

**Collection #
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LULU LUCINDA RECORDS MATERIALS, CA. 1906–1913

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 manuscript folder
1 photograph album
1 folder of copy negatives stored with 8x10 polyester negatives

COLLECTION DATES: ca. 1906–1913

PROVENANCE: Rachel L. Jenkins, Greentown, Indiana, 1983, 2017

RESTRICTIONS: None

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RELATED HOLDINGS: Marion County General Hospital Collection (M0430)

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NOTES:

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Lulu Lucinda Records (1880–1963) was born in Rising Sun, Ohio County, Indiana. Her parents were William Henry Records (1836–1906) and Isabelle "Belle" Pate (1841–1919). In April 1906 she graduated from the Indianapolis School for Nurses, at that time attached to the City Hospital. The other nurses in her graduation group were; Josephine Elizabeth Hunt, Maud May Mendenhall, Sarah Gertrude Bowers, Mable Ruth Van Auker, Edna Grace Phillips, Bonita Helen Yoakam, and Susan Mayhew Kissell. After graduation she worked as a traveling nurse assisting doctors with house calls in Indianapolis and Mooresville and in 1908 she became registered.

Records married Chris Jordan in 1911 in Rising Sun, Ohio County, Indiana. The Jordans had one child, and Lulu appeared to have continued to work as a traveling nurse throughout much of her life in several counties in Central Indiana. She died in Greencastle, Putnam County, Indiana.

Sources:

Ancestry, Library Edition, accessed 24 May 2017

Central States Medical Monitor, v. 9, no. 5, May 15, 1906, p. 586-587.

Information in Collection

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The materials in the collection consist of Records' case book while she was a traveling nurse from October 1906 to April 1913. It contains the name and location of each patient, the cause for the visit, the attending doctor, the fee charged, and time spent on the case. There are seventy-six cases in all. Case number fifty was to the home of James Whitcomb Riley in Lockerbie Square in 1910 for paralysis in the right arm and leg.

The photo album contains mostly images from Records' days in nursing school at City Hospital in Indianapolis, ca. 1906. There are both formal and candid photographs of the nurses, doctors, and patients. It is very likely that the group of nurses who graduated with Records are included in these images. There are also several images of soldiers and some individuals who may have been family. No one is identified in the album.

The 35mm polyester negatives were taken in 1982 when the donor loaned the album to the Indiana Historical Society for copying. Not all of the photographs from the album are included in these copy negatives.

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Casebook, 1906–1913

Photo Album, ca. 1906

35 mm polyester copy negatives made from album in
1983

CONTAINER

Folder 1

Album Storage PAA

8x10 Polyester Negatives:
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