DESCRIPTION

Small photograph album of local scenes, sanatoriums, and tuberculosis patients in Tucson, Prescott, and El Paso in the 1920s. In Tucson, there are photographs of Pastime Park government hospital cottages, Mrs. Rodgers contract hospital, a home at 1205 E. Speedway, Sabino Canyon, Fort Lowell ruins, the Wrightstown Post Office, a Tucson Rapid Transit street car, and the dry Rillito Creek bed. There are images of streets in Nogales, Phoenix, Yuma, and Jerome. Several photographs of Dr. Wilson’s Sanitarium in Prescott depict nurses, doctors, patients in robes and a patient getting a haircut. Most are identified. There are also images of Hendricks-Laws Sanitarium in El Paso.

1 box, .75 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

The album was apparently compiled by an unidentified tuberculosis patient. Lucy Rodgers operated the Hotel Rest Sanitarium in Tucson in 1920.

ACQUISITION

Unknown.

ACCESS

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PROCESSING

The finding aid was prepared by Kim Frontz, May 2000.