before oil came to Kuwait" and "Kuwait before oil": two TS versions of the memoirs of Dr. Mylrea, pioneer medical missionary of the Arabian Mission in Bahrain and Kuwait, 1907-1947, including comment on local affairs and the ruling families, as well as descriptions of the medical work of the mission. Typescripts edited by Dr. Samuel Zwemer.

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Location of originals: "Before oil came to Kuwait" in the possession of Mrs. Dorothy Van Ess; "Kuwait before oil" in the possession of Mrs. Claude Pickens.

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- GB165-0006 Ernest Altounyan
- GB165-0161 Jerusalem and the East Mission
- GB165-0373 Palestine and Lebanon Nurses' Mission
- GB165-0355 Percy D'Erf and Grace Wheeler Collection

Finding aids: In Guide; Handlist

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