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Biography
Paul John Hanzlik was born in Shueyville, Iowa, on July 24, 1885. He obtained his Ph.G. (Graduate in Pharmacy) degree from the State University of Iowa in 1902. In 1908 he obtained an A.B. and a Ph.C. (Pharmaceutical Chemist) degree from the University of Illinois. His A.M. (1911) and M.D. (1912) degrees were received from Cleveland's Western Reserve University. After graduation from medical school, Dr. Hanzlik served briefly as a demonstrator in pharmacology at Western Reserve University, and then spent a period of study abroad, at the Pharmacological Institute and Physico-Chemical-Biological Institute at the University of Vienna. Upon his return, Dr. Hanzlik became associated with the Stanford medical school, first as an instructor (1913-1915), then as an associate instructor (1915-1917), assistant professor (1917-1920) and associate professor (1920-1921). In 1921 he was named professor of pharmacology at Stanford, a position he held until his retirement in 1950. During World War I he served as a captain in the U.S. Army's Medical Corps, attached to the Chemical Warfare Service; it is possible that here he met Chauncey Leake, who would later sit on the same committee of San Francisco Department of Health consultants which developed the Handbook of accepted remedies. The spiral-bound Handbook went into at least
Dr. Hanzlik was a member of many professional organizations, such as the American Medical Association, the American Physiological Society, the Society of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, the Society of Experimental Biology and Medicine, the California Academy of Medicine, and the California Medical Association. He was a fellow of the American College of Physicians and an honorary fellow of the American College of Dentists. He was author or co-author of a number of publications, including *Actions and uses of the salicylates and cinchophen in medicine* (1927) and *Fundamentals of experimental pharmacology* (1928, 1939). He helped edit the 1930 and 1931 Lane lectures on experimental pharmacology, and published a number of articles on this topic.

**Scope and Content**

Includes correspondence, drafts, printed versions of *Handbook of accepted remedies, symptoms and treatment of poisoning, diagnostic procedures and miscellaneous information* (San Francisco : Dept. Public Health, 1936), ed. by Hanzlik.

| Box 1, Folder 1 | Correspondence, 1934-1935 |
| Folder 2       | Early draft, n.d., typescript |
| Folder 3       | Early draft, 1935, typescript |
| Folder 4       | Late draft, 1935, typescript |
| Folder 5       | Addenda to handbook, typescript |
| Folder 7       | List of drugs (perhaps those used at San Francisco General Hospital?) |