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# M. H. F. Friedman Fonds

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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Osler Library
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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

Dr. Moe Hegby Fred Friedman, originally from Montreal, received his B.Sc. in 1930 and his Ph.D. in physiology in 1937 from McGill University. He was a student of Dr. Boris P. Babkin. Professor Babkin was a student and friend of Russian physiologist I. P. Pavlov, 1849-1936. Babkin published a biography of his famous professor entitled Pavlov: A Biography, University of Chicago Press, 1949. Dr. Friedman helped edit the biography by reducing the size of the manuscript. After receiving his Ph.D., Dr Friedman joined the faculty of Wayne State University Medical College in Detroit. He later became Professor Emeritus of Physiology at Jefferson Medical College of Thomas Jefferson University. After retiring from Jefferson in 1974, he became Visiting Professor of Physiology and Pharmacology of the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, where he taught until 1995. He was founding president of the Philadelphia branch of the McGill Alumni Society.

### Custodial history

Donated by Dr. M.H.F. Friedman in 1996. Old accession number 934.

## Scope and content

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Fonds contains Dr. M.H.F. Friedman's personal papers and files relating to Dr. Boris P. Babkin and also correspondence with the editor of Babkin's biography of I.P. Pavlov.

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## Notes

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### Title notes

- **Source of title proper:** Title based on the documents in the fonds.

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### Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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## Access points

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- Babkin, B. P. (Boris Petrovich), 1877-1950 (subject)
  - Files (document groupings) (documentary form)
  - Correspondence. (documentary form)
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## Series descriptions

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### Series P118-1: Babkin's Personal Files

Date: 1918-1942 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container

P118-1-1	File - List of publications and curriculum vitae	Undated
P118-1-2	File - Testimonial to Elena Ivanovna Solovieva, citizen of the Russian Empire, and to her right to teach mathematics and biology	1895- 1896
P118-1-3	File - Immigration, Rockefeller correspondence, Dalhousie University	[around 1918]
P118-1-4	File - "Four Years at Dalhousie University", by Boris Babkin	Undated
P118-1-5	File - Photographs of Pavlov, Babkin	Undated
P118-1-6	File - Appointment diaries	1924 (2), 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929
P118-1-7	File - Appointment diaries	1930, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, misc.
P118-1-8	File - Bank book, Halifax, address book, grocery expenses, Montreal	1929, 1939
P118-1-9	File - Three notebooks incl. addresses, notes, accounts in rubles,	[around 1905-1908]
P118-1-10	File - Correspondence, B. Babkin to M.H.F. Friedman	1938-1942
P118-1-11	File - Misc., incl. clippings, reprints lecture to students, lecture to surgeons, obituary of Pavlov	Undated

### Series P118-2: Pavlov Biography

Date: 1942-1950 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

#### File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
P118-2-12	File - Pavlov-Freud, Neuroses, notes, reprints	Undated		
P118-2-13	File - Notes, correspondence, misc.	[around 1942]		
P118-2-14	File - Notes, correspondence, drafts	[around 1946-1949]		
P118-2-15	File - Babkin's correspondences concerning his biography of I.V. Pavlov	1946-1949		
P118-2-16	File - Chapters 7,8,9,10 of Babkin's biography of Pavlov	December 1945		
P118-2-17	File - Correspondence about the publication of Pavlov, A Biography	1948-1950		

### Series P118-3: Lectures and Publications

Date: 1899-1963 (date of creation)

<u>Publication status:</u>				
Published				
<b>File / item list</b>				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
P118-3-18	File - Lectures on Mechanism of Secretary Activity of Digestive Glands	1933-1934		
P118-3-19	File - Secretary Mechanism of the Digestive Glands, 2nd ed.	1950		
P118-3-20	File - Chap. XVII Secretary Mechanism of the Digestive Glands	Undated		
P118-3-21	File - Photostat of Secretary Work of the Pancreatic Gland, in Russian	1904		
P118-3-22	File - Lectures on the physiology of gastric secretion, given by Babkin	1935		
P118-3-23	File - Lectures delivered in Babkin's handwriting	[around 1941]		
P118-3-24	File - Correspondence about Babkin's article "Origin of Conditioned Reflexes: Sechenov - Hughlings-Jackson - Pavlov", presented to the Russian Medical Society in New York, 22 March, 1949.	Undated		
P118-3-25	File - Page proofs and correspondence about "Central Nervous Control of Rhythmic Variations of Blood Pressure", Boris Babkin and W. C. Kite Jr.	1949		
P118-3-26	File - "Final Report to the Medical Committee, N.R.C"	1943, 1949		
P118-3-27	File - "Cerebral Cortex and Gastric Motility", Edinburgh Lecture	1950		
P118-3-28	File - "Cerebral Cortex and Gastric Motility", Edinburgh Lecture	1950		
P118-3-29	File - Five Russian language journals, Vol. X, Works of the Pavlov Institute	[around 1944-1954], 1963		
P118-3-30	File - Three Russian language journals	1899-1938		