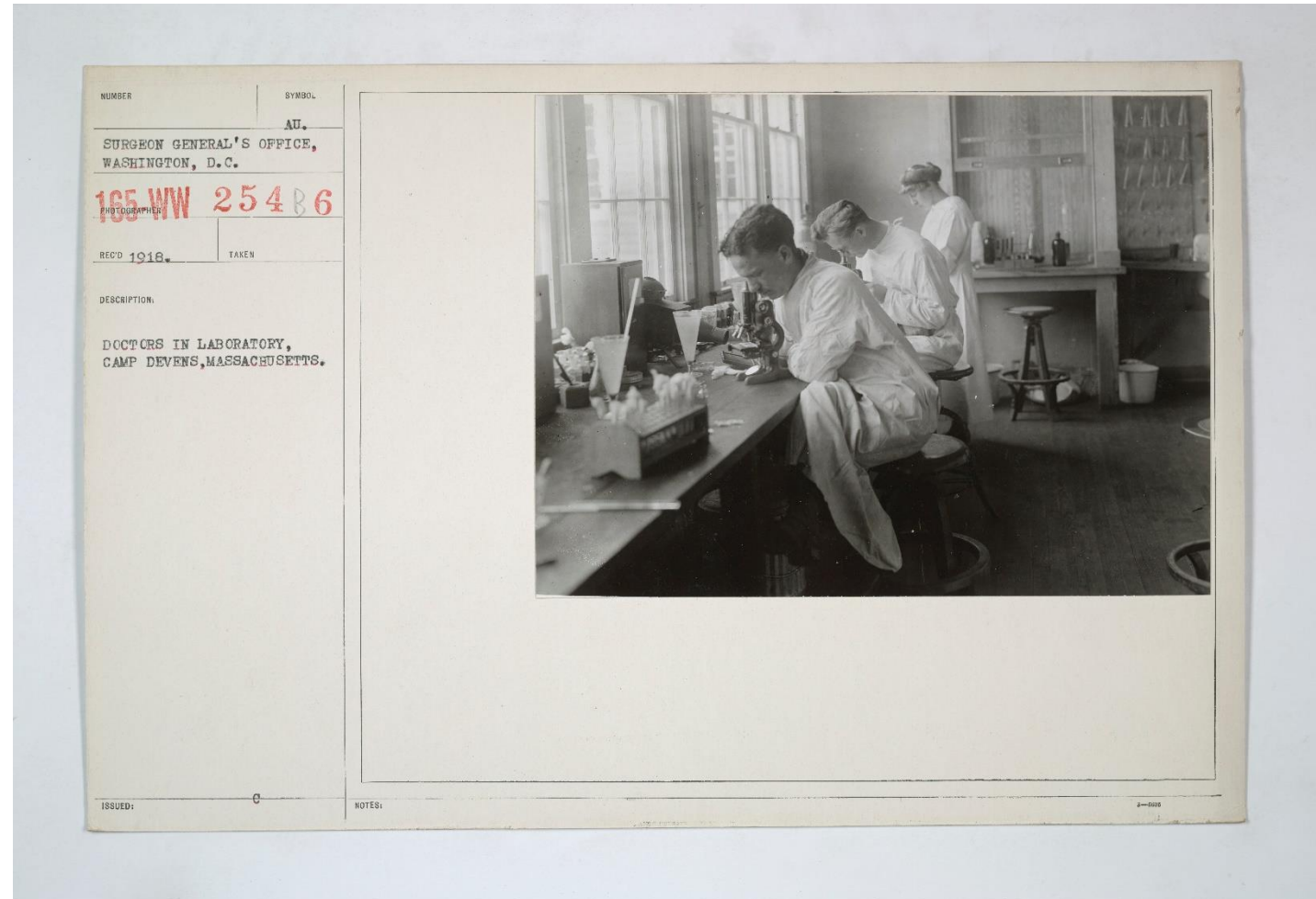


# Rutgers in the Era of the Great Influenza Pandemic

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# Prelude: Camp Devens

**Medical Researchers at  
Camp Devens in  
Massachusetts –  
the site where influenza  
became a horrific disaster  
for the American military,  
1918  
(Source: National Archives)**



# New Brunswick, N.J., Waterfront, c. 1903

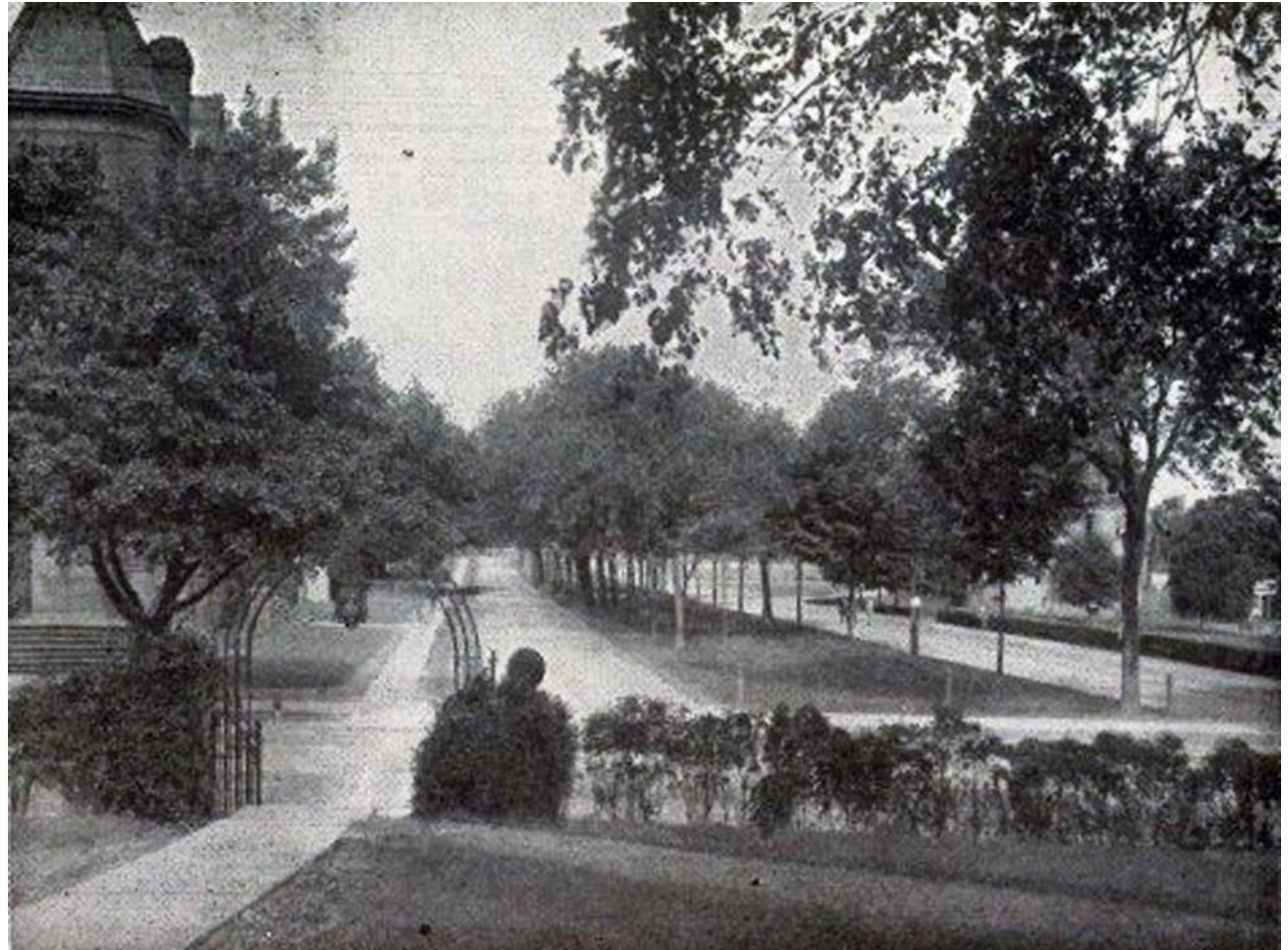


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# A College at Hamilton St. and College Avenue

Voorhees mall area  
around time of WWI

Source: Elijah Reiss  
Photographic study,  
“Then and Now”



# Seminary Across from Voorhees

Corner of College  
Avenue and  
Seminary Place

Source: Elijah Reiss,  
as before



# Campus Life at Rutgers before and after WWI



Rutgers Basketball Team, 1919-1920

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