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1 John R. Conklin Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. John R. Conklin of Ohio in the 345th Infantry Regiment, 87th Division, including personal correspondence, 1943-1947, n.d.; service medals and ribbons, including two Bronze Stars; and a disassembled "War Scrapbook" that contained official correspondence and documents (including honorable discharge), 1941-1948, n.d.; photographs; chits; identification cards; newspaper clippings (originals replaced by Xerox copies); and foreign paper currency.

2 Ann Evans Dickie Collection.

Includes two letters from Lt. W. S. Royster, Co. C, 321st Infantry, to Melville G. Evans, Henderson, N.C., 1918, 1919; and twenty letters addressed to "Miss Ann Evans" from five different soldiers, 1943-1945.

George T. Dickie Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. George Thomas Dickie of Henderson (Vance County) in the Army Transportation Corps, U.S. Army, to 1943, the U.S. Coast Guard Merchant Marines, 1943-1945, and the U.S. Army Reserve after the war. Official documents include honorable discharge from the U.S. Army, 1943; letter of appointment as seaman, 1943; certificate of graduation and commission as ensign, 1945; honorable discharge from the U.S. Coast Guard, 1945; certificate of completion of course, Quartermaster School, Camp Lee, Virginia, 1949; transfer to Enlisted Reserve Corps, 1949; honorable discharges from the U.S. Army, 1950, 1954; certificates of discharge after forty-three years of service, 1988; and correspondence concerning discharge, 1988-1990. Collection also includes Dickie's identification cards and dog tags, and November 18, 1943, issue of *L'Italia del Popolo*. World War I items include July 20, 1917, issue of the *Henderson Daily Dispatch*; two picture postcards of troops at Camp Glenn, probably the Henderson unit of the North Carolina National Guard (Co. C, 3rd

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2 (cont.) Infantry Regiment), addressed to M. G. Evans of Henderson, 1916; and a photograph of three Vance County servicemen: Sgt. William B. Daniel and Cpl. Durwood T. Dickie, 324th Infantry, and Lt. (jg) Jamie W. Dickie, Medical Corps, U.S. Navy.

William J. Jasper Papers.

Contains manuscript autobiography of the service of Lt. William J. Jasper in the U.S. Navy during World War II and the Korean War, 1943-1955. See World War II vertical files for Xerox copies of Jasper's service records and newspaper articles relating to the USS *Antietam*.

Charles M. Johnson Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Charles M. Johnson Jr. of Raleigh (Wake County) in the 79th Division, including typescript reminiscence titled, "The World War II Years: My Story"; two copy print photographs; panoramic photograph of Battery B, 5th Battalion, 2nd Training Regiment, Fort Bragg, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.2]; twelve war ration books (various names) with paper envelope carrier; and special section from *The Times* (London) on the fiftieth anniversary of D-Day.

James D. Lancaster Papers.

Contains photograph of Lancaster as a boatswain's mate first class in the U.S. Navy.

Raphael A. Levin Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Raphael A. Levin of Pennsylvania (later Raleigh) as a battalion surgeon in the 15th Infantry Regiment, 3rd Division, including typescript reminiscence titled, "Adventures of a Front Line Purple Heart Infantry Doctor"; extract from the reminiscence published as an article in *Diversions* magazine (December 1991) titled, "And Suddenly, I Was a

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2 (cont.) Soldier"; photograph of Levin in uniform; and a two-page manuscript autobiography.

Philip McKinne Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Philip McKinne of Louisburg (Franklin County) in the 264th Infantry Regiment, 66th Division, including correspondence with his parents and sister, 1943-1945, from training camps in Nebraska, Arkansas, and Alabama, and from France; and Xerox copies of newspaper articles, honorable discharge, and autobiographies of McKinne and PFC John E. Henriot.

Charles M. Paty Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Radioman 2c Charles M. Paty Jr. of Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) aboard the USS *North Carolina*, including six copy print photographs; typescript of a lecture, 2000, and four typescript reminiscences.

3 **Karl W. Schawbhuth Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. Karl W. Schawbhuth of Wilson (Wilson County) in the U.S. Army, including composite photograph of Co. K, 47th Infantry Regiment, 9th Division, at Fort Bragg, 1941; set of eight small photographs of U.S. Navy ships, in cloth pouch labeled, "U.S. Mail Views of U.S. Navy Norfolk, Va."; soldier's individual pay record; two shoulder insignia; two news clippings; *Private Bill* comic book; seven issues of *The Raider*, 47th Infantry newsletter, March-April, 1942; and *Historical and Pictorial Review, 47th Infantry of the Ninth Division, United States Army* (1941).

[4-5] **George H. Tally Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. George H. "Bud" Tally Jr. of Fayetteville (Cumberland County), a carpenter assigned to the 67th Service Squadron, Eighth Air Force, in England, including personal correspondence with his parents, sisters, and other relatives, 1941-

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1945, n.d., discussing family activities in Fayetteville and relating his opinions on WACs, War Bond drives, rationing,

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entertainers (particularly Frank Sinatra and Bing Crosby), relations with the British, and army life for the noncombat soldier. Also includes miscellaneous financial records, 1938-1939, and miscellaneous records, including a photograph of an unidentified woman and the March 1939 issue of the *North Carolina-Virginia Credit Union News*.

- 4 Personal correspondence, 1941-August 1944
- 5 Personal correspondence, September 1944-May 1945; miscellaneous financial records, 1938-1919; miscellaneous records.

[6-7, 7.1] Ben L. Rose Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Ben Lacy Rose of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) and Richmond, Va., as a chaplain in the 31st Infantry Division and the 113th Cavalry Group, Mechanized. Lieutenant Rose served in the latter unit in the European Theater and earned six battle stars. He continued in the U.S. Army Reserve after the war and attained the rank of colonel before retiring in 1974. He held several pastorates in North Carolina and Virginia, served as moderator of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.), 1971-1972, and was professor of pastoral leadership and homiletics at Union Theological Seminary in Richmond from 1956 to 1973. He died on November 13, 2006.

- 6 Contains manuscript diary intermittently kept by Chaplain Rose in 1944 and a typed transcription; photograph of Rose at Camp Bowie, Texas, 1943; text of sermon preached by Rose at Camp Hood, Texas, July 4, 1943; six pocket notebooks in which Lacy recorded marriages and baptisms performed, number of persons attending worship services, names of men killed, etc., January 1944-October 1945; monthly chaplain reports, May 1941-January 1946; certificates of marriage and baptism, 1945 [no marriages and only six baptisms are recorded]; copy of letter from

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- 6 (cont.) Dwight D. Eisenhower to "Soldiers, Sailors and Airmen of the Allied Expeditionary Force" on the eve of D-Day; two pieces of shrapnel from Normandy; letter to Rose from Mrs. Abe C. Webb of Canton concerning the death of her husband, and

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typescript of Rose's reply, 1945; citations and commissions awarded to Rose, including commissions as second lieutenant (1936), first lieutenant (infantry, 1939, chaplain, 1941), captain (1946), major (1946), major, Reserves (1958), and colonel, Reserves (1972); certificate of graduation from the U.S. Army Chaplain School, 1943; award of Bronze Star Medal, 1944, the Cross of Military Service from the United Daughters of the Confederacy, 1947, and the Legion of Merit (1967) and first oak leaf cluster (1975); and certificates of retirement; copy of roster of officers of the 113th Cavalry Group, the 113th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron, and the 125th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron; September 15, 1944, issue of *The Stars and Stripes*; pages from issues of *The Windmill* (February 11, 1945) and *The Tomahawk* (April 8, 1945); issue of *The Iowa Militiaman*, Spring 1991; two booklets by Rose: *Sermons to Soldiers during World War II* (1990) and *Memories of a Chaplain in Combat in World War II* (2002); typescript of paper by Rose titled, "Some Reminiscences of the 113th Mecz. Cavalry Gp during World War II" (1991); soft-bound history of XIX Corps titled, *Normandy to the Elbe* (n.d.); electrostatic copy of article from *The Cavalry Journal* titled, "We Met the Russians"; typed copy of article from *The Stars and Stripes*, May 3, 1945, titled, "Jeep Hit a Russian Mine": copies of letters from Charles G. Barrett Jr. to William Eagen, April 30, 1984, and from Charles G. Overstreet to Barrett, May 11, 1984, containing accounts of the contact of the 125th Squadron with the Russians in April 1945; letter from Helen Barroux, January 1, 1989, enclosing clippings concerning her late husband, Jacques Barroux; and letter from John T. Greenwood, Center of Military History, to Hon. Charlie Rose, May 12, 1995, enclosing an electrostatic copy of the summary of service of the 113th Cavalry Group.

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7	Scrapbook compiled by Rose to document his military service, 1941-1946, containing photographs and maps.
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insignia; typescript of interview with Pastor Martin Niemoeller, Frankfurt, 1945; and photographs.

[8-11] James Bryan Creech Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Storekeeper 2/c James Bryan Creech of Four Oaks (Johnston County) in the U.S. Navy, stationed in New Guinea and the Admiralty Islands, 1944-1945. The bulk of the personal correspondence consists of letters to his parents, Barham Bryan Creech and Bertha Mae Langdon Creech of Four Oaks. While in service, he wrote a column that was published in *The Smithfield Herald*. Creech retired from the U.S. Naval Reserve in 1958. He died in 1993. Other papers of James Bryan Creech are located at the Johnston County Heritage Center in Smithfield.

- 8 Includes three spiral-bound volumes containing copies of correspondence, photographs, and official documents titled, "Letters Home & Other Memorabilia of Creech J. B. 4199 Storekeeper 2/C United States Navy," January 1943-June 1946, compiled by Gene D. and Anne Creech Freeman, 1999.
- 9 Official correspondence and documents, 1943-1946, 1953, 1958, n.d., and personal correspondence, 1944.
- 10 Personal correspondence, 1945.
- 11 Personal correspondence, 1946; other correspondence, 1943-1946; certificate of membership in the Ancient Order of the Deep, 1944, and blank certificate; three issues of

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- 11 (cont.) *The Bainbridge Mainsheet* [shipboard newsletter], April 8, 15, 22, 1944; three issues of *The Daily News* [newsletter published in New Guinea], October 2, 8, December 10, 1944; two issues of *Stevie Seabee* [newsletter published in New Guinea], April 22, May 27, 1945; issue of *The Halyard*, August 1, 1945; newspaper clippings; printed instructional materials for veterans leaving service; booklet: *A Guide to U.S. Navy Insignia* (1942); and miscellaneous, including rating description for storekeeper, second class; hard-bound service record, partially filled in; identification cards; menu for Navy Day celebration on Manus Island, October 27, 1945;

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service flag for window display; and box of U.S. Navy stationery.

12 William Hunter Query Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC William Hunter Query of Hudson (Cleveland County) and Ohio in Battery C, 492nd Armored Field Artillery Battalion, including order to report for induction, 1943; copy of order promoting him to private first class, 1944; honorable discharge, 1945; newspaper clippings; 11th Armored shoulder sleeve insignia; photographs of Query and fellow soldiers; picture postcards of various European scenes; booklets of photographs of London and Paris; tourist guides to Austria, Germany, London, Oxford, and Paris; road map of England and Wales, n.d. [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.3]; foreign currency; two pocket-sized New Testaments; booklet: *Basic Field Manual: Soldier's Handbook* (1941); book: *Thunderbolt: The History of the Eleventh Armored Division* (1948); roster of active members of the 11th Armored Division Association, 1962; two issues of "Thunderbolt" (April 1954 and Winter 1972); programs from reunions of the 11th Armored Division Association, 1963, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1971; panoramic photograph of Battery B, 396th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, May 5, 1944 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.3]; miscellaneous publications, including *A Correct Key to the Entered Apprentice Fellow Craft and Master Mason Degrees*

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12 (cont.) (1949), *Dachau Concentration Camp* (1972), and *Pearl Harbor Story* (1970); souvenir pamphlet, "This is the Ship I Sailed On: U.S. Naval Ship Hugh J. Gaffey"; pamphlet, "Florence American Cemetery and Memorial" (1985); U.S. Army Good Conduct Medal; and two German medals.

13 Henry B. Barnes Papers.

Photograph, ca. 1944, of Sgt. Henry Blue Barnes of Raleigh (Wake County), in Company C, 1252nd Engineer Battalion (Combat), U.S. Army, European Theater.

James J. Booker Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Aviation Radioman Third Class (ARM3/c) James Jackson Booker of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the U.S. Navy. Booker flew on a Curtiss SB2C-1 "Helldiver" dive bomber from the aircraft carrier USS *Ticonderoga*. Papers include photograph of Booker; identification tag; program for boxing match, USS *Ticonderoga* vs. USS *South Dakota*, December 9, 1944; Servicemen's World War Map; and newspaper and magazine clippings.

Thomas F. Bridgers Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. Thomas Fleming Bridgers of Wilson (Wilson County) in the Medical Detachment, 3rd Regiment, North Carolina State Guard, including identification card; passes to Fort Bragg Reservation, 1944; notices of classification, 1944, 1945; official correspondence, 1944; and accident insurance policy for time in camp, 1945.

Earl H. Byrd Papers.

Contains picture postcard of the Navy Pier, Chicago, addressed to L. M. Muse of Dunn from Camp Grant, Illinois, where Byrd served in the 27th Medical Service Battalion, U.S. Army.

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13 (cont.) E. Fulton Godwin Papers.

Contains eleven postcards written by S.Sgt. E. Fulton Godwin of Dunn (Harnett County) to his family from training camps in New Jersey, Florida, and California, 1942-1944. Godwin served in the 952nd Signal Radio Intelligence Company, 3rd Air Force.

Morris G. Godwin Papers.

Contains five postcards written by Pvt. Morris G. Godwin of Dunn (Harnett County) to his family from Keesler Field, Mississippi, 1943, where he served in the 398th Technical School Squadron

Paul Hampton Hickman Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Paul Hampton Hickman in the U.S. Army, including panoramic photograph of Company B,

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18th Battalion, I. R. T. C. [Infantry Replacement Training Center], Fort McClellan, Alabama, November 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramics.4]; pocket-size New Testament; seven picture postcards of Korean scenes, with annotations on verso; and three photographs: one of Korean children; one of Hickman with Lucille and "Sue's baby"; and one of Hickman with unidentified lady.

Henry E. Kendall Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Col. Henry Eli Kendall of Raleigh (Wake County) in the 7th Port Headquarters Company, Transportation Corps, Corps of Engineers, 1942-1946. After the war, Kendall was appointed chairman of the Unemployment Compensation Commission of North Carolina (subsequently the Employment Security Commission). Papers include photo identification cards; immunization register; passes; ration card; four photographs; certificate of instruction as auxiliary fireman of the Raleigh Civilian Protection Council, 1942; certificate of proficiency in accident prevention, Boston

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13 (cont.) Army Post, 1943; certificate of service in the U.S. Army, 1946 (photostatic copy); commission, lieutenant colonel, 1947; maneuver sketch, Desert Training Center, Camp Young, California, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.4]; rosters of officers of the 7th Port and their home addresses, 1945, n.d.; report of activities of 7th Port, July-October 1945, by Maj. Arthur B. Butterworth; special orders, 1945-1946; press notices of appointment to Unemployment Compensation Commission, 1946; and resolution of appreciation of the North Carolina Veterans Council upon his retirement, 1974.

George Y. Kerr Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Coxswain George Yancey Kerr of Yanceyville (Caswell County) in the U.S. Navy, including scrapbook of photographs, photograph of Kerr, and a letter of appreciation signed by President Harry Truman.

Wallace M. Littlejohn Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Wallace Mason Littlejohn of Spindale (Rutherford County) as an aviation mechanic in the United States Marine Corps, including typescript of diary of service in Marshall Islands and Japan, March 7-October 7, 1945, and two photographs of Littlejohn.

Sam Charles Long Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Sam Charles Long of Durham (Durham County) in Company B, 25th Tank Battalion, U.S. Army, including two photographs; certificate of discharge from the Civilian Conservation Corps, 1933; certificate of service as private in Company A, 4th Armored Replacement Battalion, 1941; honorable discharge, 1945; notes made by Long re. his postings in Europe, 1943-1945; and newspaper clipping.

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13 (cont.) Donald Newsome Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Donald Newsome of Colerain (Bertie County) in the U.S. Navy, 1942-1945, including photograph of Newsome, 1944, and typed form, "Information on Veterans," detailing his service.

Robert C. Senter Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Robert Clarence Senter of Kipling (Harnett County) in Company K, 329th Infantry, 83rd Division, including two photographs of Senter and one with his cousin, PFC James Myron Matthews of Fuquay, U.S. Army (KIA, Huertgen Forest, 1944); "Passierschein" (safe conduct pass) for German soldiers wishing to surrender; pass, Camp Gruber, Oklahoma, 1945; foreign currency; personal correspondence (one V-mail and two letters), 1944-1945; two telegrams informing his parents of his being wounded and returning to duty, 1944; and Xerographic copy of citation for award of the Silver Star Medal, n.d.

Woodrow H. Taylor Papers.

Contains typescript reminiscences of Pvt. Woodrow Hazel Taylor of Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) concerning his service in

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Company L, 168th Infantry, 34th Division, including more than two years in German captivity.

Timothy E. Ward Jr. Papers.

Contains photograph, 1944, of First Sgt. Timothy E. Ward Jr. of Chowan County in the 392nd Fighter Squadron, U.S. Army Air Forces.

14 Jack F. Morgan Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Jack Fisher Morgan of Stocksville (Buncombe County) in Company F, 60th Infantry, including scrapbook of clippings and photographs; two letters to his mother, 1943, 1944;

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14 (cont.) letter to mother from War Department informing her that her son had been released from hospital, 1943; Christmas card, n.d.; *Atlas of World War II* (1965); photograph of his dog; and two newspaper clippings.

15 Albert N. Mason Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Chief Electrician's Mate Albert Nathaniel Mason of Emporia, Virginia, in Company A, 122nd Naval Construction Battalion (Seabees), including scrapbook of photographs, correspondence, and mementos; book: *Base Pacific: A History of the 122nd U.S. Naval Construction Battalion*; two panoramic photographs of the Emporia unit of the Virginia Protective Force, 1941 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.5-6]; discharge from the Virginia Protective Force, 1942; photographs; and membership card in the Ancient Order of the Deep, 1944.

16 Jesse M. Burton Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Jesse M. Burton of Reidsville (Rockingham County) in the 2nd Air Force. Burton served as gunner on a B-17 bomber in Europe. Papers include special orders and official correspondence, 1943-1945; individual flight record, 1943-1945; diplomas from Air Forces Technical School (1943) and Central School for Flexible

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Gunnery (1945); certificate of valor, 1944; immunization registers; identification cards; passes; photographs; Xerox copy of honorable discharge, 1945; nineteen issues of base newspapers: *Biggstuff* (Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas), August 14, October 1, 8, 15, 22, 1943; *Bomb-Bay Messenger* (Army Air Base, Salt Lake City, Utah), May 9, 16, 30, 1943; *Control Tower* (Davis-Monthan Field, Tucson, Arizona), June 5, 19, July 3, 24, 1943; *The Gunner's Post* (Harlingen Army Air Field, Harlingen, Texas), March 23, 30, April 20, 1945; *The Gunner's Target* (Central School for Flexible Gunnery, Laredo, Texas), January 5, 26, 1945; *The Liberator* (Biggs Field), September 17, 1943; and *Tyndall Target* (Tyndall Field, Florida), March 29.

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16 (cont.) 1943; ten issues of British newspapers: *Eastern Evening News*, June 30, 1944; *Sunday Dispatch*, August 27, 1944; *Sunday Graphic*, July 9, August 27, October 8, 1944; *The Daily Sketch*, September 12, 19, 1944; and *The People*, August 27, October 1, 8, 1944; and ninety-five issues of *The Stars and Stripes*, February 10, March 7, 11, 20, 22, 28, April 1, 4, 6, 8, 10, 11, 15, 17-19, 21, 22, 25-27, 29, May 1, 3-5, 11, 13, 15, 18, 19, 22-24, 26, 27, 30, 31, June 1-3, 5, 14, 15, 17, 19-24, 27-29, July 1, 8, 11-13, 15, 18, 20, 24, 25, 27, 31, August 4, 8, 11, 15, 16, 19, 28, 30, September 4, 6, 8, 9, 11, 15, 20-22, 25, 27-30, October, 2-7, 9, 1944.

17 **Stanley E. Blanchard Papers.**

Contains typescript reminiscences of Pvt. Stanley Edward Blanchard of Harnett County concerning his service in Headquarters Battery, 908th Field Artillery Battalion, 83rd Division.

Alex S. Brown Jr. Papers.

Contains typescript reminiscence of Capt. Alex S. Brown Jr. of Greensboro (Guilford County) titled, "The Sinking of the *Leopoldville*," concerning his service in the 66th Division and the sinking of his transport vessel enroute to Cherbourg Harbor, France, December 24, 1944.

Linden Clark Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Yeoman 2/c Linden Clark of Rutherfordton (Rutherford County) in the U.S. Navy, 1945-1948, including notice of separation from service, standard statement of service, and honorable discharge, 1948, and an undated biographical sketch of his service.

Joseph M. Doares Papers.

Contains photograph of Cpl. Joseph McClure Doares, his son, Joe Jr., and wife, Teeny Goodyear Doares, 1944.

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17 (cont.) Fred Roy Foyles Papers.

Contains photograph of S.Sgt. Fred Roy Foyles of LaGrange (Lenoir County), Troop A, 42nd Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron (Mechanized), U.S. Army.

William and Ann Howard Collection.

Papers reflecting the service of brothers PFC Horace Ray Huffstickler and S.Sgt. Curtis Huffstickler of Spindale (Rutherford County) and T5 William F. Blanton of Forest City (Rutherford County). Items concerning Horace Huffstickler, who died in service, include photograph; notice from local draft board to appear for physical examination, 1943; letter to his father from Italy, December 30, 1943; Christmas card from France, 1944; telegram re. return of his body to Rutherfordton, [1945]; letter from Veterans Administration to his father re. death benefits, 1945; letter from War Department to his parents concerning military burial options, 1947, and enclosing copy of pamphlet, "Disposition of World War II Armed Forces Dead." Items concerning Curtis Huffstickler, who served in Battery A, 58th Field Artillery Battalion, include photograph; V-mail letter to his brother Horace, October 2, 1943; Christmas card from Sicily, 1943; and letter from Mrs. W. D. Taylor, Hamlet, to his parents, 1945. Items concerning Blanton, who served in the 90th Field Hospital, U.S. Army, include a photograph and three copies of honorable discharge, 1945. Other items include foreign currency and newspaper clippings.

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Olivia Lee Collection.

Contains photograph of Sgt. Hubert Lee of Johnston County, Company L, 361st Infantry, and James H. Lee, who served in the Military Police in Germany, 1942.

John C. Meier Papers.

Contains post-bound reminiscence titled, "The World War II Experiences of Sgt. John Meier," concerning his

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17 (cont.) service in the 604th Field Artillery Battalion. Includes two photographs of Meier, originally from Pennsylvania and a post-war resident of Wake Forest.

Musco S. Moore Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. Musco S. Moore Jr. of Greensboro (Guilford County) in Company A, 302nd Ordnance Regiment, including photographs; panoramic photograph titled, "Desert Training Center, California" [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.7]; life insurance policy, 1942; income tax return, 1942; and insurance refusal form, 1943.

Franklin B. Petty Papers.

Contains letter from submariner EM2/c Franklin Benjamin Petty of Greensboro (Guilford County), aboard the USS *Manta*, to his parents, May 24, 1945.

Varnel Shelton Collection.

Papers reflecting the service of Technician 5th Grade Varnel Shelton, Company L, 15th Infantry, including manuscript reminiscences, n.d., and four photographs.

Paulette Shemelya Collection.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. William Maurice Barnes of Taylorsville (Alexander County) in the U.S. Army, and Sgt. Harold D. Barnes in the 19th Medical Supply Platoon, 19th Air

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Depot Group. Items concerning William M. Barnes include ten letters to Miss Kitty Barnes, 1941-1943, mostly written from Keesler Field, Mississippi, and notice to his father that William has been accepted for service and sent to Fort Bragg, 1941. Collection also includes letter from Harold Barnes to Miss Ruby Barnes, 1943; seven letters from Billy K. Barnes, written from Washington, D.C., and Bethesda, Maryland, to Mrs. I. A. Barnes and Miss Ruby Barnes, 1941-1943; five other pieces of Barnes family

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17 (cont.) correspondence, 1942-1943; and several unidentified photographs, some of which may be of William Maurice Barnes.

Rezzie A. Thompson Papers.

Contains photograph of PFC Rezzie Albright Thompson of Alamance County, U.S. Army.

William L. Whitley Papers.

Contains hardback book titled, *World War II Memoirs of a B-24 Bomber Flight Engineer Gunner in Italy, 1944-45*, by T.Sgt. William L. Whitley of Kannapolis (Cabarrus County), recounting his service in the 459th Heavy Bomber Group, 759th Squadron, 15th U.S. Army Air Corps.

Francis E. Willey Papers.

Contains softbound typescript titled, "Frank," a biography of S.Sgt. Francis Edward Willey Jr. of Woodville (Pasquotank County), by his widow, Eula Elizabeth White Willey, recounting his service in Company K, 120th Infantry.

Joseph G. Williams Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Joseph Gold Williams of Wake County as a quartermaster third class in the U.S. Navy (1924-1927) and as a private in Company B, 325th Medical Battalion, U.S. Army (1942-1945), including honorable discharge, 1945; certificate of military service in U.S. Navy, 1967; application for replacement of separation documents, 1967, and

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certificate of appreciation for his service signed by
President Gerald R. Ford.

Van Elvin Williams Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Van Elvin Williams in the
U.S. Navy, including photographs; U.S. Navy photo log

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17 (cont.) containing photographs taken while stationed in Bermuda
[missing, 6-18-2012]; American Theatre campaign medal; and an
aviator's flight log book, 1946-1947, 1952.

James W. Yelton Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. James W. Yelton of
Spindale (Rutherford County) in the U.S. Army, including two
photographs and an autobiographical sketch.

18 Bruce W. Collins Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Flight Officer Bruce Winston
Collins of Hillsborough (Orange County) in Company G, 41st
Armored Infantry, and the 309th Fighter Squadron, 31st Fighter
Group. Collins was shot down over Italy on February 7, 1944,
and was reported as missing in action for several months
before being declared dead. Papers include photographs;
personal correspondence, 1941-1943; official correspondence,
1943-1944; original journal, December 1940-January 1944, and
typed transcript, containing notes on enlisted service, pilot
training, aircraft flown, and chronology of service; hardbound
form book, "My Life in the Service, the Diary of Sergeant
Bruce W. Collins, Company "G", 41st Armored Infantry"
(contains addresses of and notes from fellow soldiers,
comments on officers with whom he served, comment on Gen.
George S. Patton, and seven pages of occasional diary entries,
June-August 1942); flight log, August 1942-November 1943;
diploma from Chapel Hill High School, 1943; yearbook, 62nd
AAFFTD, *Mississippi Institute of Aeronautics, Jackson,
Mississippi*, 1942; Purple Heart certificate, awarded 1989;
membership directory, 31st Fighter Officers Association, 1990;
correspondence re. brother's efforts to obtain information
about his death and awards to which he was entitled, 1989,

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1995; correspondence re. brother's application for membership in the Spitfire Society, 1989, and two issues of *D. C. O.*, the society's journal, Spring 1989, Spring 1996; newspaper clippings; pamphlet, "Sicily-Rome American Cemetery and Memorial," 1957; and

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18 (cont.) two copies of microfiche sheet, missing aircrew reports, from the U.S. Army Quartermaster General.

19 Albert R. Bost Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Water Tender 3/c Albert Ray Bost of Salisbury (Rowan County) in the U.S. Navy, including photograph of Bost and James Harkey of Landis (Rowan County), and softbound history of the USS *Nicholson* (DD-442), 1997.

Lonnie W. Brown Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T4 Lonnie Weldon Brown of Granite Quarry (Rowan County) in the 3015th Engineer Maintenance Company, 4th Engineer Special Brigade, U.S. Army, including photographs of Brown, his wife, and troops on a transport in the Pacific; personal correspondence (V-mails and postcards), 1943-1944; picture postcards from Japan; poem titled, "A Soldier Speaks," dateline Manila, June 26, 1945; soldier's individual pay record; booklet, *The Australian Soldiers' Pocket Book*, 1944; booklet, *The Pocket Treasury*, 1943; honorable discharge and separation qualification record (and miniature copies of each); and identification discharge certificate entitling bearer to special coach fare from Fort Bragg to Granite Quarry.

John E. Buchanan Papers.

Contains "Japanese Hunting License," issued to Pvt. (later Cpl.) John E. Buchanan of Bandana (Mitchell County), U.S. Army Air Forces.

Shirley T. Clark Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Shirley Thomas Clark of Pisgah Forest (Transylvania County) in Company C, 27th

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Engineer Combat Battalion, Pacific Theater, including honorable discharge, 1946; personal

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19 (cont.) correspondence, n.d.; and delayed birth certificate, 1955.

Billie J. Collins Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Billie Joel Collins in the 17th Airborne Division, including photographs; illustrated booklet titled, *1943, Parachute Training, Fort Benning, Georgia*; three issues of 17th Airborne Division Association newsletter, *Thunder from Heaven*: May, October 1991, June 1992; and two-page letter with chart pertaining to wearing of military awards [missing 6-19-12].

Joseph A. Cooper Papers.

Contains Easter Card, 1944, sent from Italy by Technician 5th Grade Joseph Arthur Cooper of Wake County, U.S. Army Engineers, European Theater.

Luther S. Davis Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Luther Sherwood Davis of Zebulon (Wake County) in Company F, 409th Infantry, 103rd Division, including honorable discharge and separation qualification record, 1946, and eight photographs of Davis and Lt. Willard O. Davis, U.S. Army Air Forces.

James A. Dougherty Jr. Papers

Papers reflecting the service of T/5 James A. Dougherty Jr. of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the 594th Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment, including orders assigning Dougherty and others to Naval Combat Demolition School and Experimental Base, 1945, and soft-bound commemorative book titled, *The 594th Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment . . . Afloat . . . Ashore*, 1945.

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19 (cont.) Doyle F. Fillers Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Doyle Franklin Fillers of Tennessee (later Little Switzerland) in the 456th Bombardment Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, including photograph and three autobiographical typescripts, titled "Reflections on a B-24 Liberator" (1999), "Boise and Beyond" (2002), and "My Biography" (2002).

Walter L. Hannah Papers.

Contains typescript autobiography of T/4 Walter Lewis Hannah of Kentucky (later Greensboro) concerning his service in the 831st Amphibious Truck Company, U.S. Army.

Robert H. Jordan Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Radarman 3/c Robert Harry Jordan of Siler City (Chatham County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Surfbird* (AM-383), consisting of documents removed from scrapbook titled, "Overseas Navy Veteran, World War II from Siler City, NC," including official correspondence, 1944-1946, n.d.; photograph of Jordan, showing minesweeper shoulder patch; aircraft recognition chart; censorship guidelines; issue of *The Bainbridge Mainsheet*, November 18, 1944; three ship's newsletters from USS *Surfbird*, 1945-1946; Christmas card from U.S. Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Maryland; church bulletin from Moore Memorial Church, Shanghai, China, 1945; original print of the USS *Bataan* transitting Panama Canal [missing 6-20-12]; and newspaper clippings and cartoons.

Leeman R. Pegram Papers.

Contains two photographs of S.Sgt. Leeman Ray Pegram, U.S. Army Air Forces, one with flight crew (71 T. C. Combat Team) in front of a DC-3 (C-47), 1944.

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19 (cont.) Ernest A. Simmons Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Ernest A. Simmons of Lillington (Harnett County) in 434th Squadron, 12th Bomb Group, U.S. Army Air Force, including letter from Simmons to Ruth Pate of Erwin, December 31, 1942, and newspaper clippings concerning the death of Simmons, who was killed in action above North Africa, 1943.

William K. Stroud Papers.

Consists of photograph, 1944, of T/5 William Kenneth Stroud of Ronda (Wilkes County), who served in Battery A, 617th Field Artillery Observation Battalion, U.S. Army.

Charles A. Wetzell Papers.

Contains softbound book, *Soldiers' Stories: The Gaston Gazette Remembers Area World War II Veterans*, 1995.

[20-22N] William S. Powell Collection.

William S. Powell was born in 1919 in Johnston County, North Carolina. He graduated from the University of North Carolina in 1940, having transferred to Chapel Hill after two years at Mitchell College. Powell was sent to Fort Bragg in July 1941 by his local draft board. On July 15, he was formally inducted into the U.S. Army and sent to train at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Because of his high scores on the Army General Classification Test and the fact that he was a college graduate, Powell was pulled out of basic training and sent to the new Armored Force School at Fort Knox. He eventually served in the military intelligence branch in the Pacific Theater during World War II. Powell remained in the Armored Force School for several years and gained experience as a court martial clerk, watching and reporting on signs of suspicious activity of foreign students and military personnel. During his schooling, Powell was sent to several different locations, including Ohio State University, to learn intelligence; and briefly to Wisconsin and Mississippi.

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Eventually Powell was transferred to the 1164th Engineer Combat Group and dispatched to the Philippines. His unit was stationed in Manila and contained a small group of men and officers who supervised units building landing strips, bridges, roads, water systems, and various other structures, as well as providing reconnaissance. Powell stayed in Manila until Japan surrendered in September 1945, and was then sent to Tokyo Bay to continue the same type of work the unit had been involved with in the Philippines. After being in the army for about four and a half years, Powell was sent home and discharged at Fort Bragg on January 8, 1946. After his time in the army, Powell returned to Chapel Hill to earn degrees in both history and library science. He served as a librarian at Yale University for one year and then returned to North Carolina to work as a research historian at the North Carolina Department of Archives and History. In 1952 Powell became an assistant librarian in the North Carolina Collection at UNC, and in 1958 he was appointed curator. Powell became a professor of history at UNC in 1973 and continued to teach until his retirement in 1986. During his career, Powell has written and edited many books and articles, several of which are still used as textbooks in classrooms today. In 2000 Powell was presented the North Carolina Award for Literature. The William S. Powell Collection consists of a large variety of papers and documents. Nearly one half of the collection is composed of newspapers and magazines that he saved during the war; these are all grouped together and arranged chronologically. There are also several boxes containing novels, Bibles, prayer books, and War Department manuals and guides. The last box contains more than fifty posters created during World War II that convey various messages. There is very little correspondence, photographs, or personal papers included in the collection, but it is rich with publications published during the war years.

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20	Contains books and publications about the United States Armed Forces, first aid, and World War II, including <i>First Aid for the Injured</i> ; <i>Science from Shipboard</i> ; <i>A Guide to U.S. Army Insignia and Decorations</i> (two copies); <i>Pocket Guide of Uniform</i>
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Insignia; Soldiers in the Philippines: A History of the Insurrection; The Pocket Book of War Humor; The Armored Forces of the United States Army; The Army Air Forces of the United States; The Corps of Engineers of the United States Army; Bugle Notes: 1946 USMA; American Defense Annual: 1990-1991; Company Administration including Supply and Mess Management and Personnel Records including Personnel Office Organization and Procedure; The Last Time I Saw Paris, Armed Services Edition; Delilah, Armed Services Edition; 23½ Hours Leave; Hitler's Second Army; The German Soldier; Survival on Land and Sea; "History of the Stars and Bars"; "History of the Death Railway"; "Fort Knox, Kentucky"; "Armored Force School History"; "The First World War, 1914-1918"; "Army-Navy, 1945"; "Bombardment Group (H), Italy"; "The Global Atlas of the World at War"; "Winged Victory"; "Aircraft Spotters' Guide"; "The Soldier's French Phrase Book"; "Parade Rest: Protocol and Special Customs for Marine Officers and Spouses"; "General Regulations and Information: The Armored Force School, Fort Knox, Kentucky"; "Combination Score Book for U.S. Rifles and M1903 and M1 and Browning Automatic Rifle M1918A2" (two copies); "Tankers in Tunisia"; "Rough Rhymes of a Soldier"; and "Engineers' Rules and Regulations."

- 21 Contains manuals and books published by the U.S. War Department, including "Dictionary of Spoken Spanish: Spanish-English, English-Spanish"; "Military Dictionary: English-German, German-English"; "Technical Manual: Administration"; "Compilation of War Department General Orders, Bulletins, and Circulars"; "Basic Field Manual: Soldier's Handbook, July 23, 1941"; "Basic Field Manual: Field Service Pocketbook, Sketching"; "Department of the Army Field Manual: Criminal Investigation"; "Going Back to Civilian Life"; "Army Regulations" (two volumes); and "Preparation for Overseas Movement, 2nd Edition."

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- 22 Contains U.S. War Department manuals and other publications related to military service, including *Guidebook for Marines; Wing Tips: Handbook of Aviation Cadet Regiment of the United States Naval Reserve*; "Vertigo Sense"; "Weekend Warrior Sense"; "Handbook on Foreign Maps"; "An Annotated Bibliography of the United States Marine Corps in the Second World War"; "An Annotated Bibliography of the United States

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Marine Corps in the Korean War"; "An Annotated Bibliography of the United States Marine Corps in the First World War"; "Basic Field Manual: Military Intelligence, Military Maps"; "Basic Field Manual: Soldier's Handbook"; "Chemical Warfare Pocket Guide"; "Basic Field Manual: Military Intelligence, Counterintelligence"; "Basic Field Manual: Military Intelligence, Examination of Enemy Personnel, Repatriates, Documents, and Materiel"; "Basic Field Manual: Military Intelligence, Combat Intelligence"; "Basic Field Manual: Military Intelligence, Observation"; "Basic Field Manual: Conventional Signs, Military Symbols, and Abbreviations"; and "Aerial Photograph Military Applications."

- 22-A** Contains sixteen prayer books, Bibles, and other religious publications, and ten novels. The novels are in not related to Powell's military service, but many of them are specially printed Armed Services Editions. The books include three copies of the New Testament; *Service Prayer Book*; *A Book of Worship for the Armed Services*; *Strength for Service to God and Country*; *A Spiritual Almanac for Wartime*; two copies of *Song and Service Book for Ship and Field*; *A Prayer Book for Soldiers and Sailors*; *Army and Navy Prayer Book*; *Well Loved Hymns*; two copies of *Forward, Day by Day*; *A Prayer Book for Soldiers and Sailors*; *A Spiritual Almanac for Service Men*; *Electronics Today and Tomorrow*, by John Mills; *Diamond River Man*, by Eugene Cunningham; *Radio's 100 Men of Science*, by Orrin E. Dunlap Jr.; *Claudia and David*, by Rose Franken; *Great Stories from Great Lives*, edited by Herbert V. Prochnow; *World's Great Tales of the Sea*, by William McFee; *Moby Dick*, by Herman Melville; *The Mysterious Stranger*, by Mark Twain; *Penrod*, by Booth

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22-A (cont.) Tarkington; and *Archie and Mehitabel*, by Don Marquis.

22-B Contains correspondence, 1941-2005; Powell's military service record; financial records, including pay records, authorization for allotments of pay, and authorization for deductions in pay; unused stationery; eight maps [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.5-12]; cultural events programs, menus, and invitations; claim tickets; comics; comic strips; and Japanese postcards. Of particular interest in the correspondence is a letter to Powell from Miles Fletcher, a

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UNC professor, August 17, 2005, explaining the significance of a set of Japanese documents. It is not clear whether the documents mentioned are ones included in this collection.

- 22-C** Contains panoramic photographs of Company B, 16th Armored Replacement Battalion, Fort Knox, Kentucky, April 1942, and an unidentified group of servicemen, n.d. [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.8-9]; aerial photograph of an unknown location; photograph of unidentified church; training map; military passes; War Department pamphlets and guides; and War Department memoranda and writings.
- 22-D** Contains church bulletins from military and civilian services; pass for H. Mabrey to visit Richmond, December 30, 1863; pamphlet, "Battle of Fort Fisher," by Powell; copy of *The Volunteers Handbook*, published in 1861; essay on Jefferson Davis that Powell wrote for a contest sponsored by the United Daughters of the Confederacy, 1936; facsimile of Davis's "last paper of a public nature," a letter to Wharton J. Green, et al, 1889 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWI.Misc.Oversized.12]; postage stamps and stickers; pocket calendar; various magazine advertisements; copies of written proclamations; and miscellaneous or unlabeled writings and poems.
- 22-E** Contains newspaper clippings from various publications, mostly undated and unidentified as to source.

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- 22-F** Contains various newspapers published between 1943 and 1945, including eight issues of the *Daily Pacifican*, June 14 to August 25, 1945; seven issues of the *Christian Science Monitor*, August 12, 13, and 14, and December 2, 1943, and February 19, 23, and 26, 1944; four issues of the *Charlotte Sunday Observer*, April 9, September 10, and December 17, 1944, and January 28, 1945; and nineteen issues of miscellaneous Japanese newspapers.
- 22-G** Contains various newspapers published in 1944 and 1945, including *First Call* newsletters from February 14 to April 1, 1944; issue of *Far Eastern Express*, May 28, 1945; issue of *Great China Press*, n.d.; issue of *Servicemen's Louisville*

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Dispatch, November 14, 1945; ten issues of the *Manila Free Philippines*, April 23-August 21, 1945; partial issue of *Mooresville Tribune*, "Victory Edition" [May 10, 1945]; eighteen issues of the *Nippon Times* published between September 12 and October 5, 1945; and fifteen issues of miscellaneous newspapers.

- 22-H** Contains issues of the *Salisbury Evening Post*, September 9, 1943-July 11, 1944.
- 22-I** Contains five undated issues of the *Sixth Army News Pictorial* and forty issues of the *Stars and Stripes Pacific*, October 3-November 15, 1945.
- 22-J** Contains sixteen issues of the *Statesville Daily*, June 2, 1941-June 24, 1944; six issues of *Spot News*, July 3-August 26, 1942; two issues of *Radio Digest*, July 9 and 10, 1942; four issues of *Roundup News*, July 10-August 25, 1942; four issues of *Newsweek* magazine, October 1941-August 1945; seven issues of *Time* magazine, May 1944-September 1945; and three issues of the "Alumni Review - The University of North Carolina," September 24, 1941, and October 6 and 13, 1943.
- 22-K** Contains numbers 2-5 of *What the Soldier Thinks* and miscellaneous magazines and publications, 1941-1945.

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- 22-L** Contains twenty-five books and manuals written in Japanese.
- 22-M** Contains eighteen issues (some partial) of *Yank: The Army Weekly*, October 1, 1943-November 9, 1945.
- 22-N** Contains posters and other oversized materials, including the Christmas 1941 issue of the *Philippines Free Press* [sixty-two posters were removed and filed as Poster Collection].

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23 Jesse J. Austin Jr. Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Jesse James Austin Jr. of Greensboro (Guilford County) as a radioman and gunner in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including photographs; letters of recommendation on Austin's behalf, 1943; telegram to his wife declaring him missing in action, 1944; posthumous Purple Heart certificate, 1944; church bulletin from memorial service, August 12, 1945; New Testament with gold-plated front cover ("The Heart-Shield Bible"); issue of *Air Force, The Official Service Journal of the U. S. Army Air Forces*, January 1944; book, *Britain's Homage to 28,000 American Dead, in Memory of Sgt. J. J. Austin, USAAF*, 1952; panoramic photographs of attendees of Army Radio Schools, Kansas City, Missouri, March 17, 1943, and unidentified group of soldiers in Kansas City [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.10-11]; and newspaper clippings concerning his death in action on September 12, 1944.

Daniel W. Lanier Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Daniel W. Lanier of Beulaville (Duplin County) in the 3rd Battalion, 358th Regiment, including soldier's individual pay record; immunization registers; certificate re. captured enemy military equipment brought home as souvenir by Lanier, August 29, 1945; and panoramic photograph of Battery B,

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23 (cont.) 10th Anti-Aircraft Training Battalion, Fort Eustis, Virginia, October, 1942, annotated with names of soldiers pictured [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.12].

John Horton Poe Collection.

Contains four postcard photographs of dead victims in German concentration camp.

Alonza Salter Papers.

Contains photograph of Alonza Salter of Davis (Carteret County) in uniform.

John S. Smith Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Capt. John Sumner Smith of Lincolnton (Lincoln County) in the U.S. Army, European Theater, including official correspondence and orders, 1940-1945; officer's qualification cards; photograph of Smith as a lieutenant; August 14, 1945, issue of *The Stars and Stripes*; two issues of *Homebound*, shipboard newsletter of S.S. *Hagerstown Victory*, November 22, 23, 1945; and typescript, "My Encounter With Otto Skorzeny."

Lester H. Wing Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Chief Warrant Officer 4 Lester Hubert Wing of Ohio (later Burnsville) in the U.S. Navy, including photograph and recipe for "hot cakes," by Dorothy Hatcher, typed on USS *Henley* (DD-391) stationery.

George H. Wirth Papers.

Contains softbound book, *Five GI's in Battle, World War II, 2001*, by George Hudson Wirth of Ohio, concerning his service in the 6th Armored Division, U.S. Army, European Theater.

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23 (cont.) Thomas H. York Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Thomas Hubert York of West Virginia in the 3rd Field Artillery Regiment, U.S. Army, including official correspondence and orders, 1942-1946; appointment as corporal, 1942; diplomas from field artillery schools, 1942; proceedings of examining boards re. York's medical disability, 1945-1946; separation qualification record and certificate of service, 1946; marriage certificate, 1947; death certificate, 1947; and small map of Indian River County, Florida, 1928.

24 Joe Davis Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Machinist's Mate 3/c Joe Davis of Statesville (Iredell County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Ozark*, including personal correspondence with his parents and sister Jessie, 1944-1946, including an eighteen-

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page account of entering Tokyo Bay for the Japanese surrender; photographs of the USS *Ozark* and crew, the USS *San Diego*, unloading troops at Iwo Jima and Guam, landing in Tokyo Bay, an American hospital ship, Japanese prisoners coming aboard, and a ship's party on the USS *Ozark*; news clippings; twenty-nine USS *Ozark* ship's newspapers [missing 6-21-2012]; and six sheets of "Press News," 1945.

Jasper N. Highsmith Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Jasper Noah Highsmith Jr. of Durham (Durham County) in the 91st Squadron, 439th Troop Carrier Group, 9th Air Force, including draft registration cards; photographs of Highsmith, flight line operations, damaged airplanes, and other subjects [many photographs are identified in the 1999 letter, below]; honorable discharge, 1945; two newsletters from Duke Memorial Methodist Church, 1944, 1945; personal correspondence, 1946, 1947, 1955, n.d.; news clippings; booklet, *World War II Surrender Documents: Japanese Surrenders*, 1945; and copy of letter

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24 (cont.) describing his military service and civilian career, 1999.

Astor Auburn Lucas Papers.

Contains two photographs of T/5 Astor Auburn Lucas of Erwin (Harnett County), one in uniform with unidentified female, and the other of Lucas in civilian clothes.

Wade H. Lucas Papers.

Contains photograph of Sgt. Wade H. Lucas of Erwin (Harnett County) in a naval hospital bed while serving as a public relations man in California with the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve. Lucas is attended by Hospital Corpsman Frank White Jr. of Edenton.

Letcher W. Monroe Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Aviation Ordnanceman 3/c Lester Wilton Monroe of Eagle Springs (Moore County) in the 197th Patrol Bombing Squadron, U.S. Navy, including photograph; photographs of Monroe and classmates in naval aviation ordnanceman course (1944) [missing, 6-21-2012]; official correspondence, 1943-1946; book, *The Bluejackets' Manual*, 11th ed. (Annapolis: U.S. Naval Institute, 1943) [filed in Military Collection Library]; training booklets: "Bomber's Notebook," "Air Gunners - Get that Fighter," and two re. Browning Machine Gun; booklet, *Advancement in the Navy: Manual of Regulations and Procedures*, 1944; certificates from Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, and Naval Air Gunners School, Jacksonville, Florida, 1944; graduation program, Naval Air Technical Training Center, 1944; issue of *Navy Log*, yearbook of the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Class G-40, 1944; ration books; draft card; identification cards; immunization record; birth certificate; Xerox copy of Letcher's flight log, 1944-1946; two silk escape flags, with pertinent phrases in various languages; and three cloth maps of China, the Philippines, and the Western Pacific [removed and filed

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Joyce N. Parker Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. (jg) Joyce Nadine Parker (later Goforth) of Texas (later North Carolina) in the Nurse Corps, U.S. Navy, including official correspondence and orders, 1946, and statement of service, 1949.

Warren G. Pate Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Warren G. Pate of Erwin (Harnett County) in the Service Company, 290th Infantry, European Theater, including photographs, including one of his father, L. I. Pate, standing behind his grocery store in Erwin; personal correspondence, 1945, n.d.; booklet of memories from the junior-senior banquet, Erwin High School, 1939; diploma from Oak Ridge Military Institute, 1940; and post-war news clipping re. death of Pate.

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John P. Thomas Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Signalman 1/c John Primm Thomas of Weldon (Halifax County) in the 7th Naval Beach Battalion and aboard the USS *Casa Grande* (LSD), U.S. Navy, including photographs; honorable discharge and notice of separation from service, 1946; identification card; ribbon authorization card; shoulder patch for 6th Engineer Special Brigade; roster of 7th Beach Battalion, 1944; V-mail to parents, April 24, 1944; official correspondence and orders re. award of bronze star medal for meritorious service during D-Day landing, and re. disability pension, 1944-1947, n.d.; history of tour of duty of the USS *Casa Grande*, 1944-1946; picture postcard of cliffs at Vierville-sur-Mer, France, marked to show where Thomas landed on D-Day; news clipping; and June 5, 1969, issue of *The Roanoke News*, reprinting 1944 letter from Thomas to his parents describing his experience on D-Day.

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24 (cont.) Edward H. Wade Papers.

Contains Christmas card with photograph of T/4 Edward H. Wade of Dunn (Harnett County), Headquarters Battery, 219th Field Artillery Group, U.S. Army, n.d.; and calling card of Lt. Col. Edward H. Wade, U.S. Army, retired.

Ellis W. Williamson Papers.

Contains book, *Work Horse of the Western Front: The Story of the 30th Infantry Division* (Washington: Infantry Journal Press, 1946), by Robert L. Hewitt [filed in Military Collection Library].

25 William L. Flourney Jr. Collection.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. William L. Flourney Jr. of Raleigh (Wake County) in the 280th Port Company, 519th Port Battalion, including personal correspondence, 1942, 1945; photographs of France, Belgium, Fort Bragg, Burgaw, and actress Betty Grable; dock pass, Port Antwerp, 1943; certificate of appreciation from the City of Antwerp, 1945; two issues of "Briney Blarney," April 1945; cigarette coupon

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from 1st Marine Division Exchange, 1944; American Red Cross map of Paris; Army Exchange ration card, 1945; war ration books of the Flournoy family, Raleigh; soldier's individual pay record, 1942-1945; map drawn by Flournoy of the Hampstead area, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.31]; and two New Testaments, 1943. Collection also contains papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Seldon W. Combs of Raleigh in D Company, 1st Battalion, 1st Division, U.S. Marine Corps, including personal correspondence, 1942-1944; official correspondence to his mother, Mrs. Essie Petteway, regarding her son's death in New Britain on March 16, 1944; and photographs. Miscellaneous papers in the collection include hand-drawn Christmas cards sent to Mr. and Mrs. William Flournoy, 1942-1948; a poster illustrating these and other Christmas cards, apparently hand drawn by Joseph Combs; and a letter from D. E. Stainbach to "Mein Pattie," Petersburg, Virginia, 1872.

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26 William R. Massey Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Electrician's Mate 3/c William Roscoe Massey of Middlesex (Nash County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Louis Hancock* (DD 675) in the Pacific Theater, including personal correspondence, primarily with his mother and sister Mozelle, 1942-1945; photograph; photostatic copy of honorable discharge, 1945; form letter from Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, 1945; correspondence re. reunions and lists of surviving crew members, 1991, 1993; and transcripts of wartime letters, copies of photographs and news clippings, and a "summary of travels," 1944-1945, in a three-ring binder.

27 Lewis L. Latshaw Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Aviation Radioman 3/c Lewis Lavere Latshaw of Pennsylvania (later Carteret County) aboard a Martin Flying Boat in the U.S. Navy, including photographs; four postcards to Miss Helen Fulton, Emlenton, Pennsylvania, 1943; certificates from Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, and Naval Air Gunners School, Jacksonville, Florida, 1944; graduation program, Naval Air Technical Training Center, 1944; issue of *Navy Log*, yearbook of the Naval Air Technical

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Training Center, Class R-26; two copies of booklet, *We Keep 'Em Flying*, Naval Air Technical Training Center; training booklet, *Hints and Tips for Aviation Radiomen*; training booklet, *Prisoner Sense*; booklet, *Ashore in Memphis*; flight log book, 1944-1945; pocket notebook; rating description, aviation radioman third class; temporary pass, 1945; New Testament with gold-plated front cover ("The Heart-Shield Bible"); foreign currency; silk American and Chinese flags with safe-conduct messages in various languages; silk Japanese flag; set of flash cards of U.S. Navy and international pennants and flags; set of miniature photographs from U.S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Illinois; picture postcards; news clippings; and eleven issues of *Yank: The Army Weekly*: January 19, February 2, March 2,

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[28-29] Alexander A. Carlyle Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Flight Officer Alexander Andrews Carlyle Jr. of Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces. Carlyle spent the war training for service as a fighter pilot but was never sent overseas.

28 Contains personal correspondence, 1942-1949, n.d.

29 Contains photographs; seven Air Force training manuals: "Army Primary Flying Preliminaries" (1943), "Parachute Sense" (1943), "Survival after Emergency Landing" (1943), "Precipitation Static" (1944), and three concerning instrument flying; softbound book: *This War*, by Philip Dorf (New York: Oxford Book Company, 1943); booklet: *Lessons that Live as Told by A. A. F. Pilots*, n.d.; war ration books; Servicemen's Map of the United States; photostatic copy of separation qualification record, 1945; commencement program, Raleigh Public Schools, 1941; resume, 1964; newspaper clippings; and insignia, shoulder patches, dog tags, and pins.

[30-31] David K. Brooks Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Lt. David K. Brooks of California (later Raleigh) in the 517th Parachute Infantry Regiment.

- 30 Contains typescript reminiscence of training at Fort Benning, Georgia; photographs of training at Camp Mackall and Fort Benning; picture postcards from Camp Mackall; training exercise sketch map with pencil notes on back; graded test results from Officers' Candidate School, 1945; certificate from the Cavalry School, Fort Riley, Kansas, 1946; correspondence, 1946, n.d., including letters from airborne pioneer Gen. Richard J. Seitz; newspaper and magazine clippings re. paratroopers; prayers and songs re. paratroopers; five issues of *The*

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- 30 (cont.) *Thunderbolt*: August, December, 1943, October 1987, January-March, and July-September 1989; booklet of photographs, 1943 *Parachute Training, Fort Benning, Georgia*; booklet: *In the American Spirit*; recruiting brochure for parachute troops; instructional booklet re. parachute packing, Fort Benning, 1943; and brochure with photograph of Brooks as model for the Special Forces "Green Beret."
- 31 Contains newspaper and magazine clippings re. paratroopers removed from scrapbook.
- 32 **Ward R. Robinson Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Ensign Ward Rhyne Robinson of Hickory (Catawba County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the corvette USS *Tenacity*, including *The Q-12 Log*, yearbook of the Naval Training School, Camp MacDonough, Plattsburg, New York; four War Department education manuals (1944): *Fundamentals of Physical Science, Psychology and Life, Sociology*, vol. 2, and *The Physical Sciences*; two U.S. Navy basic training manuals (1945); *Mathematics and Use of Tools*; booklet: *The United States Army as a Career* (1913); booklet: *USS North Carolina: The 'Showboat'* (1961); two books: *The Bluejackets' Manual*, 10th ed. (Annapolis: United States Naval Institute, 1940), and *U.S. Navy War Photographs* (New York: U.S. Camera, n.d.) [both removed and filed in Military Collection Library]; typescript history of the USS *Albemarle*; set of flash cards of U.S. Navy

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and international pennants and flags; pocket-sized New Testament; pocket-sized *Service Prayer Book*; pocket-sized *A Spiritual Almanac for Service Men*; "Dated Events War Map," 1942; issue of the *South Atlantic News*, August 20, 1943; issue of the (Port-of-Spain) *Evening News*, April 9, 1943; and front pages from various newspapers: (New York) *Daily News*, June 6, 1944; *The Sun* (New York), April 12, August 14, 1945; *Daily Mail* (London), August 13, 16, 1945; and *The Daily Telegraph* (London), August 16, 1945.

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33 Herman H. Bolton Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Herman Harding Bolton of Denton (Randolph County) in the 421st Bomb Squadron, 504th Bomb Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, including personal correspondence, 1942-1945; official correspondence and orders, 1942-1945, 1950, n.d.; diplomas from U.S. Army Air Forces Technical School, 1943, and Army Specialized Training Program, University of California, Berkeley, 1944; two diaries with intermittent entries, 1943-1945; copy of roster of enlisted men, 421st Bomb Squadron, n.d.; photographs of Bolton and wife; pamphlet written by Bolton titled, "Remembering and Reunion," 1987; and other postwar reunion materials.

William M. Hurdle Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. William Muriel Hurdle of Edenton (Chowan County) in Company K, 16th Infantry, 1st Division, including personal correspondence, 1944; photograph; Christmas dinner menu, Camp Wheeler, Georgia, 1944; New Testament; newspapers and clippings, including partial issue of *The Chowan Herald*, August 17, 1944, announcing the death of Hurdle in action in France on July 28; and book: *Young American Patriots World War II (North Carolina)* (Richmond: National Publishing Company, 1948) [removed and filed in Military Collection Library].

34 Robert W. Summerlin Collection.

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Contains photographs and indices, programs, and newspaper articles associated with Irving Berlin's musical, "This is The Army," in which Cpl. Robert W. Summerlin of Tarboro (Edgecombe County) was a performer. Subjects of photographs include Liverpool bomb damage, Naples, Rome, Pope Pius IX, King Farouk, Irving Berlin, Mount Vesuvius, Iran, South Pacific, Manila, Iwo Jima, Okinawa, Japanese Lt. Gen. Torashiro Kawabe arriving at Ie Shima en route to Manila surrender, Egypt, Palestine, India, New Guinea,

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34 (cont.) Tinian, Guam, Philippines, set-up and breakdown of the show, and leisure activities of the cast and crew.

[35-36] Homer Fletcher Fleming Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Seaman 1/c Homer Fletcher Fleming of Greensboro (Guilford County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Drexler* (DD-741). After the sinking of the *Drexler* by Japanese kamikazi aircraft near Okinawa on May 28, 1945, Fleming was reported as missing in action. He was declared killed in action on August 2, 1945.

35 Contains personal and official correspondence, 1944-1947, including correspondence of Fleming's parents and sister with some of his surviving shipmates, providing details of the attack on the *Drexler*; photographs; newspaper clippings; order to report for induction, 1944; membership certificates in the Sacred Order of the Golden Dragon and the Domain of Neptunus Rex, 1945; Purple Heart certificate, 1945; church bulletins; mimeographed list of sailors from North and South Carolina aboard the *Drexler*, indicating survivors and deceased; memorial certificate signed by President Lyndon B. Johnson, n.d.; Cross of Military Service certificate, United Daughters of the Confederacy, 1988; spiral-bound booklet, *Roll of Honor, World War II and Korean War, Greensboro and Rural Guilford*.

36 Contains scrapbook of Fleming's wartime letters to his mother, 1944-1945; photographs of Fleming and the USS *Drexler*; panoramic photograph of Company 784 B-3, Camp Peary, Virginia, July 1944 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.13]; and certificate in memory of Fleming signed by President Harry

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Truman, n.d. [removed and filed as
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37 Richard W. Borden Papers.

Contains spiral-bound booklet, *We Few: The Personal Experiences of an Eighteen Year Old Corpsman*, by Dr. Richard W. Borden, 1999, relating his service on D-Day and thereafter.

Ottis Carawan Jr. Papers.

Contains soft cover book, *Submarine Patrol: Memoirs of World War II*, by Chief Petty Officer Ottis Carawan Jr., U.S. Navy (retired), of Swan Quarter (Hyde County), compiled by Bonnie Carawan Swecker, 2004.

Charles T. Carpenter Papers.

Contains handwritten set of responses to oral interview questions by Lt. Charles Troy Carpenter Jr. of Kings Mountain (Cleveland County) concerning his service in the 16th Infantry, 1st Division.

William C. Cutts Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. William Clyde Cutts of Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Army Air Force, including photostatic copy of honorable discharge, 1946, and photograph of Cutts, wife, and daughter.

Frank M. Fisler Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. (jg) Frank Moore "Fuzzy" Fisler of Ivanhoe (Sampson County) in Patrol Squadrons 51 and 54 and Bombing Squadron 101, U.S. Navy. Lieutenant Fisler was awarded the Navy Cross, reportedly the first to receive the honor in World War II, for the rescue of a B-17 bomber crew from the South Pacific in December 1941. He was reported missing in action after his plane went down after takeoff from

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Guadalcanal on a nighttime bombing mission, March 5, 1943. Papers include personal correspondence, 1938-1943; personal correspondence of his parents and siblings concerning his

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37 (cont.) service and disappearance, 1942-1997; official correspondence and papers, 1939-1943, 1955; commission as ensign, 1939; photographs; newspaper clippings; school diplomas; copy of Fisler's valedictory speech, Franklin High School, 1938; King College (Bristol, Tennessee) paper re. Elinor Wylie Benet, 1937; issue of *St. Andrews* magazine (Summer 1993) with article re. Fisler, a 1938 graduate of Presbyterian Junior College, predecessor of St. Andrews; and program from memorial service, Black River Presbyterian Church, Ivanhoe, March 5, 1993 [see also World War II vertical files for nonoriginal materials re. Fisler].

Ferd Harrison Papers.

Contains photographs, charge sheet, and newspaper clippings concerning the Dachau war crimes trials, 1945. Photographs include images of German defendants in the courtroom; Generals Eisenhower, Patton, and Craig inspecting the prison hospital; concentration camp victims; and Harrison, colleagues, and their quarters while posted at Dachau. Also includes booklet titled *Dachau*, a 1970 reprint of 1945 publication.

Robert H. King Papers.

Contains autographed copy of paperback book titled, *Dizzy Rebel*, by Maj. Robert Horton King of Wilmington (New Hanover County), relating his experiences as a P-51 fighter pilot in the U.S. Army Air Forces in the European Theater.

Thomas J. Taylor Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Col. Thomas Jefferson Taylor of Enfield (Halifax County) as commanding officer of the 314th Medical Battalion, 89th Infantry Division, including photographs; diplomas from Medical Field Service School, 1941, 1942; postcard from Marseille, 1945; newspaper clipping; letters of appreciation from Generals Thomas D. Finley and Jacob L.

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37 (cont.) Devers, 1945; book: *Song and Service Book for Ship and Field* (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1942); church bulletin, Camp Butner, Thanksgiving, 1944; and panoramic photograph of Headquarters Company, 327th Field Artillery Battalion, 84th Division, at Camp Howze, Texas, in which S.Sgt. Victor P. Bowles of Roanoke Rapids is identified [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.14].

Maxwell M. Way Collection.

Contains correspondence addressed to Margaret M. Way of Albemarle (later Carthage)u from her siblings, all of Mount Ulla (Rowan County): Sgt. Sidney Albert Morrow, U.S. Army, 1940-1946; S.Sgt. (later aviation cadet and flight officer) George Frank Morrow, U.S. Army Air Forces, 1942-1945; and PFC Helen Lorene Morrow, U.S. Army switchboard operator in England, 1944;. Also contains blank applications to enroll in citizen's military training camp and newspaper clipping.

38 **Jonathan S. Swift Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Jonathan Simpson Swift of Raleigh (Wake County) a bombardier in the 8th and 2nd Air Forces, including official correspondence and orders, 1944-1946, n.d.; immunization register, 1944; summaries of bombing, Swift's training exercises, 1944; individual flight record, 1944-1945; War Department Technical Manual: *Air Navigation* (1940); three bombing tables; booklet: *Bombardier's Ordnance Guide*; booklet: *Bomb Spot Photography*; training materials and Swift's class notes; navigational and bomb-sighting tools; aerial photographs; fifteen maps [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps. 16-30]; and panoramic photograph of Section 31-338th College Detachment, Reading Airport, June 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.15].

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39 **John B. Graham Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. John Borden Graham of Goldsboro (Wayne County) as a surgeon in the U.S. Army Medical Corps, 307th Infantry, 77th Division, Pacific Theater, including personal correspondence, comprised primarily of letters to his mother and his wife from New Orleans, camps in Texas and California, Hawaii, the Mariannas, Iwo Jima, Okinawa (where he saw combat as a medic), the Philippines, and Japan, 1944-1946 (includes one letter from Ensign John G. Barrett (later historian) to his sister, Ruby (Graham's wife), 1945); official correspondence and orders, 1942-1946; marriage license, will, and powers of attorney; softcover book by Graham: *Sand in the Gears: How We Won World War II in Spite of Ourselves* (1992); genealogical booklet by Graham: *The Bordens of North Carolina* (2001); booklet: *You Are Now in the 77th Infantry Division*; paper currency from Pacific areas; Dr. Graham's curriculum vita and personal history, 1988; and hand drawn map titled, "Route of Mtzd. Patrol to 'Kutchian' Unit Co. G," October 14, 1945. A letter to his aunt, Margaret McKinnon, November 10, 1945, contains a lengthy account of his wartime experiences.

[40-41] **Tryan C. McFarland Jr. Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Tryan Clinton McFarland Jr. of Southern Pines (Moore County) in Battery A, 84th Field Artillery Battalion, 9th Infantry Division, who was killed in action in Germany on March 9, 1945.

- 40 Contains personal correspondence with and among his parents, sisters, and friends, 1935, 1940-1945, n.d. McFarland's letters were sent from Fort Bragg, Africa, Sicily, England, France, Belgium, and Germany. Includes six letters from his sisters and mother that were returned to sender stamped "deceased."
- 41 Contains official correspondence and letters of condolence, 1944-1947, 1955; photographs, including a scrapbook kept by his sister, Ruth McRae, during the war;

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41 (cont.) photograph of 155 A Battery, 84th Field Artillery

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Battalion, 9th Division, Fort Bragg, February 1, 1941; photographs and obituaries of his aunt, Miss Louama A. McFarland of Sanford (Lee County), U.S. Navy nurse (1920-1940), including photographs of her burial at Arlington National Cemetery, 1954; study guides (letter writing, personal efficiency, typing, English, and general science) and McFarland's answers to exam questions, International Correspondence Schools; final exam and certificate of proficiency, Chemical Warfare School, Fort Bragg, 1941; appointment to corporal, 1941; American Legion Gold Star citation, 1947; certificate in memory of McFarland signed by President John F. Kennedy; V-mail packet with sixteen blank sheets; program from memorial service, April 1, 1945; church bulletin, First Baptist Church, Southern Pines, January 7, 1945; a Japanese peso; Nazi stamps and pins; set of souvenir postcards titled, "U.S. Army Camp Life Down in Dixie"; and newspaper clippings.

[42-42.2] Herbert H. Harris Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Col. Herbert H. Harris of Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Army, 1915-1958. Harris enlisted in the National Guard in 1915 and saw service on the Mexican border. He served in the regular army during World War I but did not go overseas. From 1934 to 1937, he was posted in the Philippines. He travelled widely throughout the Far East with his wife and two daughters, taking numerous photographs, slides, and motion picture films. During World War II, he served in the fighting against Germany and remained in Europe for several years after the war. In 1947, he toured Denmark, Germany, Switzerland, and Luxembourg, again recording his travels with hundreds of pictures. Harris retired at the rank of colonel in June 1957.

42 Contains certificates of commendation and achievement, including two bronze stars and the Legion of Merit; certificates for completion of training courses, 1921-1939; certificates of promotion from grammar school

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42 (cont.) (1912) and high school (1916) [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.2-3]; certificate of appreciation from American Red Cross Eagle Club, Wiesbaden, Germany, 1946

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[removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.4]; commission as second lieutenant, 1921 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.5]; honorable discharge, 1920; official correspondence and orders, 1918-1958; picture postcards from Hawaii, Mexico, the Panama Canal, and Clifton College; slides from his travels in Europe, 1947, and of his family; War Department, special orders re. Harris, 1923-1948; and miscellaneous, including hardback book: *Speedwriting: The Natural Shorthand, Book Four*, by Emma B. Dearborn (1927); and dog tags.

- 42.1** Contains photographs from Harris's travels in the Far East, 1934-1937, and Europe, 1947; family and home in Raleigh; and portraits.
- 42.2** Contains nineteen reels of eight millimeter motion picture film shot by Harris during his travels in Southeast Asia and Europe, at bases in the United States, and on boat trips to and from the United States; and of family events.

Photographs and slides processed by John Parham, June 2013.

43 Gladys I. Giles Papers.

Contains scrapbook, mostly newspaper clippings (and folders of loose items removed from the scrapbook), compiled by Lt. Gladys Irene Giles of Bainbridge, Georgia (later Raleigh), reflecting her service in the U.S. Army Nurse Corps at Fort Bragg, 1941-1942. Lieutenant Giles was among the first African-American nurses at Fort Bragg.

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44 Geraldine Mayo Beveridge Papers.

Correspondence, 1944-1945, of Geraldine Mayo of Mesic (Pamlico County), a school teacher in Black Creek (Wilson County), with her future husband, Chief Boatswain's Mate David Liddon Beveridge of Beaufort (Carteret County), U.S. Coast Guard Reserve, who was stationed at G.A.R. 14, Berkley Repair Base, Norfolk, Virginia, and G.A.R. 1261, Beaufort Life Boat Station, Fort Macon. Also includes newspaper obituary with

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photograph of Beveridge, who was captain of the Ocracoke-Swan Quarter ferry when he died in 1977; photograph of his grave in the Old Burying Ground, Beaufort; brochure re. the cemetery; depth chart of Pamlico Sound off of Ocracoke Island, with Beveridge's recommendations for changes to navigational markers, 1970; newspaper clippings; and handwritten responses of Mrs. Beveridge on questionnaire re. her late husband's military service.

Diana S. Curtin Collection.

Contains photographs of Howard Hargrove Buckner and Ralph Buckner, both of whom served in the U.S. Navy; postcard from H. H. Buckner to his mother, Mrs. James F. Buckner of Weaverville (Buncombe County), 1945; booklet, *The Airborne Story* (n.d.); and cardboard eagle.

Harry O. Doty Jr. Papers.

Contains hardback book, *World War II: My Story*, by Lt. Harry Oliver Doty Jr. of Illinois (later Cary), reminiscences of his service in Company A, 355th Infantry, 89th Division in the European Theater.

Doris Hauver Collection.

Contains recorded message on wax record (product of the American Safety Razor Corporation (Gem Blades)) from Charles Einoff, Camp Lee, Virginia, to Howard T. Johnson Jr. of Baltimore, Maryland, 1944.

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44 (cont.) Milford Richard Jackson Papers.

Contains typescript reminiscences of PFC Milford Richard Jackson of Mount Olive (Wayne County) titled, "Life in the United States Army," 1942-1945, and handwritten responses on questionnaire concerning his service in the 707th Tank Battalion, European Theater.

Maness Ray Lanier Papers.

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Contains photograph of PFC Maness Ray Lanier and wife, Lula Harris Lanier, High Point, 1943, and panoramic photograph of trainees at the Mid-West Trades Institute, Danville, Illinois, 1944 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.16].

Meade Willis Papers.

Contains softbound book titled, *My Life in World War II and Prison Camp* (1993), by Lt. Meade Willis of Winston-Salem, reminiscences of his service in the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theater. He was among the American forces that surrendered Corregidor to the Japanese in May 1942 and spent the remainder of the war in prison camps.

[45-48] Robert Raymond Morrison Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Robert Raymond Morrison Jr. of Raleigh (Wake County) in Headquarters Company, 17th Replacement Depot, Third Army, including personal correspondence with his mother, grandmother, brother Mac, friends in Raleigh, and fellow soldiers, 1935, 1941-1955, n.d. (Morrison's letters were written from Fort Bragg, Camp Gruber, Fort George Meade, England, France, and Germany); autographs of Bing Crosby and Dinah Shore; official documents, including order to report for induction, 1943; letter re. application to U.S. Coast Guard Academy, 1944; pass, 1946; and honorable discharge, 1946; four issues of *Rainbow Reveille*, Camp Gruber, Oklahoma, camp newspaper: January 20, 27, February 3, 10, 1944; newspaper clippings; photographs of scenes and

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fellow soldiers in France and Germany, 1944-1946, including a German-Italian circus and shots of Munich, Furth, Paris, Nurnberg, and Bamberg; glass negative from which picture postcard of Morrison and a friend was made, 1945; three scrapbooks of letters, sketches by Morrison, and photographs, including victims of German concentration camps; foreign currency; letter and two postcards written in German; ration book; and Christmas dinner menu for Headquarters Company, 232nd Infantry Regiment, 1943.

45 Personal correspondence, 1935, 1941-August 1944.

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- 46 Personal correspondence, September 1944-1950.
- 47 Personal correspondence, 1954-1955, n.d.; miscellaneous.
- 48 Scrapbooks.

[49-56] Garland A. Hardin Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Garland Andrew Hardin of Hickory (Catawba County) as a medical technician in the 71st Evacuation Hospital, U.S. Army, including personal correspondence with his wife, parents, and other relatives, 1943-1945, 1947, 1950, n.d., from training camps and hospitals at Camp Carson, Colorado; Springfield, Missouri; and Bend and Camp Adair, Oregon; and from postings in the Pacific Theater. Many of the letters from his wife include clippings from the local newspaper and weekly church bulletins from the First Methodist Church, Hickory. Collection also contains photographs, including portrait of Hardin and his wife, Nellie Kate, December 1944; newspaper obituaries for Hardin, 1964; pamphlet: "Welcome Aboard: USCGC *Southwind*"; issue of *Duke Power Magazine*, May-June 1942; "puzzle letter," February 16, 1944; and railroad time tables, 1942-1943. Four maps - H. V. Kaltenborn's Map of Europe, 1939; Esso War Map III, featuring the Pacific Theater; Far-East War-Map; and Rand McNally War Map of

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- the Pacific - removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.54-57.
- 49 Personal correspondence, January-February 1943.
- 50 Personal correspondence, March-May 1943.
- 51 Personal correspondence, June-July 1943.
- 52 Personal correspondence, August-October 10, 1943.
- 53 Personal correspondence, October 11-December 1943.
- 54 Personal correspondence, January-February 1944.

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- 55 Personal correspondence, March 1944-March 1945.
- 56 Personal correspondence, April-November 1945, 1947, 1950, n.d.; railroad time tables, 1942-1943; and miscellaneous.

[57-58] Howard S. Hendrix Papers, 1935-2003, n.d.

Papers reflecting the service of M.Sgt. Howard S. Hendrix of McDowell County in the 3281st Ordnance Base Depot Company, U.S. Army. Hendrix was stationed at Fort Bragg, Texarkana, Texas, and Tacoma, Washington, before being posted overseas to Okinawa during the battle there in 1945.

- 57 Personal correspondence, 1942-1943, n.d.; official correspondence and documents, 1939-1957, n.d.; barracks inspection reports, Red River Ordnance Depot, Texarkana, 1944; training schedules, 1944; photographs, 1941-1947, n.d., including pictures of Japanese dead, natives, American cemeteries, destroyed buildings, and other scenes on Okinawa; excerpts from a diary by Donald E. Morris concerning the service record of the 3281st, 1944-1945; Hendrix's reminiscences of his service, 2002; award to Hendrix from the Disabled American Veterans, 2003; clippings (original and Xerox copies), 1942-1997, n.d.; publications: *The Ordnance Sergeant* (September 1945);

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- 57 (cont.) *Yank* magazine (November 16, 1945); and *The Preventive Maintenance Monthly* (October 1979); and miscellaneous materials, including sergeant's chevrons; individual pay record; Selective Service registration card; identification cards; photocopy of the Japanese surrender of the Ryukyu Islands, 1945; U.S. Savings Bonds information pamphlet, 1935; ten-cents military payment certificate; and Xerox copies of photographs of Hendrix's parents as children.
- 58 Printed materials, including *Basic Field Manual, Infantry Drill* (1941); *Army Officer's Notebook* (revised edition, 1943); *Department of the Army Technical Manual, Field and Depot Maintenance Repair Parts and Special Tools List* (1963); *Organization and Functions, Headquarters XVIII Airborne Corps and Fort Bragg* (1968); *The Ordnance Soldier's Guide* (n.d.);

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and Historical and Pictorial Review, Ninth Division Artillery of the United States Army (1941).

59 Gordon A. O'Brien Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. Gordon A. O'Brien of Sanford (Lee County) in the 103rd Finance Disbursing Section and the Signal Corps Contract Settlement Agency, U.S. Army, including official orders and correspondence, 1944-1946; immunization register; separation qualification record, 1946; letter of appreciation signed by President Harry S. Truman; photographs and postcards of London, Fontainebleau, Versailles, and other locations in England and France; and guidebooks to London, Fontainebleau, and Stratford-upon-Avon.

[60-66] William H. Harrington Sr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Electrician's Mate 2/c and musician William Holt Harrington Sr. of Erwin (Harnett County) in the 23rd U.S. Naval Construction Battalion (Seabees) in Alaska. Harrington received training at Camp Allen and Camp Bradford, Virginia, Davisville, Rhode Island, and Port Hueneme, California,

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before shipping out to Alaska in November 1942, where he served through the end of 1943. From February 1944 to May 1945, he was stationed at Camp Parks, California, where he played trumpet in the Construction Battalion Replacement Depot military band and Recreation Band #1. The five boxes of personal correspondence contain letters, V-mails, postcards, greeting cards, and telegrams to and from his mother, father, sisters, brother Si (also in the U.S. Navy), other relatives, female friends, and friends and relatives in the service, including James A. Boykin, A. L. Crafton, C. M. Crawford, J. D. Crawford, Lloyd Grubb, Allen Hall, Wade Lucas, W. H. McNeill Jr., and Ed Wade.

60 Personal correspondence, 1942.

61 Personal correspondence, January-June 1943; letter from

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Harrington to his mother, April 16, 1943, contains code developed by he and his brother to sidestep censors in order to communicate their whereabouts.

- 62 Personal correspondence, July-December 1943.
- 63 Personal correspondence, 1944.
- 64 Personal correspondence, 1945-1948, n.d., and charts for indexing correspondence, 1942-1943.
- 65 Publications and newsletters, including newsletters from various military bases in Alaska: *Adak Island Tribune*, June 3, 16, 1943; *Adak Tribune*, April 27, 1943; *Attu Eagle*, August 22, 1943; *Happy Valley Bee Lines*, May 7, 23, 1943; *Latest News* (Attu), September-November 1943; *News Highlights* (Naval Operating Base, Kodiak), November 23, December 7, 11, 1942, January 6, 1943; *Press News* (Naval Air Station, Kodiak), November 22, 27, December 6, 1942, January 3, 1943; *Seabee Stinger*, December 13, 24, 1942; and *The Williwaws*, March 20, 27, April 17, 1943; base newsletters from California, including *Camp Parks Log*, March 1944-January 1945, and *The Oak Leaf*, February 17, 1945; miscellaneous base and ship newsletters; base

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- 65 (cont.) newspaper: *Kodiak Bear*, October 21, 18, November 11, 1942; booklets: *General Marshall's Victory Report* [spiral bound, 1945], *The Horror of It: Camera Records of War's Gruesome Glories* (1935), *Seabee Roads to Victory* (1944), and *Signal Operation Instructions, 30th Division, 1938-1939*; magazines: *Our Navy* (May 1943) and seventeen issues of *The Spotlight* (Carolina Power and Light Company), May-July and September-December 1942, January-February and April-November 1943; newsletters: *Dunn Doings* (Lion's Club), September 4, 18, December 4, 1943; and *Bee Lines* (Seabees), November 16, 1942, June 28, July 5, 1943; and miscellaneous: *Dixie Baseball Annual* (Fall 1949).
- 66 Miscellaneous, including autographed menu and cocktail napkin from Joe DiMaggio's Grotto restaurant in San Francisco; church bulletins, programs, and holiday menus from various military bases; church bulletins from Erwin Presbyterian

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Church; chronology of the 23rd U.S. Navy Construction Battalion, 1942-1946; roster of 23rd U.S. Navy Construction Battalion Association, 2000; unidentified Japanese booklet; translation of extract from diary, May 12-29, 1943, of Japanese officer, captured at Akku; magazine articles, mostly concerning the Alaska campaign; map of Canada, "The Popular Playground" (1935) [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.58]; newspaper clippings; official correspondence and documents, 1941-1945, n.d.; two photograph albums, from one of which photographs were removed; photographs of Harrington and his family, female friends, fellow servicemen, and military scenes, including Japanese dead on Attu; picture postcards from Alaska, California, Washington, and Wyoming; postcards of Seabees at work (official U.S. Navy photographs, with captions); miscellaneous postcards; Pennsylvania Railroad time table, 1943; schedule of bugle calls, Naval Construction Training Center, Davisville, Rhode Island, 1942; programs, Camp Parks Military Band, 1944; sheet music for bugle, drum, and trumpet; and miscellaneous items, including foreign currency, ration cards, membership certificate in the Royal Order of Kodiak

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66 (cont.) Cheechakos, pen-and-ink sketches, and stenciled message:
"Gone to Bury Tojo Will Be Back After Funeral."

67 Hilda H. Neal Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Storekeeper 1/c Hilda Patterson Hines (Neal) of Roanoke Rapids (Halifax County) in the U.S. Navy WAVES. Hines received training at the U.S. Naval Training School at Hunter College in the Bronx and the S.S. Victoria Naval Training School in Boston before being posted to naval air stations in Clinton, Oklahoma, and Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Papers include personal correspondence, 1943, 1945, 1960, n.d.; spiral-bound "Service Record," containing photographs, clippings, and addresses, and recording milestones of her military service; official correspondence and documents, 1943-1945; identification cards; rating description for storekeeper, first class, 1945; honorable discharge, 1945; softbound book: *Navy Service: A Short History of the U.S. Naval Training School (WR), Bronx, New York*;

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softbound booklet of cartoons, *Up Came a Ripple* (1945); recruiting pamphlet: "How to serve your country in the WAVES or SPARS" (1942); photographs of Neal and fellow servicewomen at Hunter College, Boston, Clinton, and Hawaii; panoramic photograph of first graduating class, U.S. Naval Training School (SK-W), Boston, Massachusetts, Bryant-Stratton Group, July 8, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.17]; picture postcards; two small maps of U.S. naval facilities on Ford Island, Hawaii; newsletters: *Conning Tower* (U.S. Naval Training School, Bronx), March, April, 1943; *Rough Roll* (S.S. Victoria Naval Training School, Boston), May 21, 1943; *The Duster* (U.S. Naval Air Station, Clinton), October 27, 1944, June 11, July 14, September 25, 1945; *The Ford Islander*, August 11, September 1, 1945; *WAVES Newsletter*, February 1944, August 1945; and undated issue of *The Minuteman* (First Naval District); clippings from Roanoke Rapids, Boston, New York, and Honolulu newspapers; programs and ticket stubs from shows in Boston and New York; and miscellaneous, including church bulletins, menus, and souvenir napkins.

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68 Edward A. Adams Papers.

Contains spiral-bound booklet titled, *World War II, My Story*, by Edward A. Adams, relating his service as a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army Air Forces.

Durwood E. Blanchard Papers.

Contains picture postcard from Sgt. Durwood Eure Blanchard (Gates County), 164th General Hospital, U.S. Army, Camp Grant, Illinois, to Mrs. M. T. Plyler Jr., Whaleyville, Va., July 24, 1944.

Carles F. Buffkin Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Ship's Cook 1/c Carles Franklin Buffkin of Aberdeen (Moore County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the battleship, USS *Indiana* (BB-58), including 8 X 10 black-and-white photograph of the battleship en route to raid on Marcus Island, August 1943; picture postcard of the battleship; weekly bill of fare for the general mess, USS

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Indiana, September 1944; original untitled poem by Buffkin; and typescript of poem titled, "A Sailor Died Today."

William T. Couch Papers.

Contains eleven letters written to Pvt. William Troy Couch of Durham (Durham County) by female relatives in Durham, June-August 1943, while he was stationed at the Ordnance Replacement Training Center, Aberdeen, Maryland.

Alexander J. Ellis Papers.

Contains certificate honoring the memory of Alexander J. Ellis, signed by President Gerald R. Ford, n.d.

George C. Gray Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. George C. Gray of Franklin (Macon County), flight engineer, 564th Bomb

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68 (cont.) Squadron, 389th Bomb Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, who was killed in action over England, April 22, 1944. Papers include personal correspondence; photographs; newspaper clipping concerning his death; diploma from Franklin High School, 1942; and Purple Heart certificate, 1944.

Floy C. Hamilton Collection.

Contains booklet, *A Short Guide to Great Britain*, (Washington: War and Navy Departments, n.d.), and two panoramic photographs: Battery A, 113th Field Artillery, Fort Jackson, S.C., November 1940, with Pvt. Alfred Worthington Craft of Greenville (Pitt County) identified on verso; and Company 3199, U.S. Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Maryland, August 4, 1945, with Seaman Apprentice Marvin Lee Thompson of Smithfield (Johnston County) identified on verso [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.18-19]

Wilburn Lewis Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Wilburn LeVerne Lewis of Ellerbe (Richmond County) in Company E, 2nd Battalion, 511th

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Parachute Infantry Regiment, including photograph of Lewis in Berlin, 1945; safe conduct pass in German; softbound book, *Pictorial Review of the Five Eleven* (1943); program for Christmas dinner at Camp Mackall, 1943, 2nd Battalion, 511th Parachute Infantry, including roster of battalion; three issues of *The Propblast*, magazine of the 504th Parachute Infantry Regiment, September 5, 15, October 6, 1945; and map of La Cote D'Azur [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.32].

William D. Mason Papers.

Contains booklet, *German Phrase Book* (Washington: War Department, 1943).

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68 (cont.) James M. Moore Papers.

Contains postcard from Pvt. James M. Moore, Company B, Reception Center, Fort Jackson, S.C., to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Moore, Lincolnton, 1943.

Robert M. Moore Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Robert M. Moore Jr. in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including photographs and an illustration of the JB-2 jet bomb clipped from an unidentified publication (marked "Restricted").

James Parker Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC James Parker Jr. of Winston-Salem (Forsyth County) in the U.S. Marine Corps (Marine Aircraft South Pacific), including personal correspondence with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker, written from bases in California and Oklahoma and from the South Pacific, 1943-1944.

Charles T. Skinner Collection.

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Contains set of nineteen small photographs illustrating U.S. Marine Corps training; two bubble gum cards re. U.S. Marines (1941); two newspaper clippings; and five V-mails to PFC William Landing, Company A, 13th Engineer Battalion, from friends in Hertford, including three from Charles T. Skinner.

Robert F. Sykes Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. Robert F. "Bud" Sykes of Tarboro (Edgecombe County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including photograph of the crew of Syke's B-17 bomber, "Caught in the Draft"; and two newspaper clippings.

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68 (cont.) Hurshel Edward Ward Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Hurshel E. Ward Jr. of Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) in the field artillery, including official orders and correspondence, 1941-1945, 1953; two certificates of proficiency, Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, 1942, 1943; commission as first lieutenant, 1946; honorable discharge, 1955; letter to his wife inclosing clipping, ca. September 1, 1944; issue of *AGF News* (Fort George G. Meade, Maryland), April 6, 1945; photographs of Ward and wife; typescript reminiscence of the attack on Pearl Harbor, written December 7, 1987; newspaper clipping; and overseas cap.

Clarence L. Williford Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Clarence Lee Williford of Ahoskie (Hertford County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including honorable discharge and separation qualification record, 1946; applications for servicemen's readjustment allowance, 1946, and notice of final payment; U.S. Employment Service identification card; form letter signed by Gen. Omar N. Bradley concerning veterans' benefits, n.d.; notice of Selective Service classification, 1946; application form for sugar ration book; hardbound book: *AAF Air Transport Command, Ferrying Division, Reno Army Air Base* (Williford's photograph

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appears on p. 61); and digital copy of photograph of Williford from photo montage hanging in First Baptist Church of Ahoskie.

69 Roger P. Casey Papers.

Contains spiral-bound book: *Country Boy Goes to War: World War II Memoirs of Roger P. Casey* of Goldsboro (Wayne County), concerning his service in the European Theater in Company D, 119th Infantry, 30th Division.

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69 (cont.) Leslie Farmer Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T/4 Leslie Farmer of Wilson County in the U.S. Army in Alaska, including photographs of Farmer and his dog; twelve 5 X 7 black-and-white cartoon posters concerning fire prevention, drawn by J. B. Nunn and published by Alsec Security, U.S. Navy; and World War I North Carolina victory medal awarded to Willis A. Sorrell, and cover letter from Gen. William M. Buck, acting adjutant general, to Mrs. Louise H. Bryan, 1973.

Helen T. Harrington Collection.

Contains photograph taken at the home of Tom Hayes of Erwin of his daughters, Jeanette and Audrey, with U.S. Army paratroopers Bill Hopta and Phil Semil, n.d.

Claude E. Kimel Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Claude Ernest Kimel of Winston-Salem (Forsyth County) in Company B, 46th Armored Medical Battalion, including photographs of Kimel and comrades; Selective Service classification notice, 1942; U.S. Army Medical Department identification card; honorable discharge and separation qualification record, 1945; official correspondence and orders, 1943-1946; information for veterans returning from overseas; souvenir issue of *Coaldale Tale* newsletter, October 15, 1945; letter from Selective Service concerning his failure to register and the eighty-year-old Kimel's completed form (with copy of birth certificate), 1995;

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sets of souvenir picture postcards from Arizona, California, North Carolina, Tennessee, and Texas (including scenes of the Grand Canyon and the Great Smoky Mountains), and Paris and Verdun, France; newspaper clippings; booklets: *Army Song Book* (1941); *Pocket Guide to Germany* (n.d.); *Das Nahetal* [picture book of the Nahe Valley, in German]; *The 4th Armored from the Beach to Bastogne* (n.d.); and *Breakthrough! The Story of the 4th Armored Division* (printed for the eleventh annual

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69 (cont.) convention of the Fourth Armored Division Association, 1957); softbound book: *Strength For Service to God and Country*, presented to Kimel by the Pine Grove Methodist Church, 1942; and two hardbound books - *Victory in Europe: D-Day to VE Day*, by Max Hastings (Boston: Little, Brown and Company, 1985) and *The Fourth Armored Division: From the Beach to Bavaria, The Story of the Fourth Armored Division in Combat*, by Capt. Kenneth A. Koyen (Munich: Herder Druck, 1946) - removed and filed in the Military Collection Library.

Louis N. McGranahan Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Louis N. McGranahan Jr. in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including graduation announcement from the West Coast Training Center, Class 43-J, Stockton Field, California, 1943; sympathy card from General Marshall to McGranahan's parents; and color photograph of his tombstone.

Arthur W. Matthews Jr. Papers.

Contains sixty-eight photographs taken by and of T/5 Arthur W. Matthews Jr. of Wilson (Wilson County), Company A, 1258th Engineer Combat Battalion, mostly in Holland and Germany, June-November 1945.

Lawrence G. Reid Papers.

Contains softbound book, *Tales of a Tin Can Sailor: A World War II Adventure*, by Cmdr. Lawrence G. Reid of Winston-Salem (Forsyth County), concerning his service in the U.S. Navy aboard destroyers USS *Trippe* (DD 403) and USS *Southerland* (DD 743).

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David Marvin Stewart Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. David Marvin Stewart of Buies Creek (Harnett County) in the U.S. Army, European Theater. Stewart was captured by German forces in Belgium on December 22, 1944. Papers include a letter

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69 (cont.) dated January 17, 1945, and a postcard dated January 25, 1945, both marked "Kriegsgefangenpost" [prisoners of war post] and addressed to his mother, "Miss Reba Stewart"; two newspaper clippings; and a color photograph of Stewart.

Joe Trexler Papers.

Contains photograph taken February 22, 1943, of group of draftees/enlistees in Lexington (Davidson County), including (presumably) Sgt. Joseph A. Trexler Jr., who served in the 406th Bomb Squadron, U.S. Army Air Forces.

Martin O. Wisecup Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. Martin O. Wisecup of Reidsville (Rockingham County) in the 78th Pursuit Squadron, U.S. Army Air Forces, including photograph of Wisecup in Hawaii, and program for Thanksgiving dinner at Wheeler Field, Hawaii, 1940, that includes roster and photograph of the squadron.

[70-71] Paul T. Harris Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Paul Theron Harris of Roanoke Rapids (Halifax County) in Company E, 517th Parachute Infantry Regiment, U.S. Army, European Theater.

70 Contains certified copy of honorable discharge, December 26, 1945; photographs; scrapbook of photographs, 1944-1946; scrapbook titled "His Service Record," containing official orders and correspondence, separation qualification record, identification cards, shoulder patch worn on jump into Southern France, letter of appreciation signed by President Harry Truman, photographs, newspaper clippings, and booklets:

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Road to Rome (n.d.) and *517 Parachute Combat Team* (n.d.); newspaper and magazine clippings removed from a scrapbook; map of steam distribution system at Camp Mackall [torn, n.d.]; booklet: *General Marshall's Victory*

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70 (cont.) *Report* [spiral bound, 1945]; miscellaneous; and two panoramic photographs: unidentified group of servicemen at Camp Toccoa, Georgia, Lt. E. F. Brooks, commanding, n.d. (Harris identified on photograph); and Anti-Aircraft Artillery Officer's Candidate School, Course No. 76, Camp Davis, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.20-21]

71 Contains materials relating to postwar reunions of the 517th Parachute Infantry Combat Team, 1964-1991, n.d., including events in Raleigh (1964), Fort Bragg (1975), and Nashville, Tennessee (1989); materials from 82nd Airborne Division Review at Fort Bragg, 1989, including booklet: *A Tradition of Readiness: Fort Bragg* (1975); seven issues of *The Static Line*, 1985-1991; twenty-nine issues of *The Thunderbolt*, newsletter of 517th Parachute Combat Team Association, 1963, 1973-2000; and letter and certificate of appreciation from World War II Memorial Society, 2000.

[72-73] Henry A. McKinnon Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service in North Africa and Italy of M.Sgt. Henry A. "Sandy" McKinnon Jr. of Lumberton (Robeson County) in the 133rd Infantry Regiment, 34th Division, including personal correspondence with his parents and siblings, April 1943-October 1945, n.d. (most of which were transcribed by his father's secretary, Sarah Grantham; typed transcriptions included); a typescript chronology of his overseas service, 1999; and a medal ("Rifle").

72 Personal correspondence, April 1943-April 1944.

73 Personal correspondence, May 1944-October 1945, n.d., and miscellaneous.

74 Dominic R. LaSalla Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Dominic R. LaSalla of Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Cavalry, including

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74 (cont.) two copy print photographs of Trooper LaSalle at Fort Riley, Kansas, 1941, one on his horse, "Whiskey"; commissary privilege card for Mrs. Edith D. LaSalla, Hill Field, Ogden, Utah, 1944; a pin; two War Department basic field manuals: "Soldier's Handbook" (1941) and "Military Courtesy and Discipline" (1942); booklet: *Taps: A Guide to Military-Oriented Burial* (1994); four VHS tapes: U.S. Army Training Films re. horsemanship, originally produced during World War II; and two books: *The Articles of War Annotated*, by Lee S. Tillotson (Harrisburg, Pa.: The Military Service Publishing Company, 1942); and *Selective Service as the Tide of War Turns* (Washington: U.S. Government Printing Office, 1945) [removed and filed in Military Collection Library.]

[75-78] Lewis T. Everette Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T/5 Lewis T. Everette Jr. of Wilson (Wilson County) in the 916th Signal Company, U.S. Army Signal Corps, including personal correspondence with his wife, November 1942-April 1946, n.d., from U.S. Army educational programs in Winston-Salem and Raleigh, military bases in Florida, New Jersey, Georgia, and Texas, and from India; Everette's obituary, 2002; copy of special order promoting Everette to T/4, 1944; newspaper clipping; issue of *Phoenix*, magazine for Allied forces in Southeast Asia, November 17, 1945; five issues of newspaper, *India-Burma Theater Round-Up*, June 14, July 5, 12, August 30, November 8, 1945; nine issues of *India Ink*, newsletter for the Eastern India Air Depot, April 5, June 2, 10, 17, July 7, 14, November 16, December 29, 1945, and January 12, 1946; and two issues of *Slip Stream*, newsletter of the Central India Air Depot at Agra, August 11, September 1, 1945.

75 Personal correspondence, November 1942-April 1944.

76 Personal correspondence, May 1944-May 1945.

77 Personal correspondence, June 1945-April 1946, n.d.

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78 Magazines, newsletters, newspapers, and miscellaneous.

79 **Walter E. Plummer Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Aviation Machinist's Mate 2/c Walter Edward Plummer of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theater, including personal correspondence with Claude W. Rankin ("Dear Boss"), Messrs. Claude W. Rankin and Son ("Dear Folks"), and Lt. Claude W. Rankin Jr., 1943-1945, n.d.; two photographs of Plummer; and panoramic photograph of 426 Graduating Platoon, T. W. Panish, company commander, Naval Training Station, Norfolk, Virginia, September 10, 1942 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.22]

Turner W. Preddy Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Turner W. Preddy of Oxford (Granville County), Headquarters Company, 119th Infantry, 30th Division, European Theater, including photographs of Preddy, Lt. Kenneth R. Hutcherson, and other soldiers; set of seven souvenir postcards of Adolph Hitler, with descriptions in German on verso; picture postcards of German soldiers and London scenes; roster of Preddy's company; directory of surviving members of company, 1980; form letter from President Franklin D. Roosevelt to soldiers in U.S. Army Expeditionary Forces, n.d.; copy of special orders honorably discharging Preddy and other members of the 120th Infantry from the N.C. National Guard, 1945; receipt for Bronze Star; scrip for two shillings, six pence, for use in British prisoner of war camps; identification cards; war ration books for Mrs. Turner Preddy, Winchester, Tennessee; Nazi insignia and pins; chaplain's "ticket of sympathy" card; honorable discharge for Pvt. William A. Daniel of Oxford, 322nd Infantry, 1919; flyer in German, "Cherbourg: Wie es geschah" [Cherbourg: How It Happened]; three newspapers: *The Charlotte Observer*, November 1, 1944; *Oxford Public Ledger*, January 11, 1944, containing obituary of Preddy's mother; and "Scrap" Book, 30th Infantry Division,

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79 (cont.) February 1945; newspaper clippings; hardback books: *Historical Annual, National Guard of the State of North Carolina, 1938*, and *Historical and Pictorial Review, 30th Infantry Division of the Army of the United States (1941)*; and hardbound book: *History of the World War*, by Francis A. March (Philadelphia: The United Publishers of the United States and Canada, 1919) [removed and filed in Military Collection Library].

80 William R. Henderson Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Maj. William R. Henderson of Kannapolis (Cabarrus County) in the 28th Regiment, 5th Division, U.S. Marine Corps, particularly in the Iwo Jima Campaign and the occupation of Japan, including commission as second lieutenant, 1943; eight aerial reconnaissance photographs of Iwo Jima ("target squares"); Japanese picture postcards; Christmas cards and folder, Marine Corps occupational forces, 1945; operations orders, Combat Team 28, for the Iwo Jima landings, ca. January 1945; action report, Combat Team 28, Iwo Jima Operation, including action reports of Landing Teams 228 and 328; action report of Landing Team 128, Iwo Jima Operation; journal of Combat Team 28, Iwo Jima, February 19-March 26, 1945; journal of Combat Team 28, Kyushu, Japan, September 1945; operation report, 28th Marines, occupation of Japan, September-November 1945 (2 copies); booklet: "Amphibious Operations, Capture of Iwo Jima, 16 February to 16 March 1945," United States Fleet, 1945; station list, 5th Marine Division, Kyushu, Japan, November 1, 1945; and two CDs recording an oral presentation by Henderson concerning his service, ca. 2005 [transferred to Veterans' Interviews, Box 59].

81 William M. Shaw Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC William Mitchell Shaw III of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in Headquarters Company, 2nd Battalion, 10th Infantry, 5th Division, who was killed in action near Nancy, France, September 12, 1944. Papers include personal

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81 (cont.) correspondence with his parents and siblings, April 1942, April 1943-August 1944; book: *Letters Home, A Soldier's Story* (Fayetteville: Old Mountain Press, 2005), containing transcriptions of his letters; undated change of address card; and newspaper clipping titled, "An American Soldier Remembered in France," with photograph of Shaw, 1996.

82 Margaret Lipscomb Arthur Papers.

Two hundred and eighty-two photographs reflecting the service of Lt. Margaret Lipscomb Arthur of Asheville (Buncombe County), a nutritionist who trained at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin, and served at Oro Bay, New Guinea, and with the 132nd General Hospital in Biak, Netherlands East Indies. Includes photographs of Carol Landis and Jack Benny entertaining troops.

Ernest C. Buchanan Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Chief Pharmacist's Mate Ernest Chadwell Buchanan of Kinston (Lenoir County) in the U.S. Navy in the Pacific Theater, including pharmacist's mate training manual; booklet: *Diagnostic Nomenclature for the Medical Department of the United States Navy* (1943); five issues of *Hospital Corps Quarterly* (February, August, September, October, and November 1945); softbound atlases: *Wonder Atlas: The World in Your Hand* (London: The Literary Press Ltd., n.d.), and *Captain Bryan's Pacific War Atlas*, by E. H. Bryan Jr. (Honolulu: Tongg Publishing Company, 1944); forms for U.S. Navy health record and physical examination; and CD containing eighteen scanned images.

83 Wendell Philip Hedrick Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Wendell Philip Hedrick of Raleigh (Wake County) as an agricultural officer in the Army Service Forces in the Philippines, including official correspondence and orders, 1942-1945, 1951; personal correspondence, 1944-1945; photographs;

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83 (cont.) certificate from the U.S. Army School of Military Government, Charlottesville, Virginia; miscellaneous military papers, including honorable discharge, immunization register, pay records, and notices of classification; Japanese currency for occupied Philippines and a "short snorter" (several bills taped together: the soldier with the shortest snorter buys the next round of drinks); pins and insignia; rotogravure supplement, in Japanese and English, to daily newspapers published by the "Manila Sinbunsya," celebrating the anniversary of the Japanese invasion of the Philippines, December 8, 1942; four issues of *Free Philippines* newspaper, March 18, April 22, May 8, 9, 1945; page from *Farmers Federation News*, March 1944, with photograph of Hedrick; issue of *Time* magazine ("Pony Edition"), April 16, 1945; first issue of *Photo Review: A Picture Parade of the United Nations* (Manila Edition), n.d.; spiral-bound booklet: *Hyojun Nihongo Tokuhon [The Standard Japanese Reader], Book One*, by N. Naganuma (Berkeley: University of California Press, 1943), and softbound booklet titled, *Conversational Drill*, based on the Naganuma reader; and miscellaneous.

[84-85] Robert Houston Northrop Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Yeoman 3/c Robert Houston Northrop of Wilmington (New Hanover County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Memphis* (CL-13) and the USS YMS [Yard Mine Sweeper] 37.

84 Contains binder titled, "The War Letters (1942-1945)" including personal correspondence (with transcriptions), photographs (with identifications), news clippings, identification cards, notice of separation and honorable discharge (1945), and a compact disk; and two binders of photographs (with identifications), one titled "The USS *Memphis* Photo Archives (1942)" and the other "The USS YMS-37 Photo Archive (1943-1944)."

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85 Contains spiral-bound booklet titled, "Dad's War," by William Warren Northrop; two spiral-bound booklets of correspondence and research material used in the preparation

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of "Dad's War"; and videocassette copy of program by Deep Sea Detectives titled, "YMS D-Day Minesweeper."

86 Branson L. Woodard Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. Branson L. Woodard of Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces in the European Theater, including personal correspondence with his wife (at the Medical College of Virginia in Richmond), mother, sister, and brother (Cpl. Hubert E. Woodard, 1401st Military Police Company, U.S. Army), 1943-1945, n.d.; appointment as corporal, 1941; pamphlet, "Welcome to the Riviera: Instruction Book and Guide to the United States Riviera Recreational Area, Nice"; and miscellaneous.

[87-89] Walter A. Wall Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. (later captain in U.S. Army Reserve) Walter Ashe "Brick" Wall of Siler City (Chatham County), navigator on a B-17G bomber, "Hubba-Hubba", 511th Squadron, 351st Bomb Group, 8th Air Force, and his brothers, Maj. George Ritchie Wall, Medical Corps, and Capt. William Leonard Wall, 36th Field Artillery Battalion. During his sixth bombing mission, Walter Wall's plane was shot down over Berlin on August 6, 1944, and he spent nine months in German prisoner of war camps.

87 Contains personal correspondence, 1926, 1935-1938, 1942-1945, 1958, 1962, n.d., mostly from William L. Wall to his parents, siblings, and relatives; official correspondence and orders re. Walter A. Wall, 1942-1988, n.d.; individual flight records, 1944; honorable discharges, 1942, 1953; and commissions as first lieutenant (1945) and captain (1947).

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88 Contains publications reflecting the service and confinement of Walter Wall, including books: *The 351 Bomb Group in WWII*, by Peter Harris and Ken Harbour, 3d rev. ed., 1985; *From Out of the Blue: Acts of Heroism by U.S. Airmen during World War II*, by Arnold A. Wright; *Wirebound World: Stalag Luft III*, comp. by H. P. Clark (1946); *Stalag Luft III*, by Bob Neary (1946); *Clipped Wings*, by R. W. Kimball (1948);

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and *The Great Escape*, by Paul Brickhill (1965); booklets: *Excerpts from a Kriegie Log*, by J. B. Boyle (1965); *How to Make a Tin Kettle*, by Alex Cassie (1994); and *The European Story*, comp. by Stan Sommers, national commander, American Ex-Prisoners of War, Inc. [1981]; issue of *Kriegie Times*, Stalag Luft III, February 8, 1944; issue of *The Circuit*, Stalag Luft III, April 10, [1944?]; two issues of *The Stars and Stripes*: January 20, 1943 (Algiers edition) and April 16, 1945 (London edition); and miscellaneous publications: article titled, "The Strategic Bombing of Germany in World War II: Costs and Accomplishments," by Kenneth P. Werrell, reprinted from *The Journal of American History* (December 1986); two issues of *Kriegie Klarion*, newsletter of former prisoners of war in Stalag Luft III, Fall 1993 and Spring 1997; issue of *8th AF News*, November 1995; and issue of *Polebrook Post*, newsletter of the 351st Bomb Group Association, December 1996-March 1997.

- 89 Contains reminiscences of service compiled by William L. Wall (1999), including copies of photographs, correspondence, diary entries, news clippings, articles, and maps; reminiscence of service by Walter A. Wall, n.d.; album of photographs taken by Walter A. Wall during a return trip to Europe in 1976; list of participants on the trip; article titled, "A POW Odyssey to Europe," from *The American Legion Magazine*, December 1976; copy of article titled, "Zagan Revisited," by Castle Thompson; photographs, military and family, including Dr. Robert Harris in World War I uniform (portrait and group shot); group of officers at Medical Officers Training School, University of Tennessee, 1942; and the crew of the "Hubba Hubba"; newspaper clippings; report by the War Department Military Intelligence Service re. Stalag Luft III, 1944;

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- 89 (cont.) transcript of testimony by Dr. Leslie Caplan re. mistreatment of prisoners in Stalag Luft IV, 1947; certificate of service, Maj. George R. Wall, 1946; copy of map used at Stalag Luft III to track Allied advances across the Rhine in 1944; three pieces of Algerian paper currency; and 36th Field Artillery plastic licence plate.

[90-91] Pat Baker Collection.

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Contains twenty-seven issues of *The Flash*, quarterly publication of the 78th (Lightning) Infantry Division Veterans Association, 1992-1999.

90 1992-1995

91 1996-1999

92 **Gary H. Pendleton Collection.**

Contains ten spiral-bound reprints of unit histories: *Historical and Pictorial Review, 30th Infantry Division, Army of the United States, Fort Jackson, South Carolina, 1941* (reprint); *History of the Thirtieth Division Artillery*, by Norman F. Fay and Charles M. Kincaid, n.d. (1991 reprint); *105th Engineer Combat Battalion*, n.d. (ca. 1983 reprint); *Combat History of the 119th Infantry Regiment, 1946* (1998 reprint); *History of the 120th Infantry Regiment, 1947* (1990 reprint); *The 730th Ord. (LM) Co., n.d.*; *30th Inf. Div., Ardennes, 16-25 Dec 44*, by Franklin Ferris, reformatted and transcribed by Frank W. Towers, post 2001; "After Action Report," *120th Infantry Regiment, 30th Infantry Division, Battle of Mortain, August 1944*, n.d., copy from original in National Archives; *30th Infantry Division, After Action Interviews, Mortain, 6-12 August 1944*, n.d., reformatted and transcribed from National Archives copy by Frank W. Towers, 2004; and *Country Boy Goes to War: World War II Memories of Roger P. Casey*, by Roger Paul Casey, n.d.

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[93-94] Fraser Sinclair Knight Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Comdr. Fraser Sinclair Knight of Salisbury (Rowan County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the heavy cruiser, *USS Salt Lake City*, and the submarine, *USS Bonefish* (SS 223), which was sunk in Toyama Bay on June 18, 1945. Knight was a 1940 graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy.

93 Scrapbook with insignia of U.S. Naval Academy on cover

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containing photographs of family, naval academy (including plebe football team, n.d.), London, Berlin, and natives of Pacific Islands; newspaper clippings; picture postcards; tour guides to Bath and Stonehenge; Christmas cards; diploma and certificate from Severn School, Severna Park, Maryland, 1934-1935; report cards from Severn School and the U.S. Naval Academy; correspondence re. appointment to naval academy, 1935-1936; congratulatory telegrams upon appointment, 1936; and naval academy orders, Christmas dinner menus, exam questions, and graduation programs.

- 94 Scrapbook with wooden covers, inscribed "U.S. Navy," containing correspondence re. appointment to U.S. Naval Academy; photographs of Knight and his wife, the USS *Salt Lake City*, and the USS *Bonfish*; newspaper clippings; souvenir photographs from the Hotel Sir Francis Drake (San Francisco) and Rancho San Pablo (El Cerrito, California); roster of officers of the USS *Salt Lake City*, 1941; typed letter from Knight to "Gog," a grandparent, 1942; typescript: "My Speed Zero," by John Bishop, re. the naval battle of the Komandorshie Islands; page from *Army and Navy Register* announcing the promotion of Knight and others to lieutenant commander, 1944; telegrams and letters declaring Knight missing in action (1945) and presumed dead (1946); and letter signed by President Truman honoring the memory of Knight.

95 **Ernest C. Hungate Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Ernest C. Hungate of Greensboro (Guilford County) in the 96th Bombardment

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- 95 (cont.) Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, European Theater, including aerial mission maps of Brest, France, Kiel, Leipzig, Ludwigshafen, and Wiesbaden, Germany, and Politz, Romania; flight plans, logs, route maps, and weather forecasts; program from banquet to honor one hundred missions by the 96th Bombardment Group, 1944; photograph of Hungate; identifications cards; and ration card for service in Russia.

[96-97] **Elbert C. Jackson Papers.**

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Papers reflecting the service of Shopkeeper 3/c Elbert Curtis Jackson of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *General J. H. McRae*.

- 96 Personal correspondence, mostly letters from his wife, parents, and siblings, 1941-July 1944.
- 97 Personal correspondence, August 1944-1945, n.d.; church bulletins and papers from First Baptist Church of Fayetteville, Riverside Baptist Church of Toledo, Ohio, First Baptist Church of San Francisco, and Glide Memorial Methodist Church of San Francisco; four issues of *Keynoter*, newsletter of the naval training school at Toledo, Ohio, March 3, 10, May 5, June 16, 1944; shipboard publications of the USS *General J. H. McRae*, 1944-1945, including anniversary edition of *Gen. Mac's News*, August 8, 1945; picture postcards from Seattle and Melbourne, Australia; newspaper clippings; photographs, both family photos and military images, including group of sailors at Division 4 U.S. Naval Training School, Toledo, Ohio, June 6, 1944; color print of the USS *General J. H. McRae*; panoramic photograph of Company 4528, U.S. Naval Training Station, Bainbridge, Maryland, January 18, 1944 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramics.23]; certificate of membership in the Domain of the Golden Dragon, n.d., and blank membership certificate in the Ancient Order of the Deep, n.d. [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.6-7]; softbound pocket-size book titled, *Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures*, by Mary Baker Eddy (1918);

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- 97 (cont.) issue of *Inside Detective*, December 1946, containing article re. murder of Mrs. Douglas Sutherland Ewing of Fayetteville; miscellaneous military papers, including identification cards, Servicemen's World War Map, muster roll for Jackson's barracks at Bainbridge, and certificate of completion of course at Bainbridge, 1944; and miscellaneous personal papers, including invitation to Jackson's wedding, marriage certificate, income tax return, commission as deputy grand chancellor in the Knights of Pythias, and program from Duke-Carolina football game, 1936.

[98-99] John N. Hackney Jr. Collection.

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Papers reflecting the service of Capt. John N. Hackney Jr. (in the Recovered Personnel Division, U.S. Army, in the Philippines) and of Maj. Henry B. Culbreth (served in both world wars and as captain of Company M, 120th Infantry, National Guard, between the wars), both of Wilson (Wilson County).

- 98 Papers of Capt. John N. Hackney Jr., including eight terrain handbooks of the Philippines, prepared by Allied Geographical Section, 1944; terrain study of Central Luzon, prepared by Allied Geographical Section, 1944; softbound booklets: *American and Allied Personnel Recovered from Japanese Prisons*, 1945, and *Corregidor of Eternal Memory*, 1946; booklet: *Officer Candidate Class 86 Commissioned Dec. 30, 1943*, Antiaircraft Artillery School, Camp Davis; pamphlets re. Camp Davis, N.C., and Camp Hood, Texas; November 26, 1943, issue of *Yank* magazine; Rock Island Railroad time tables, 1946; "Military Map of the United States," issued by Union Pacific Railroad, n.d. [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.59]; photographs of John N. Hackney and Lt. Ernest D. Hackney, 309th Squadron, 31st Fighter Group, 15th Army Air Force; and twelve plates from *The Photographic History of the Civil War* (Springfield, Mass.: Patriot Publishing Co., 1910).

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- 99 Papers of Maj. Henry B. Culbreth, including personal correspondence, 1917-1943, n.d., mostly letters to his wife and daughter; letters of condolence to his wife after Culbreth's death from a heart attack, 1943; correspondence re. death benefits, 1943-1970; notice to report for military service, 1918; programs and menus for Christmas dinner, Truck Company 6, 1st Corps Artillery Park, Pfaffendorf, Germany, 1918, and officers' mess, Boston, 1942; special order granting Culbreth and other officers leave of absence, 1943; remarks made by Culbreth to new members of the 228th Military Police Company; extracts from address by Ambassador Josephus Daniels, 1941; typescript of speech re. increasing American armaments, n.d.; photographs, mostly from World War I; instructional manual: "Dirty Fighting: An Introduction to the Principles of Combat Without Weapons," by David W. Morrah Jr., AAA School,

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Camp Davis; hardbound book: *Follow Me, Class of '39, National Guard and Reserve Officer Course, The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia* (contains photograph and biographical sketch of Culbreth); certificate in memory of Culbreth signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, ca. 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.8]; certificate in memory of Culbreth signed by President Kennedy, [1961]; war ration books in leather pouch, issued to his wife and daughter; assorted military pins and medals; membership and identification cards; set of souvenir picture postcards from the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia; and magazine clippings.

[100-101] Lathrop P. Smith Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Lathrop Peloubet Smith Jr. of New York and Greensboro (Guilford County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Black* (DD 666) and as a teacher in naval training centers.

- 100 Hardbound book: *My Navy Experiences during World War II*, by Lathrop Peloubet Smith Jr., 2005; Xerox copy of book: *The World War Two History of the USS Black*; typescript history of the USS *Black*, by Richard A. Wilder; Xerox

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- 100 (cont.) copy of article, "The Battle of Leyte Gulf," by Kenneth I. Friedman, 2003; and typescript "Account of Service in the Army of the United States," by T/4 Walter Lewis Hannah of Kentucky and Greensboro, who served in the 831st Amphibious Truck Company.
- 101 Nineteen issues of the quarterly newsletter of the USS *Kidd* Association, Inc. - Destroyer Squadron 48, 2000-2006; and fourteen issues of *The Tin Can Sailor*, quarterly newspaper of the National Association of Destroyer Veterans, 2002-2007.

[102-104] George B. Cline Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Col. George Bennett Cline (Catawba County) as a staff officer at the Ordnance Replacement Training Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland.

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- 102 Spiral-bound booklet: *Memoirs Lt. Col George B. Cline, Ret. and Family*, 1986; post-bound training manual: *Military Training Program*; photographs; booklet: *ORC Contact Camp, 2-3 October 1948, Fort Bragg, N.C.*, containing map and brief history of Fort Bragg; three issues of *The Flaming Bomb*, post newsletter, Aberdeen Proving Ground, March 11, 1943, June 15, 22, 1944; and official correspondence and orders, newspaper clippings, photographs, and miscellaneous that were loose in scrapbook [see Box 103]
- 103 Hardbound book: *Headquarters Battalion, Ordnance Replacement Training Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland*, n.d.; *Life* magazine-style caricature of Cline's service, 1944; pencil sketch of Cline by Arthur Stewart II, 1941; comedic pen-and-ink sketch [of Brig. Gen. Donald Armstrong?] by Fenton S. Jacobs; commendation ribbon certificate, 1949; and scrapbook containing photographs, official orders and correspondence, newspaper clippings, and miscellaneous. Eight panoramic photographs removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.35-42].

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- 104 Three issues of *Agromeck*, the North Carolina State College yearbook, 1925, 1926, and 1928.

105 Raymond L. Mulkey Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Raymond L. Mulkey of Dunn (Harnett County) in the Coast Artillery Corps in the Pacific Theater, including personal correspondence, 1942-1946, n.d., primarily letters to his fiancée, Miss Edith Carpenter of Dunn. Also contains letters and postcards from Cpl. John S. Bivens, 358th Fighter Squadron, 355th Fighter Group, to Miss Carpenter, 1943.

106 Harold C. Calloway Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Harold Clay Calloway of Concord (Cabarrus County) in the Pacific Theater with Company L, 147th Infantry (separate), including original diary, 1941-1945; spiral-bound annotated transcription of diary; three CD copies of diary; and binder with original and copies of

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documents concerning his service. Calloway's regiment was engaged at Guadalcanal and Iwo Jima.

107 Charlotte Carrere Collection.

Contains brochure titled, "Wayne's Dead and Missing in World War II," printed from a public service supplement to the *Goldsboro News-Argus*, November 11, 1945.

George M. Cattalona Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. George M. Cattalona of New Jersey and Raleigh (Wake County) in the 5th Division, U.S. Marine Corps, including two maps prepared by 64th Engineer Topographical Company, U.S. Army: "Special Air and Gunnery Map, Iwo Jima, Volcano Islands [November 1944]," hand marked "4th Bn 13th Mar" and used by Cattalona on the island; and "Kyushu Island, Japan" [July 1945], used during occupation duty [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.33-34]; two troop mess tickets

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107 (cont.) membership card in the Sacred Order of the Golden Dragon; Japanese currency; two photo identification papers for Japanese military personnel; Japanese medical manual; permission slip for Cattalona to have captured Japanese saber; nineteen photographs of Marines in action on Iwo Jima; print titled, "Farewell to Iwo Jima," by Col Charles Waterhouse, with sermon delivered on the occasion of the dedication of the 5th Marine Division Ceremony on Iwo Jima, 1945, on the verso; and program from the fifty-eighth reunion of the Fifth Marine Division Association, 2007.

Charles E. Chappell Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Seaman 3/c Charles Edward Chappell of Durham (Durham County) in the U.S. Navy, consisting of nineteen photographs, including individual images of Chappell; photographs taken aboard the LCT-387 (European Theater) or LCT-1044 (Pacific Theater); one with neighbor Lt. James Thomas Summerlin, U.S. Army Air Forces; his honorable discharge and statement of service; and postwar photograph of Chappell, his father, John F. Chappell, his

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brothers, Clinton and William (both U.S. Army privates), and brother-in-law, William "Buck" Wyne, U.S. Army.

Dean G. Grogan Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Dean Glenwood Grogan of Sherwood (Watauga County) in the U.S. Army, including V-mail to his family, 1944; special order assigning him to duty at Glennan General Hospital, Okmulgee, Oklahoma, 1943; inventory of belongings upon leaving command (92nd Sta. Hospital), 1945; identification cards; temporary passes; and request for railroad transportation, 1945.

John J. (Jack) Hibbits Papers.

Contains hardback book: *Take 'Er Up Alone, Mister*, by John J. Hibbits (New York: Whittlesey House, 1943),

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107 (cont.) reminiscences of his training in the U.S. Army Air Forces aviation cadet program; and background information concerning the book, 2010.

Margaret R. Johnson Collection.

Contains ten letters from Margaret R. Johnson of Raleigh (Wake County) to Seaman 1/c Wilbur R. Powers (of Newark, Ohio, a fellow alumnus of Denison College), U.S. Navy, 1944-1945.

Houston G. Jones Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Yeoman Houston G. Jones in the U.S. Navy, including typescript "skeletal histories" of the USS *Speed* (AM-116) and the USS *Strive* (AM-117); Xerox copy of program from third anniversary dinner, USS *Strive*, 1945, including brief history of the ship and roster of the crew; and two color pamphlets by Dr. Jones: "Remembering USS SC-525 at Anzio, 1944-2004," and "60 Years Ago: Chasing Submarines, Sweeping Mines, Dodging Kamikazes, and Sayonara to World War II."

Richard M. Myers Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Quartermaster 3/c Richard Monier Myers of Pennsylvania and Raleigh (Wake County) aboard the U.S. S. Biloxi (CL-80) in the U.S. Navy, consisting of two photographs: a portrait of Myers in uniform, and a group shot with fellow crewmembers.

Charlie S. Nelson Sr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cmdr. Charlie Stephen Nelson Sr. of Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) in the U.S. Navy, including softbound book: *Southern Redfeet*, by Charlie Stephen Nelson Sr., 2008; article titled, "We Bucked the Arctic Ice Pack," by Thomas R. Henry, clipped from the *Saturday Evening Post*, August 6, 1949; three photographs of Nelson in uniform in 1943, 1957, and 1970; and five scanned images of Nelson.

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[108-112] John B. O'Donnell Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. John Burke O'Donnell of Raleigh (Wake County) and Henderson (Vance County) in the Quartermaster Section, 14th Port, Army Transportation Corps, stationed in England, 1943-1945.

- 108** Personal correspondence, primarily with his wife, parents, and in-laws, July 1942-December 1943.
- 109** Personal correspondence, 1944.
- 110** Personal correspondence, January 1945-January 1946, n.d.
- 111** Eight issues of *Yank* magazine: February 20, March 12, April 2, November 19, 1944, January 14, August 24, September 28 (two copies), and October 5, 1945 (three copies); twelve issues of *The Stars and Stripes* (London edition): February 9, 18, 1944, January 8-13, August 15, 22, 23, and September 29, 1945 (two copies); eight issues of various London newspapers: *Daily Express*, February 11, 1944, January 13, 1945; *Daily Herald*, January 13, 1945; *News Chronicle*, February 10, 1944, January 13, September 28, 1945; *News of the World*, May 6, 1945; and *The Daily Sketch*, January 13, 1945; special "Welcome Home!" edition of *NYPE News*, newsletter of the New York Port of Embarkation, [1945]; newspaper and magazine clippings;

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tourist guides to London, Dorchester, and Southampton; pocket New Testament (Roman Catholic version); pocket-size booklet titled, *My Military Missal*; pamphlet: "Our Home: A Manual for Family Prayer"; manual: *European Theater of Operations, United States Army, Preparation for Overseas Movement, Short Sea Voyage* (1944); booklet: *Destination Berlin!*, a brief history of the Transportation Corps; pamphlet: "Facts Worth Knowing . . . 14th Major Port from D-Day to VE-Day"; two charcoal drawings of a dog by Gradon J. James of London, 1944; and miscellaneous.

- 112 Photographs; picture postcards, mostly of English scenes, some with commentary by O'Donnell; program from the

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- 112 (cont.) second anniversary dinner of the 14th Port, 1945; programs from Radio City Music Hall and the Palladium; appointment as corporal, 1942; deck of "Remembrance" playing cards, International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, and Helpers; identification cards, membership cards, calling cards, and passes; Third Army shoulder insignia; papers of O'Donnell's wife, Leah Irwin O'Donnell, who served as chief clerk of the Vance County War Rationing Board during the war, as a registrar for the Selective Service System, and as an investigator and business analyst for the federal Office of Price Stabilization in Raleigh, 1951-1952, including personnel files, nine instructional manuals produced by the American Management Association, certificate of appreciation signed by President Truman and Gov. R. Gregg Cherry, and miscellaneous.

113 George A. Atkins Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. George Albert Atkins of Eden (Rockingham County) in the U.S. Navy aboard the USS *Conway* (DD-507), and of his brother, Lt. Col. John Norton Atkins Jr., in the U.S. Army Air Forces. Papers of George Atkins include official orders and correspondence, 1941-1948, 1984; photographs; identification and membership cards; Japanese occupation currency; program and admission ticket to graduation exercises and invitation to farewell ball at U.S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, 1942; invitation to launching of USS *Conway*, 1942; Christmas card (print) from

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Midshipmen's School; certificate of completion of course, U.S. Naval Torpedo Station, 1942; list of names and addresses in Sydney, Australia, 1943; Christmas dinner menu, USS *Conway*, 1944; issue of *Conway Chronicle*, April 29, 1945; map of Pacific Ocean marked to show locations and activities of USS *Conway*; Esso War Map III, Pacific Theater [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.60]; typescript newspaper and magazine clippings, include article from *Eden Daily News*, 2007, re. Atkins; history of USS *Conway*, Navy Department, 1953; and copies of miscellaneous documents. Papers of John Atkins include

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113 (cont.) diploma from Air Corps Advanced Flying School, 1941; honorable discharge, 1941; certificate of service and record of separation, 1946; commissions as first lieutenant (1944) and lieutenant colonel (1947); certificate for meritorious service, n.d.; Royal Air Force flight log book, 1943; thirty-six aerial reconnaissance photographs of possible German V-1 rocket launch sites; three reports concerning reconnaissance flight, May 9, 1944; program from funeral service, 1994; and copy print photograph of Atkins. Collection also includes photographs, copies of correspondence, and miscellaneous documents concerning exhibit at Rockingham Community College, 1995, that featured the papers of the Atkins brothers.

114 Fitzhugh L. Marsh Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T5 Fitzhugh Lee Marsh of Siler City (Chatham County) in the 92nd Quartermaster Company, U.S. Army, including personal correspondence with his fiancée, Mary Chavis, 1941-1945, n.d.; certificate of service, 1941; chattel mortgage, 1953; deed, 1962; insurance policies; certificates of membership in Hargett-McLaurin Mutual Burial Association, 1938, 1941; and booklet of souvenir photographs from Lisbon, Portugal.

Robert E. Taylor Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Robert Estes Taylor of Wilson (Wilson County), a waist gunner in the 332nd and 333rd Bomb Squadrons, 94th Bomb Group (Heavy), 8th Air Force, including personal correspondence, 1943-1945; official

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correspondence and orders, 1943-1946; pilot rating book, 1944; individual flight record, 1944-1945; certificate for completion of course work, University of Chattanooga, 1944; diploma, Flexible Gunnery School, 1944; honorable discharge and separation qualification record, 1945; honorable discharge, 1950; photographs, including souvenir from the Paris Inn nightclub, Los Angeles, a shot of Taylor dancing with Ann

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114 (cont.) Woodward, radio star and model, and the Hell Jivers, U.S. Army Air Forces band at the University of Chattanooga that included Taylor; soldier's individual pay record; immunization register; notices of classification; identification and membership cards, mess tickets, and passes; hand-drawn map of Bury St. Edmunds; three issues of *The Stars and Stripes* (London Edition), February 16, 17, 19, 1945; facsimile issue of *Honolulu Star Bulletin*, December 7-8, 1941; patches and insignia; National Bank of Wilson newsletter to Wilson County service members, June 16, 1945; and copies of newspaper clippings concerning Taylor.

115 Richard C. Layton Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Richard C. Layton of Wake Forest (Wake County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including diplomas from Air Corps Technical School, 1942, Brady Aviation School, Curtis Field, 1943, and Lubbock Army Flying School, 1943; two photographs of Layton; pilot qualification record; invitation to graduation exercises, Lubbock Army Flying School, Class 43-C, 1943; Air Medal and Distinguished Flying Cross in cases; three hardbound annuals: *The Cadet*, Bruce Field, Ballinger, Texas; *Flight 43-C*, Brady Aviation School; and *Wings Aloft*, Lubbock Army Flying School; booklet: *Silhouette Handbook of United States Army Air Forces Airplanes* (1942); and cloth Burmese flag with Burmese inscription.

116 Wade E. Brown Collection.

Contains booklet: *Survival on Land and Sea*, published by Office of Naval Intelligence, 1944; softbound book: *Autobiography of Lawrence Pugh Zachary, Jr.* of Taylorsville

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(Alexander County), who served as a lieutenant in the 136th Infantry, Pacific Theater; and two books inscribed by Lt. Wade E. Brown of Boone (Watauga County), U.S. Navy: *The Bluejackets' Manual* (1944) and *Watch Officer's Guide* (1941) [both removed and filed in Military Collection Library].

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116 (cont.) Dallas S. Burroughs Jr. Papers.

Contains spiral-bound autobiography, "The Story of Dallas Burroughs" (2009; revised and amended, 2013), concerning the service of S.Sgt. Dallas Sommerville Burroughs Jr. of Mississippi and Fuquay-Varina (Wake County) in Company B, 454th Aviation Ordinance, U.S. Army Air Corps. Burroughs was a Bataan Death March survivor and a prisoner of war in Japanese camps.

Allen D. Evans Papers.

Contains autobiography, "An Enlisted Soldier's Story," concerning the service of T4 Allen D. Evans of Indiana and Chapel Hill (Orange County) in the 76th Field Artillery Battalion (Separate), U.S. Army, European Theater.

Claude E. Fike Papers.

Contains spiral-bound autobiography titled, "Some Memoirs of World War II as Recalled in 1988," by Lt. Cmdr. Claude Edwin Fike of Ahoskie (Hertford County), concerning his service in the U.S. Navy.

Bessie S. Hill Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T5 Bessie S. Hill of Sanford (Lee County) in the Women's Army Corps, including honorable discharge, 1945; copies of her diploma from the Chicago School of Nursing, 1942, and certificate for completion of coursework for the Nurse's Aide Corps, American National Red Cross, 1942; and CD copy of the three documents.

George C. Hood Collection.

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Contains six issues of *8th AF News*: September 2003, March 2004, March, September, December 2005, and June 2006; issue of *Flak News*, newsletter of the 398th Bomb Group Memorial Association, October 2006; and British-made map,

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116 (cont.) "Strait of Dover, Ordnance Survey of Great Britain (Aeronautical Map), 1:500,000, R.A.F. (War)," October 1944 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.35].

Frank Laney Collection.

Contains softbound book, *We Called Ourselves Rocketboatmen: The Untold Stories of the Top-Secret LSC(S) Rocket Boat Missions of World War II at Sicily, Normandy (Omaha and Utah Beaches), and Southern France*, by William H. Palmer Jr. (Pittsburgh: Dorrance Publishing Co., Inc., 2008). Among the individuals whose stories are recorded (p. 63) is Ensign Lemuel C. Laney of Maiden (Catawba County), who signed the frontispiece.

Mike Lawing Collection.

Contains spiral-bound volume, "The WWII Letters of Milford and Martha Lawing," edited and annotated by Mike Lawing. Milford Griffin Lawing of Nebo (McDowell County) served stateside in the U.S. Navy as a ship's service man (barber) first class.

William R. O'Neal Papers.

Contains softbound book, *Memoirs of William Richardson O'Neal IV* (2008), concerning the stateside service of Lt. William Richardson O'Neal IV of Clayton (Johnston County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces; and two copy print photographs of O'Neal. DVD interview of William R. O'Neal by Dave Milidanis (for National Veterans History Archival Institute of Cary, NC).

O. C. Stonestreet Collection.

Phonograph record (33 1/3 rpm) recorded October 2, 1943, by Yeoman 3/c Stirling R. Jordan, U.S. Navy, at Great Lakes Naval Training Station and sent to Mrs. R. H. Jordan of Charlotte.
[Missing, 9-26-2012]

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117 Winston E. Moore Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. Winston E. Moore of Durham (Durham County) in the 41st Infantry Division, U.S. Army, Pacific Theater, including softbound book, *The Jungleers: A History of the 41st Infantry Division* (1980) (2 copies); twenty-three issues of *Jungleer*, newsletter of the 41st Infantry Division Association, 2002-2009; and the George F. Cram Company's World Map, n.d. Two books - *History of World War II*, by Francis Trevelyan Miller, Armed Forces Memorial Edition (Philadelphia: Universal Book and Bible House, 1945), and *The Confederacy*, by Charles P. Roland (Chicago: The University of Chicago Press, 1972) - removed and filed in the Military Collection Library.

118 W. Joseph Bryan Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pvt. W. Joseph Bryan of Fuquay-Varina (Wake County) in the 14th Armored Field Artillery Battalion, Medical Detachment, European Theater, consisting of personal correspondence with his sister, Alice R. Bryan, 1942-1945.

Walter S. Hatch Papers.

Contains pocket New Testament with metal cover engraved, "May the Lord be with you," and inscribed by Pvt. Walter Steel Hatch of Mount Olive (Wayne County), who served in the 564th Signal Air Warning Battalion, U.S. Army Air Forces; and copy print photograph of Hatch in France.

Dallas H. Jones Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Chief Warrant Officer Dallas Harding Jones of Halifax County in the U.S. Navy from 1940 to 1960, including a photograph and official correspondence, 1945-1946, n.d., concerning awards earned by Jones, including the Order of Glory, Third Class, from the U.S.S.R.; a citation signed by Adm. W. F. Halsey; the Distinguished Flying Cross

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118 (cont.) Forrestal); and the Air Medal (letter signed by Adm. Harold R. Stark).

W. J. McCray Papers.

Contains 2 CD copies of reel of 16mm film titled, "Shuttle to Russia," shot during flight over Russia, June 22, 1944, the property of Lt. Col. W. J. McCray, U.S. Army Air Forces [the original reel of film has been removed and filed in the Vault Collection].

Norman Williams Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Norman Williams of Beulaville (Duplin County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces in the Philippines, where he was captured by the Japanese and spent nearly four years in prisoner of war camps. Papers include photographs; a notebook made with empty cigarette packs for pages on which Williams recorded translations of Japanese words and phrases and the names and addresses of fellow prisoners of war; and a DVD interview of his sister, Bertha Williams Lanier, concerning his service, 1996.

[119-120] Van B. Higdon Papers

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Van B. Higdon of Gay (Jackson County) in the U.S. Marine Corps, including personal correspondence, 1942-1961, 1971, n.d., from his parents; sister, Betty; brothers, M.Sgt. Roscoe Higdon, Headquarters Squadron, 39th Air Depot Group, and Pvt. Woodrow Higdon; his wife (postwar), Marion Higdon; other relatives, including Sgt. Carlin T. Cabe (cousin); and friends in the service, including Sgt. Roy O. Ashe, Radioman 2/c W. L. Ashe, Cpl. Cameron Lee Buchanan, PFC William P. Cowan, Cpl. Alvin Haag, Sgt. W. F. McInturff, and Sgt. Ralph McLaughlin; sixty-eight photographic negatives, 1942; and miscellaneous.

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119 Personal correspondence, May 1942-September 1945.

120 Personal correspondence, October 1945-1961, 1971, n.d.;
photographic negatives; and miscellaneous.

121 Neill A. Lindsay Jr. Papers

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Neill Alexander Lindsay Jr. of Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the U.S. Navy as commander of naval armed guard detachments aboard the Liberty ships *SS Stanford Newel* and *SS Cape Alexander*, including official correspondence and orders, 1943-1953, n.d.; daily log, *SS Stanford Newel*, October 19, 1943-June 22, 1944; crew list, naval armed guard, *SS Stanford Newel*, n.d.; watch and station bill, *SS Stanford Newel*, n.d.; excerpts ("Okinawa Resume") from ship's log, *SS Cape Alexander*, May-June 1945, and certificate in support of attack bonus for crew members, 1945; personal correspondence, 1935, 1944; commission as ensign, 1943; certificate for completion of coursework, Naval Training School of Indoctrination, Fort Schuyler, New York, 1943; officer's qualification record, 1945; notice of separation, 1945; certificate of appreciation, signed by James Forrestal, 1945; honorable discharge, 1953; photographs; and CD copy of documents.

Robert L. Moore Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Robert L. Moore of Jamestown (Guilford County), a pilot in the Civil Air Patrol (N.C. Coastal Patrol) and U.S. Army Air Corps. Collection includes official correspondence and orders, 1943-1946; identification cards and dog tags; immunization register; photographs of Moore; shoulder sleeve insignia; military map of the United States, issued by Union Pacific Railroad [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.61]; honorable discharge and separation qualification record; certificates of service; official correspondence re. award of Air Medal; resolution of appreciation, City of High Point; Civil Air Patrol regulations, 1954-1956; three training manuals:

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121 (cont.) "Instructor's Handbook Elementary Flying," n.d.; Instrument Flying Instrument Trainer Instruction Guide," 1943; and "Excerpt from Civil Pilot Training Manual," 1941; and two books: *Air Pilot Training* (2nd edition, 1943), and *Flying Minute Men: The Story of the Civil Air Patrol* (1948) [removed and filed in Military Collection Library].

122 Harry S. and Katherine P. Cathey Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Harry Sloan Cathey of Raleigh (Wake County) in Company F, 101st Cavalry, U.S. Army, and his wife, Katherine Perry Cathey, who worked as personal secretary to the state director of the Office of Selective Service Records, including personal correspondence, 1939-1946; correspondence re. termination of Mrs. Cathey's position, 1947; newspaper clippings; photographs, including group shot of officers, state Selective Service System; picture postcards; typescript of diary (or extracts of letters from Cathey to his wife), November 10, 1944-April 3, 1945; war ration book; softbound book: *Wingfoot* (1945), official history of the 101st Cavalry Group (Mechanized); one-page typescript, "Regimental History of 101st Cavalry (New York)"; issue of *Vox Fox* (newsletter), May 18, 1945; and issue of *Whitaker Glen News and Views* (newsletter), January 1995, featuring article by Katherine Cathey.

Frederick A. Hengeveld Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Frederick Albert Hengeveld of Rocky Mount in the 704th Bomb Squadron, 446th Bombardment Group (Heavy), U.S. Army Air Forces, including personal correspondence, consisting of V-mails from his mother and sister, 1943-1945; official correspondence and orders, 1945; notice of classification; individual flight record; handwritten synopsis of Hengeveld's military service; honorable discharge and separation qualification record, 1945; list of missions performed by 446th Bombardment Group, 1943-1945; photographs, including individual portraits of

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122 (cont.) members of First Presbyterian Church Boy Scout troop; two hardback books: *We'll Say Goodbye: Story of the 307th*

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Bombardment Group (HV.), and *The Story of the 446th Bomb Group*; two squadron shoulder patches; embroidered varsity letter, Rocky Mount High School; Russian survival phrase pamphlet; and two silk escape maps for France, Belgium, and Holland [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.36-37].

[123-124] Henry J. Hengeveld Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Henry J. Hengeveld of Rocky Mount in the 339th Quartermaster Depot Company and the 72nd Quartermaster Base Depot, U.S. Army, European Theater, including personal correspondence, 1942-1945, 1966; identification and membership cards; notice of classification; dog tags; newspaper clippings, mostly obituaries; photographs; picture postcards; roster of Headquarters Company, 72nd Quartermaster Base Depot, with ASR scores, October 4, 1945; and *The Service Song Book* (1917).

123 Personal correspondence, December 1942-June 1944.

124 Personal correspondence, July 1944-October 1945, 1966; and miscellaneous.

125 Davis Brothers Papers.

Papers reflecting the military service of seven brothers from Cherokee County during World War II. The sons of James Baxter and Mary Jane Davis of Boiling Springs, they were (from oldest to youngest): Ned Baxter, John Max, Hal Andrew, Ray Albert, Frederick Oid, Don Hamilton, and Drewery Sam Davis. Most of the official military documents relate to the service of John M. and Ray A. Davis. Also included are records reflecting John M. Davis's prewar service in the Civilian Conservation Corps and work for the Tennessee Valley Authority; copies of clippings concerning all seven brothers; wartime postcards from Hal A. and Frederick O. Davis; and

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125 (cont.) photographs of John M., Hal A., Ray A., and Don H. Davis (the only brother to die in service), and of Harvey Dillard Hanks, who married one of their sisters.

James D. Holloway Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of Capt. James D. Holloway of Tyrrell County in the U.S. Army Air Forces. Includes personal correspondence, 1943-1945, 1971-1972; picture postcards; official documents and correspondence, 1942-1943; published materials from Army Air Force training schools, 1943-1944; newspaper articles and clippings, some concerning the death of Holloway in Burma, 1945; photographs (some of which may be of his brother, Samuel J. Holloway); program from memorial service at First Baptist Church, Columbia, 1946; program, Homecoming Day, Tyrrell County Veterans, 1946; and Holloway's report cards, Tyrrell County Public Schools, 1927-1935.

Samuel J. Holloway Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Samuel J. Holloway of Tyrrell County in the U.S. Army Air Forces. Includes copies of personal correspondence, 1945, written from the Phillipines and Okinawa; photographs; news clippings; and Xerox copies of photographs and news clippings.

"North Carolina's World War II Experience."

Contains documentary DVD produced by UNC-TV, Chapel Hill titled "North Carolina's World War II Experience" (2010). [Note: This material is copyrighted and may not be reproduced without permission from UNC-TV.]

Edward C. Saleeby Papers.

Contains typed bound autobiography titled, "My Life Story, For My Family," by Edward C. Saleeby of Durham, including his service in World War II.

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125 (cont.) Joseph Albert Samons Papers.

Contains account of the military service of Cpl. Joseph A. Samons compiled and written by his daughter, Dolores Samons Harvell, 2011. Corporal Samons served in the 660 Port Company of the Persian Gulf Command. The spiral-bound volume includes

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copies of photographs, correspondence, honorable discharge, and clippings, and biographical information on Samons.

[126-134] The Greatest Generation Project, Wilson County Historical Society, 2005-2011

These papers were collected by the Wilson County Historical Society to capture the stories and materials of World War II veterans from Wilson County. The files were originally contained in nine 3½-inch 3-ring binders, copies of which were also to be filed in the Wilson County Public Library and the academic libraries at Barton College and Wilson Technical Community College. John N. Hackney, Jr., a veteran of World War II, and Betty Ray McCain, former secretary of the Department of Cultural Resources, were the primary collectors of the materials. The collection includes files concerning 268 World War II soldiers from Wilson County, as well as 30 veterans from nearby counties, mostly friends and relatives of Hackney. These files contain copies of personal reminiscences; enlistment and discharge papers; cards and letters; orders; photographs; newspaper clippings; obituaries; correspondence with the project coordinators; and a few compact disks. Some original materials are also included. Miscellaneous records include project correspondence and publicity; information concerning similar projects in other states; lists of soldiers; unit histories; publications; files concerning four World War I soldiers from Wilson County; and a small cache of original records from World War II.

Acquisition: Donated by B. Perry Morrisison Jr., president of the Wilson County Historical Society, March 29, 2011.
Finding aid by Kenrick N. Simpson, April 14, 2011.

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Ballance, Charles Edward
Ballance, Ralph T.
Banner, M. L.
Barbee, Benjamin Clifton, Jr.
Barkley brothers
Barnes, Bennett Harper
Barnes, Clinton Charles
Barnes, Grady Lee
Barnes, James T.
Barnes, John Leslie
Barnes, Joseph Alton
Barnes, Richard F. (and Robert S. Wilkins)
Barnes, Troy T.
Barnes, Vauclain Winston
Barnes, Wade Dupree
Barnes, William Edmundson, Jr.
Barnes, William H.
Bass, Isaac L.
Beland, Milton E., Jr.
Beland, Oakley B.
Benton, H. P. "Red," Jr.
Bissette, Frank M., Jr.
Black, William Mock
Blalock, Ralph E.
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Bussey, William R.
Chesson, Arthur, Jr.
Church, Carl Norwood
Cline, Louis
Cockrell, Onnie Robert, Jr.
Coleman, Garland D.
Connor, H. G.
Cooke, Charles S.
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Cooper, Lynn C., Jr.
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Gardner, Elmo L.
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George, William J., Jr.
Gilbert, John P.
Gilbert, Ralph Ury
Gillette, John B.
Gliarmis, Richard D.
Glover, Varnell R.
Gold, Comann D.
Grantham, James E.
Graves, John
Griffin, Henry R.
Hackney, Ernest Deans
Hackney, George, III
Hackney, John N., Jr.
Hackney, Thomas Jennings, Jr.
Hackney, Willis Douglas, III
Hardison, Trafton Tunny
Harrell, Frank L.
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Harrell, William I.
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 Hearn, Bunn, Jr. (and Claude V. Garner)
 Herman, Bandy A.
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Howell, Milford J.
Howell, Osburne K.
Hussey, H. Moseley
Ikner, John Jackson, Jr.
Jackson, George - see Louis Rowe
Jackson, James Thorn
James, Milton Don
Johnson, Luther Ralph
Johnston, Harmon Pitts, Jr.
Jones, Marvin
Kelly, Hugh F., Jr.
Kemp, Charles O.
Kirkland, Robert Edward, Jr.
Ladwig, Harold A.
Lamm, George
Land, Joseph Glenn
Laughinghouse, Lyman Wooten
Lee, Frank Hackney
Lewis, Edward
Lewis, Jasper
Liles, Jack H.
Little, Charles Harvey
Little, Edward Earl "Dick"
Lucas, Paul A.
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Luper, Jesse (and Bolden Cummings)
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McClain, Clarence Edward, Jr.
McClees, Thomas A.
McElroy, Richard - see Jack O'Connell
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Mangum, Fred E.
Matthews, Floyd Leslie
Meacomes, Horace Melton, Sr. [originally in slim 3-
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Shapou, Teddy Roosevelt
Sharpe, William Franklin
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Shaw, Edwin Ferebee
Shepard, Warren C.
Simon, Louis J.
Smiley, Glaucus Graham
Smith, Ernest E., Sr.
Smith, Relmond Carl, Jr.
Smith, Walton Wright
Smith, Williard T.
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Watson, Thomas L., Jr.
Webb, Elmer
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 Jr.
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Grier, Joseph Williamson, Jr.
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Invitation to Betty McCain to attend "An Evening
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The Legacy Project

Magazines:

Our State (March 2005)

Smithsonian (August 2005)

National Archives - printouts from Web site

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Original records:

civil defense publications, 1961

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newspapers:

Daily Express (London), November 9, 1939
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Wilson Daily Times, June 26, 1941

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Wilson Daily Times, May 8, 1945

Wilson Daily Times, August 17, 1945

Wilson Daily Times, "Victory in Europe
Edition," [1945] (2 copies)

Wilson Daily Times, August 3, 1995 (2
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Original records (cont.):

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V-mail form
War Production Board: notice of meeting, 1942;
conservation order, 1943 (copies)
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Project correspondence, 2005-2011, n.d.
Project publicity, 2005-2008
Reunion of Wilson County soldiers in London, 1944
Tribute to veterans by Stephen P. Millikin, 2005
Unit histories:
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 Division
 30th Infantry Division
 104th Infantry Division
 655th Engineer Topographic Battalion
Veterans History Project, Library of Congress
Veterans Memorial, Rocky Mount - dedication
ceremony, 2007
Wakefield Plantation, Westmoreland County, Va. -
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Wilson County Genealogical Society - calendar, 2011
Wilson County Public Library - name index to volume
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[135-136] Rifton Dixon Apple Jr. Papers.

Papers of Capt. Rifton Dixon Apple Jr. of Guilford County,
reflecting his service in the U.S. Army Air Force during World

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War II and afterwards. Apple left college in January 1942 to enlist in the armed forces and was assigned to the 82nd Machine Records Unit as a clerk, stationed in Tampa, Florida. In May 1943, he was approved for the Army Air Force Officer Candidate School in Miami Beach. Upon graduation in August, he was commissioned second lieutenant and named assistant adjutant of the 26th Tactical Reconnaissance Group of the Ninth Air Force in Reading, Pennsylvania. In November, Lieutenant Apple was reassigned to the 10th Photo Reconnaissance Group in Meridian, Mississippi, where he was classified as a special services officer. An outstanding high school baseball player, Apple's "special services" were to organize recreational activities for his unit, including sporting events and movie screenings. He was posted overseas in February, 1944, and on June 15 was promoted first lieutenant while stationed in England. Apple reached France about six weeks after D-Day and served in Europe for the remainder of the war. He was promoted to captain in January 1946 and, after returning home in October, decided to remain in the service. Captain Apple continued on active duty, stationed in California and Texas, until January 1953.

- 135 Personal correspondence, 1938, 1941-1946, n.d.
 Official correspondence and orders, 1943-1958, n.d.
 Pay and personnel records, 1944-1953, n.d.
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- 136 Photographs, including portraits of Apple; pictures taken by Apple in France and Germany; aerial shots of Paris; and photos of Bob Hope, Jerry Colonna, and unidentified Hollywood starlets at a U.S.O. show in Germany, 1945
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 Maps of Paris and France [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.38-39], guides for tourists, and European hotel menus
 Programs and posters for theatrical productions
 Sports and entertainment, including an official New York Yankees program and scorecard, May 3, 1946, and a technical manual for the operation of an army theater
 Service publications, 1944, 1948

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Magazines: three issues of *Yank* magazine (1944) and *Varsity* magazine (March 1948)
Ninth Air Force USAAF, a hardbound publication of watercolors
Newspapers, including issues of the *Greensboro Daily News* reporting on the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor and the Allied invasion of France, and issues of the *Greensboro Record* and two editions of *Stars and Stripes* proclaiming victory in Europe
Newspaper clippings
Identification cards
Miscellaneous
Military insignia, medals, and Apple's dog tags

137 Clyde J. Blue Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Radioman Second Class Clyde J. Blue of Michigan and Macon County in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Blue served aboard the USS LSM(R) 197 and was involved in the assault on Okinawa in April 1945. Papers include a shipboard diary, February 8-October 20, 1945, recorded in a "Publication Sight Book"; a small notebook in which are recorded the speed and identifying attributes of various airplanes; thirteen photographs; record of Blue's service; pay booklet; transportation report; three programs: Naval Training School graduation, Indianapolis, Indiana, 1944; Thanksgiving dinner at Naval Air Station, Charleston,

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137 (cont.) 1944; and ship's dinner dance, 1946; and souvenir section of the *St. Petersburg Times*, September 3, 1989.

Charles W. Glazener Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Charles W. Glazener of Rosman (Transylvania County) in the U.S. Navy during World War II. Glazener remained in the Naval Reserve after the war and served as commanding officer of the Naval Reserve Training Center in Asheville. Papers include correspondence, 1943, n.d.; picture postcards from various training camps and ports of call (Fort Wayne, Charleston, Miami, New Orleans, Key West, Nassau, Panama, and Brisbane); photographs; certificates from Chemical Warfare School, 1945; certificate of membership in the Ancient Order of the Deep, 1943; newspaper clippings;

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Japanese paper money; foreign stamps; issue of *Guinea Gold*, October 23, 1944; print by Dahl Taylor to commemorate fiftieth anniversary of the Battle of Midway, 1992; pen-and-ink sketch of Glazener; and miscellaneous. These papers were originally pasted into a scrapbook by Glazener's wife, Thelma, and much of the handwriting on the postcards is obscured by remnants of the scrapbook paper.

Fred Simon Papers.

Consists of softbound German instructional manual, *Der Dienstunterricht in Heere* [*Service Instruction in Armies*], by Lt. Col. Wilhelm Reibert (Berlin: Berlag von E. S. Mittler and Sohn, 1943). Simon served in the Third Panzer Division.

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[138-141] Harry Lee Ward Papers.

Harry Lee Ward was born on October 2, 1906, in Chowan County, North Carolina, to Octavius Estella Ward and Alice Cora Olia. His father died in 1916, and his mother remarried, to Alfred Littleton Hobbs. Ward had an older brother, Elgin Elton "Skeeter" Ward, born in 1901; a younger brother, Major Glenn Ward, born in 1914; and two younger sisters, Joy, born in 1911, and Sarah Estella in 1916. In addition, Ward had half siblings from his mother's second marriage: a half brother, Marvin Ward, and a half sister whose married name was Freda Ridgeway. During World War II, Ward and his three brothers all served in branches of the armed forces.

Harry L. Ward married Julia Thomas Downs of Gatesville on September 22, 1934. They lived in Gatesville, where Ward was the postmaster. Ward enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1941 and was called into active duty on September 22, 1942. He was stationed overseas for the majority of World War II as a mailman first class. While her husband was in service, Julia Ward worked as a teacher in Colerain, North Carolina. From correspondence in this collection, it is apparent that for about the first year that Ward was overseas, his wife lived in Colerain during the work week and in Gatesville on the weekends.

When Ward enlisted in the Navy, he was stationed at Norfolk, Virginia. On November 30, 1942, he was transferred to New York City. In a letter of December 6, 1942, he mentioned to his wife that he would soon be transferred again, and in a letter of December 11, he told her that it would be the last letter she would receive from him for a few weeks, indicating that he would be traveling. On December 24 Ward arrived offshore of northern Africa and was stationed in Casablanca, Morocco, for the majority of his overseas service.

In early June 1944, Ward's mother died, and there are several pieces of correspondence between he and his wife concerning this event. In a letter dated September 15, 1944, Ward mentioned that he would soon be transferred back to the United States and, by the end of the month, he had left Morocco.

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Between September 20 and October 31, 1944, there is a gap in the correspondence. For about the next year, Ward was stationed in New York, and the correspondence to his wife decreased slightly, most likely because he was able to speak with her on the telephone at least once a week and could go home to North Carolina on weekends that he had a forty-eight-hour period of leave, as is mentioned in his letters. In a letter of October 19, 1945, Ward happily reported to his wife that on November 1, he would be released from duty and head home for good.

The bulk of the Harry L. Ward Papers consists of correspondence that he wrote to his wife during his time in the Navy. While overseas, he sent a letter almost every day, and while stationed in New York City, he sent letters at least three times a week. Most of the correspondence is handwritten letters or V-mail, but there are postcards mixed in as well. A caution to the researcher: in most of the letters Ward sent to his wife, he addresses her as Thomas, not Julia. Thomas was her middle name and presumably her husband's pet name for her. There is also correspondence to Ward from his wife, and a few pieces from his mother and other friends and family members. The collection also contains some photographs and blank picture postcards. In addition, there are a few of Ward's identification cards and official papers, as well as some miscellaneous publications, currency, and paperwork. The correspondence is arranged chronologically. All other parts of the collection are arranged in the order in which they were received, presumably the original order.

- 138** Contains correspondence that Harry Ward sent to his wife, Julia, from January 1942 to November 1943. Most are handwritten letters or V-mail, with some postcards and photographed V-mail included. There is also a Christmas card, 1942, from Ward to Julia.

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- 139** Contains correspondence from Harry Ward to his wife,

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Julia, December 1943 - June 1944. Like the previous box, these are mostly handwritten letters or V-mail, with the occasional postcard or photographed V-mail.

- 140** Contains correspondence from Harry Ward to his wife, July 1944 - November 1945. As in the previous boxes, these are mostly handwritten letters or V-mail, with the occasional postcard or photographed V-mail.
- 141** Contains correspondence and miscellaneous items. The first folder is correspondence that Ward's wife sent to him while he was in the Navy from 1943 to 1945. The second folder is correspondence from Freda Ridgeway, Ward's half sister, to him from 1943 to 1944. The next two folders contain correspondence that Alice Hobbs, Ward's mother, sent him from 1942 to 1944. There is also a folder of miscellaneous correspondence that contains several letters sent to Ward from different family members and friends. The last folders in this box contain official papers and identification cards, 1942-1945; a family tree; newspaper clippings; miscellaneous publications, including comic books and newsletters; photographs and negatives that he took with a personal camera while stationed overseas, mostly of him and his friends at different places in Morocco; and currency from various countries that Ward collected during his time overseas. The folder of official papers also contains menus from holiday meals served in the Navy, receipts for money orders Ward sent home to his wife, and Ward's notice of separation from the U.S. Navy on November 7, 1945.

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142 Helen J. Blue Collection.

Contains photostatic copies of six pages from the *Honolulu Star-Bulletin*, December 7, 1941, and two pages from the *Honolulu Advertiser*, December 8, 1941, reporting the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii.

Paul Whittington Collection.

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Contains five issues of the *Raleigh News and Observer*: May 9, 1945 (V-E Day), August 15, 1945 (V-J Day), October 12, 1947 (bridal section only), and July 20 and July 27, 1969 (moon landing); sheets from May 27, 1945 issue of the *New York Sunday News*; war ration book #4 and stamps; one franc note; one lira note; Morse code system (on back of architectural drawing), n.d.; and order to James C. Whittington, 13th Tank Battalion, to report to dental clinic, n.d.

Cecil M. Yandle Papers.

Contains 11" X 17" photograph of the USS *Medea*, with legend attached showing service ribbons earned by Shopkeeper Third Class Cecil M. Yandle of Mecklenburg County in the U.S. Navy.

[143-148] Mary A. Brogden Collection.

The Mary A. Brogden Collection contains the papers of two of her relatives, Blackwell M. Brogden and Blackwell Markham, who served in the United States armed forces during World War II. Lt. Blackwell M. Brogden was the husband of Mary A. Brogden. They were married in 1949 and had eight children together. Blackwell Brogden was born April 25, 1921, in Durham, North Carolina, and he spent the majority of his life there. He had a brother, W. J. Brogden Jr., who joined the U.S. Army during World War II. Brogden attended Durham High School, and in 1942 he received a bachelor's degree from the University of North Carolina (UNC). In 1948, Brogden earned a law degree from UNC as well.

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After college graduation in the fall of 1942, Brogden joined the U.S. Navy and served for the duration of the war. Brogden spent the majority of his service in the South Pacific on two different ships, the USS *Mississippi* and the USS *Ingraham*. He was present in Tokyo Bay when the treaty was signed ending the war against Japan but was not on the USS *Missouri* where the formal surrender took place.

Capt. Blackwell Markham was the uncle of Lt. Blackwell M. Brogden. He was born in Durham, North Carolina, on March 31, 1897, the youngest of eleven children. He was the only one of his siblings that did not attend Trinity College (now Duke

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University) and instead went to UNC on a scholarship. He earned a degree from UNC in 1917 and participated in the Army ROTC program while there. In 1918 he earned a master's degree from UNC, then attended the first two years of medical school there. In 1920 Markham transferred to Harvard Medical School, where he completed his medical degree in 1922. Markham never married and in 1942, at the age of 45, he enlisted in the U.S. Army Medical Corps and served until the end of the war. He served mostly in North Africa and Italy. According to Mary A. Brogden, Markham never operated on another patient after he returned from the war.

The Mary A. Brogden Collection contains a few pieces of military and personal correspondence from both men, as well as some papers concerning their military service. There are also some photographs and a large collection of picture postcards. Half of the collection is comprised of a variety of publications that they collected during their service overseas. For more information about Capt. Blackwell Markham and Lt. Blackwell M. Brogden, contact the Southern Historical Collection at the University of North Carolina, where most of their personal papers have been deposited.

- 143** Contains the military and personal correspondence of both Capt. Blackwell Markham and Lt. Blackwell M. Brogden. The folders are labeled to identify to which man they belonged. The first five folders contain military correspondence belonging to Markham from 1941 to 1945.

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- 143 (cont.)** The last of these folders contains undated correspondence. The next two folders contain miscellaneous items and blank medical charts and paperwork, also from Markham. The last three folders contain papers belonging to Brogden, including his military papers and service records, personal correspondence and photographs, and military correspondence and memoranda. This box also includes two legal-sized publications: "Darby's Rangers: 1942-1944" and "Ricordo Di Genova," written in Italian.
- 144** Contains items belonging to Markham. The first folder includes a variety of maps [nine removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.40-48], and the next two folders contain church bulletins and religious pamphlets dating from 1942 to

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1944, and playbills for concerts and plays. The fourth folder contains newspaper clippings, most of which are undated and are arranged in the order in which they were received. There are two folders of negatives, one folder containing a variety of British and American military pamphlets, one folder with issues of *Britain Magazine Junior* from October 1944 to January 1945, and one folder of miscellaneous publications.

- 145** Contains one folder of photographs belonging to Markham, and the rest of the folders contain picture postcards that were collected by him while he was overseas. All of the picture postcards are blank and are arranged according to the location that they portray.
- 146** Contains a variety of publications, including some War Department publications, belonging to Markham. War Department publications include "Medical Field Manual: Field Sanitation"; "Medical Field Manual: Mobile Units of the Medical Department"; "Medical Field Manual: Records of Morbidity and Mortality (Sick and Wounded)"; "Technical Manual: Administration"; and "Technical Manual: Guides to Therapy for Medical Officers". The other publications included in this box are: *Florence: Its History and Its Art*; *Pisa, North Africa: For all Members of United States Expeditionary Forces in North*

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- 146 (cont.)** *Africa; How to Shoot the U.S. Army Rifle; A Short Italian Grammar; Heavy Tent Pitching: Demonstration and Application; English-Italian Phrase Book; G.I. Nightingale: The Story of an American Army Nurse, by Theresa Archard, Captain, A.N.C.; The Arabs: A Short History, by Philip K. Hitti; Helmets and Lipstick, by Ruth G. Haskell, 2nd Lieutenant, A.N.C.; A Pocket Guide to French Morocco; L'Algerie: Un Siecle de Colonisation Francaise; La Tunisie: Notions Elementaires de Geographie; Algerie: Album de Luxe; Afrique: Souvenirs et Lecons; The American Legion Magazine, June 1942; and Liberty Magazine, January 27, 1945.*
- 147** Contains War Department publications belonging to Markham: "Basic Field Manual: Desert Operations"; "Basic Field Manual: Engineer Soldier's Handbook"; "Basic Field Manual: First Aid for Soldiers"; "Basic Field Manual: Soldier's Handbook"; "Medical Field Manual: Field Sanitation"; "Medical Field

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Manual: Splints, Appliances, and Bandages"; "Medical Field Manual: Transportation of the Sick and Wounded"; "Military Dictionary: English-French, French-English"; "Military Dictionary: English-Italian, Italian-English"; "Technical Manual: Basic Photography"; "Technical Manual: Graves Registration"; "Technical Manual: Guides to Therapy for Medical Officers"; "Technical Manual: Italian Phrase Book"; "Technical Manual: Medical Department Soldier's Handbook"; "Technical Manual: Methods for Laboratory Technicians"; and "Technical Manual: Surveying."

- 148** Contains some publications from both Markham and Brodgen. Included are copies of *Britain Magazine* from November 1942 to January 1945. The remaining twelve publications belonged to Markham and are written in foreign languages: *Ercolano*; *Ricordo di Spezia*; *U.S.A.*; *Les Guides Bleus Illustres Tunis et Ses Environs*; *Il Santuario di S. Gennaro alla Solfatara*; *R. Universita di Padova*; *The Uffizi A.B.C.*; *L'Algerie*; *Arzeu a Travers L'Histoire*; *Villa D'Este*; *Vedvte di Roma*; *Palermo*; and *Prima Mostra Triennale*.

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[149-152] William Pittman Ricks Papers

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. William Pittman Ricks of Rocky Mount in the U.S. Navy during and after World War II. Ricks was born July 21, 1914, the second son of Wilson Whitaker and Sallie Pittman Ricks of Rocky Mount. His brothers, Robert Henry Ricks ("Bob," born 1909) and Joseph Burton Ricks ("Burt," born 1918), also served during the war and figure prominently in his wartime correspondence. Bill Ricks attended Riverside Military Academy of Gainesville, Georgia, from 1930 to 1932, and graduated from Duke University in 1936. Soon thereafter, he went to work for Liggett and Myers Tobacco Company, a lifelong association he maintained even after his retirement in 1979. While attending the tobacco market in Waycross, Georgia, in 1937, Ricks met Jurelle ("Judy") Mullis Selby, a twenty-year-old mother of a two-year-old boy (James Edward Selby). They maintained a summer friendship during his subsequent annual trips to Waycross. The

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friendship would kindle to romance during an exchange of wartime letters.

Ricks enlisted in the U.S. Navy on January 16, 1942, and assigned a rating of storekeeper third class. After boot camp, he was posted to the navy yard at Charleston as an assistant to the base chaplain and librarian. The earliest surviving letter to his mother, dated July 20, 1942, was written from Charleston. Other letters to his mother that year were postmarked Key West, Norfolk, New Orleans, and the Canal Zone. During a voyage from New Orleans to the Naval Air Station in Panama, Ricks recorded notes for a diary, but there is no evidence that he maintained a daily journal during his time in the service. In Panama, he reported for duty aboard the destroyer, *USS J. Fred Talbott*, and commenced a six-months tour of the Caribbean. On April 10, 1943, Ricks was promoted to ensign.

The young officer spent the following year receiving additional training, first general instruction at the Fleet Sound School in Key West and at Fort Schuyler, New York, followed by specific schooling in amphibious landings at Little Creek, Virginia, and Fort Pierce,

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Florida. In June 1944, he was promoted to lieutenant, j.g., and assigned the duties of a small boat group commander aboard the *USS Chara*. Seven weeks later, Ricks was appointed a full lieutenant. He participated in the amphibious landings in Leyte Gulf in October 1944; his pocket notebook containing briefing instructions for the operation is included in this collection.

In November 1944, Lt. Ricks was transferred to the staff of Commodore C. G. Richardson, commander of Transport Squadron 14, aboard the *USS Cavalier*. In the capacity of assistant control officer, he participated in subsequent landings in the Philippines and the invasion of Okinawa on April 1-4, 1945. The draft of his report of that landing operation is contained in this collection.

The bulk of the personal correspondence between the summer of 1942 and late spring of 1944 consists of periodic letters from Ricks to his mother. But in May and June, he initiated the exchange of increasingly romantic missives with Judy Selby, who he last saw in the summer of 1941. Finally, in April 1945, Ricks obtained a three-weeks furlough, during which time he

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Schuyler, New York, 1943; rating description for storekeeper third class; and photographs and capsule histories of vessels on which Ricks served; "Geographia" War Atlas of the World; officer correspondence course in logistics, 1955, and Ricks's answers to the test questions, 1957; certificates from Duke University, 1933, and the U.S. Navy, 1943, 1945; commission as a lieutenant in the Naval Reserve, 1949; Ricks family genealogical material; certificates, physical examination report, registration card, memorandum re. misbehavior by Ricks and other students, and invitation to commencement exercises, Riverside Military Academy, Gainesville, Georgia, 1930-1932; typescript history of the Sagamore Club, Rocky Mount, written by Ricks, ca. 1982; and miscellaneous, including *The Duke Phi* (newsletter), March 1, 1933; invitation to commencement exercises at Duke University, 1936; two maps of San Francisco; napkin from the Domino Club, San Francisco; Southern Pacific

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152 (cont.) ticket envelope, 1943; notes concerning illness of Judy Ricks, January 1989; newsletter of the USS *J. Fred Talbot* Association, December 1991 (some pages missing); and issue of the *L & M Newsletter*, October 1999, announcing the death of Ricks, the first editor of the newsletter.

153 T. Jack Boenninghofen Papers.

Contains ninety-four V-mail letters to TSgt. T. Jack Boenninghofen, 184th Quartermaster Depot Company, U.S. Army, from his parents in Portsmouth, Virginia, and from friends and relatives in California, Illinois, Maryland, Virginia, and Wisconsin, 1943-1945.

Martha Westray Battle Boyce (Long) Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Col. Martha Westray Battle Boyce (Long) of Rocky Mount, director of the Women's Army Corps from 1945 to 1947, including separation qualification record, 1947; citations for Legion of Merit and oak leaf cluster; letter to Colonel Boyce from Dwight D. Eisenhower, 1947; autographed photograph of Eisenhower; commission as colonel in Officers' Reserve Corps, 1952; program, dedication of highway historical marker re. Boyce, 1999; and typescript biographical sketch, n.d.

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Ertle James Lawson Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Pfc. Ertle James Lawson of Robeson County in the 16th Infantry, 1st Division, U.S. Army, during World War II, including thirty-one photographs; a picture postcard; a book titled, *The Unity of the Tyrol* (1946); and a copy of a poem titled, "World War Two 1940-1945 - France, Germany, Austria," written by Lawson.

Albert C. Lewis Papers.

Albert Chalmus Lewis (1939-2005) of Wilson, N.C., enlisted in the U.S. Army in October 1939. He trained and

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153 (cont.) eventually served as a paratrooper during World War II, a member of the 509th Parachute Infantry Battalion - the first American parachute battalion to deploy overseas. Lewis's training took place at Fort Jackson, S.C., in 1941, and at Fort Benning, Ga., in 1942. From 1942 to 1944, he was deployed overseas where he was stationed and completed missions in North Africa and Italy. After being badly injured behind enemy lines during a reconnaissance mission in Italy, Lewis was honorably discharged from service in 1945. Papers and materials reflecting the service of Pvt. Albert Chalmus Lewis in the 509th Parachute Infantry Battalion during World War II include official military correspondence (1943-1954), regarding return to civilian life, permission slips to be absent from headquarters, readjustment allowance, and discharge records; copy of training program; identification cards (1942-1945): one issued by the Adjutant General, U.S. Army, signed by Lewis (1942) with fingerprints and photograph; one issued by the Veterans Administration that includes file and payee number for VA reference; a registration certificate card (1945); and a pocket-sized copy of Lewis's honorable discharge papers; souvenir photographs (undated, 1942?) from The Village Barn Restaurant and Jimmy Kelly's - both in New York City - with the female companions in two of the photographs cut out; personal correspondence (1945) from Betty and Joe Boudreau, Fort Jackson, S.C., to Lewis in Wilson; various newspaper clippings; map of Southern Italy, *Albano Laziale* (1943) published by the War Office [removed and filed

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as MilColl.WWII.Maps.62]; undated tickets or "chits" from Rainbow Room, Phenix City, Ala., and Le Royal, Tunisia; humorous typescripts authored by Lewis; miscellaneous practical joke material, "Hit Kit" lyrics booklet published by the U.S. War Department, handwritten list of Lewis's military accomplishments; poetry written by Lewis titled, "My Dream Girl," "The Paratrooper," and "The Guy's Who Know"; 59 photographs (1941-1944), including ones of Ft. Jackson, S.C. (1941), general military training and exercises, Ft. Benning (1942, 2 envelopes), paratrooper exercises, North Africa (1942, 1943), general military patrol, Italy (1943,

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153 (cont.) 1944), friends and acquaintances, Washington, D.C. (1944), tourist and personal photographs, Company M, 120th Infantry (April 1941), and a panoramic, Ft. Jackson, S.C. [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.24]; *Service Prayer Book: with Bible Readings, Hymns and Order of Worship*, National Lutheran Council, 1940; *Tlemecen and Its Environs: a Guidebook*, The Syndicat D'Initiative of Tlemecen, 1924; U.S. Signal Corps message book (undated), notes taken during patrol duties; and seven military badges, including American flag, USA, eagles, paratroopers, "509 Geronimo," etc.

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Douglas F. Osborne Papers.

Contains letter from 2nd Lt. Douglas F. Osborne, U.S. Army, European Theater, to Senator J. Hampton Price of Leaksville (Rockingham County), December 12, 1943.

154 Eugene Hinkle Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T.Sgt. Eugene Hinkle of Alamance County in the U.S. Army Air Forces. Hinkle served as an aerial engineer in the European Theater in the 301st Troop Carrier Squadron, 441st Troop Carrier Group, Ninth Air Force. Collection includes Hinkle's honorable discharge and report of separation; separation qualification record; certificate of training in aircraft maintenance, 1943; diploma from course in airplane mechanics from the USAAF Technical Training Command, 1943; authorization for allotment of pay, 1944; identification

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card; draft registration cards; copies of general orders re. battle honors for the 441st Troop Carrier Group for service in the D-Day landings, June 1944, and award of the air medal to Hinkle and others for meritorious service in September 1944; annual of the 441st Troop Carrier Group, 1944; service flag for display in the window of soldier's family home ("Serving in the U.S. Air Forces"); 39 issues of *Yank* magazine: July 9,

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154 (cont.) 1944 (British edition); March 23, 30, April 6, 13, 20, May 4, 11, 18, 25, June 15, 22, 29, July 6, 13, 20, 27, August 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, September 7, 14, 21, 28, October 5, 12, 19, 26, November 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, December 7, 14, 21, and 28, 1945; June 6, 1944 issue of the *Burlington Daily Times*; November 13, 1915, and March 31, 1917 issues of the *Chicago Ledger*; and the November 13, 1915 issue of *The Saturday Blade* (Chicago).

[155-162] Walter E. Shackelford Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Lt. Walter E. Shackelford of Durham in the U.S. Navy during World War II and afterwards in the Naval Reserve. Shackelford was born March 24, 1920, the son of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Shackelford of Durham. He graduated from Durham High School in 1938 and enrolled at Duke University, where he earned an A.B. degree in 1942. He was president of the Men's Glee Club during his senior year. In January 1942, Shackelford enlisted in the U.S. Naval Reserve and in October was assigned to the Midshipmen's School at Columbia University in New York. Commissioned an ensign in January 1943, he attended a post-graduate communications course at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis. In July, he was ordered to report to the commandant of the Twelfth Naval District in San Francisco. He shipped out as staff communications officer of Destroyer Squadron Twelve aboard the USS *Farenholt* (DD-491), flagship of the squadron, in October. He was promoted to lieutenant (junior grade) in April 1944. Shackelford saw action in the Pacific Theater aboard the U.S.S. *Farenholt* and the USS *Buchanan*, and by war's end had earned nine service stars. He remained in the Naval Reserve after the war, was appointed lieutenant in November 1945, and attended Officers' Training Corps school at the University of Illinois. In 1947, he enrolled in the photographic technology

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program at the Rochester Institute of Technology, where he graduated in May 1949. He returned to Durham and established himself as a professional photographer. Continuing his service in the Naval Reserve, he was assigned to Intelligence Unit

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#6-1-8, stationed in Durham, in May 1951. The following year, he married Florence Pearce of Milford, Delaware. In 1954, he was promoted to lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve. Wartime correspondents of Shackelford included his parents, primarily his mother, and siblings, two brothers and a sister. After May 1944, the surviving correspondence is dominated by an exchange of letters between Lt. Shackelford ("Shack") and Peggy Taylor of Tennessee, whom he had met at Duke University before entering the service. However, the budding romance did not survive the war's end.

On September 29, 1945, Lieutenant Shackelford was among the American officers who accepted the surrender of Japanese forces on the island of Miyako Shima. As a memento of the event, he received a samurai sword from a Japanese lieutenant. In the early 1980s, Shackelford determined to return the sword to its rightful owner. From a piece of cloth attached to the sword, he identified the Japanese officer as Takuya Seno. He wrote to Seno in August 1983 and received a favorable response from the former lieutenant, who had been given the sword by his father when he received his military commission. A year later, Shackelford and his son traveled to Japan and presented the sword to its original owner. In 1987, Seno and his family visited the Shackelfords in Durham. The two erstwhile belligerents remained close friends until Seno's death in 2004.

- 155 Personal Correspondence, August 1942 - June 1944.
- 156 Personal Correspondence, July 1944 - June 1945.
- 157 Personal Correspondence, July 1945 - 2009, n.d.
- 158 Official Correspondence and Miscellaneous Military and
 Personal Files.
 Contains official correspondence and military papers,
 1942-1947, n.d.; "Press News," written by Shackelford
 aboard the USS *Farenholt*, 1943-1945; historical

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- 158 (cont.) materials re. the USS *Farenholt*; map of the Pacific Ocean showing the routes of the several cruises of the USS *Farenholt*, 1942-1945 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.63]; humorous writings; military chits; miscellaneous military materials; correspondence and newspaper clippings re. return of captured samurai sword to its Japanese owner, 1983-1984 [see Box 181 for photographs]; speeches given by Shackelford; miscellaneous records re. Duke University, Durham High School, Durham Rotary Club, and the North Carolina Military Historical Society; miscellaneous personal papers; patriotic writings copied from the Internet; patriotic writings re. the U.S. flag; and periodicals, including *Duke Magazine* (January-February 2009), *Preservation Durham* newsletter (Winter 2001), and *Town and Country* (July 1991).
- 159 Veterans' Associations and Reunions, 1981-2009.
 Includes USS *Farenholt* Association newsletters, correspondence, and reunion materials, 1981-2009; U.S. Naval Reserve Intelligence Unit #6-1-8 reunion in Raleigh, 2000; and U.S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School reunions, 2000-2006 [see Box 181 for photographs of these events].
- 160 Photographs and News Clippings.
 Includes portraits of Shackelford; photographs and negatives of World War II, including the surrender ceremony at Miyako Shima, September 29, 1945, at which Lt. Shackelford received a samurai sword from a Japanese officer (whom he later identified as Takuya Seno); photographs of the sword, Seno and his family, and Shackelford and his family during the return of the sword to its owner; photographs of U.S. Naval Reserve Intelligence Unit #6-1-8; photographs from the 1985, 1987, and 1995 reunions of the USS *Farenholt* Association; miscellaneous photographs; and news clippings.

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- 161** Publications.
Includes *Side Boy*, yearbook of the tenth class, U.S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, New York, 1942; *Pass in Review*, spiral-bound history of the U.S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, New York, 1940-1945; *Saga of the Fightin' F, USS Farenholt (DD491), Flagship of DesRon Twelve*, n.d.; and two spiral-bound histories of the USS *Farenholt* and Desron Twelve, composed of copies of historical documents compiled and edited by John J. Miller, ship's historian, 1998. Four books - *Your Kids and Mine*, by Joe E. Brown (Garden City, N.Y.: Doubleday, Doran and Co., 1944); *Admiral Arleigh (31-Knot) Burke: The Story of a Fighting Sailor*, by Ken Jones and Hubert Kelley Jr. (Philadelphia: Chilton Books, 1962); *The Home Front: Five Hundred Ways to Save Time Labor Money, 1881-1941*, by Janet Camp Troxell (New York: Hastings House, 1941); and *The Leathernecks Come Through*, by W. Wyeth Willard, 4th ed. (New York: Fleming H. Revell Company, 1944) - were removed and filed in the Military Collection Library.
- 162** Oversized Prints.
Contains sketch of the USS *Farenholt* (DD-491) by E. J. Thias, 1993; and set of twelve historical prints by the U.S. Naval Institute, Annapolis, Maryland.
- 163** **Thomas D. Bunn Papers.**

Contains signed copy of softbound book, *Earthly and Spiritual Struggles*, by Thomas Davis "Buck" Bunn of Raleigh (Wake County), recounting his service as a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army Air Forces during World War II, the history of the Bunn family, his education at Wake Forest College, and his legal and political careers.
- Lacy Bryant Hall Jr. Papers.**

Papers reflecting the service of S.Sgt. Lacy Bryant ("June" or "Jack") Hall of Burlington (Alamance County) in the 500th Bomb Squadron, 345th Bomb Group, U.S. Army

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163 (cont.) Air Forces, who was shot down over the Celebes on September 2, 1944. He was initially listed as missing in action but soon thereafter was declared dead. Papers include personal correspondence, 1942, 1944; official correspondence, 1943-1960, n.d.; notices of classification; photographs; diploma from Army Air Forces Flexible Gunnery School, 1942; appointment as sergeant, 1942; instructions for assembling and disassembling a gun; Thanksgiving dinner menu, Key Field, Meridian, Mississippi, 1942; pocket New Testament; news clippings; Air Force insignia attached to mirror; map of the United States marked to show Hall's trips across; program from memorial service, Hocutt Memorial Baptist Church, Burlington, 1947; article by Hall's niece, Tammy Hall Shropshire, concerning her uncle and his papers; copies of papers from Orange County special proceeding re. the guardianship of his son, 1951; and copies of materials about Hall collected by Shropshire, including letters from former airmen who served with him.

Milton James Lee Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Milton James Lee of Faison (Duplin County) in the U.S. Army, including soldier's individual pay record, 1942-1943; notice of classification; draft registration card; postcard to his mother from New Mexico, 1938; letter to his father from North Africa, 1942; five pieces of foreign currency; war ration book; pocket-sized Bible; manual: *Soldier's Handbook*, 1941; booklet: *Guide to Army-Navy Ribbons of the United States*, 1946; panoramic photograph of Company C, 67th Quartermaster Battalion, Fort Bragg, June 13, 1942 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.25]; and program from Lee's memorial service, 2012.

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[164-193] George E. Hicks Papers.

George E. Hicks is the former CEO of the National Civil War Museum, director of the Airmen Memorial Museum, and director of the Museum and Historical Services Division of the Greenwich Workshop, Inc., in which capacity he served as coordinating producer of the video, *Enola Gay: The First Atomic Mission*, which was included in *The Final Act* exhibit at the

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National Air and Space Museum (NASM), 1994-1995. The George E. Hicks Papers contain research files, including copies of official documents, diaries, crew reminiscences, and correspondence; photographs; transcripts of oral interviews; U.S. Air Force unit histories; newspaper and magazine critiques of the controversial exhibit at NASM; script of the exhibit; DVDs; and audiocassettes.

This collection covers many aspects of the development and use of atomic bombs in 1945. Therefore many different codenames were used to describe the people, places, and events that occurred during this time. The Manhattan Project was the research and development project that eventually led to the creation of the atomic bomb, starting in 1939. Trinity was the code name for the first test of the atomic bomb that took place on July 16, 1945. Silverplate was the code name for U.S. Army Air Forces participation in the Manhattan Project. Originally it was just an airplane modification project that would allow B-29 bombers to carry and drop the atomic bombs, but it eventually grew to include operational and training aspects as well.

When using this collection, it will also be helpful to know the names of the planes used to drop the atomic bombs, as well as the crew members involved. Of the B-29 planes used in the atomic missions, *The Great Artiste* was the only plane to fly on both missions. It was used to take photographs and drop scientific instruments used to measure different aspects of the atomic bombs. The crew on *The Great Artiste* for the Hiroshima mission was Crew C-15, the normally assigned crew. However, the crew on *The Great Artiste* for the Nagasaki mission was Crew C-13, the crew normally assigned to *Bockscar*. Because of last minute scheduling changes, the crews for *Bockscar* and *The Great Artiste* were switched for the Nagasaki mission.

The crewmembers of the *Enola Gay* were Col. Paul W. Tibbets Jr. (pilot and aircraft commander), Capt. Robert A. Lewis (co-pilot), Maj. Thomas Ferebee (bombardier), Capt. Theodore "Dutch" Van Kirk

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(navigator), Capt. William S. "Deak" Parsons (weaponer and bomb commander), Lt. Jacob Beser (radar countermeasures), 2nd Lt. Morris R. Jeppson (assistant weaponer), T.Sgt. George R. "Bob" Caron (tail gunner), T.Sgt. Wyatt E. Duzenbury (flight engineer), Sgt. Joe S. Stiborik (radar operator), Sgt. Robert H. Shumard (assistant flight engineer), and PFC Richard H. Nelson (VHF radio operator). The members of Crew C-13 were [Capt. Frederick C. Bock](#) (aircraft commander), 1st Lt. Hugh C. Ferguson (co-pilot), 1st Lt. Leonard A. Godfrey (navigator), 1st Lt.

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Charles Levy (bombardier), M.Sgt. Roderick F. Arnold (flight engineer), Sgt. Ralph D. Belanger (assistant flight engineer), Sgt. Ralph D. Curry (radio operator), Sgt. William C. Barney (radar operator), and Sgt. Robert J. Stock (tail gunner). The members of Crew C-15 were [Maj. Charles W. Sweeney](#) (aircraft commander), [Capt. Charles Donald Albury](#) (co-pilot), [2nd Lt. Fred Olivi](#) (regular co-pilot), [Capt. James Van Pelt](#) (navigator), [Capt. Kermit Beahan](#) (bombardier), [M.Sgt. John D. Kuharek](#) (flight engineer), [S.Sgt. Ray Gallagher](#) (gunner, assistant flight engineer), [S.Sgt. Edward Buckley](#) (radar operator), [Sgt. Abe Spitzer](#) (radio operator), [Sgt. Albert Dehart](#) (tail gunner), [Cmdr. Frederick L. Ashworth](#) (weaponeer), [Lt. Philip Barnes](#) (assistant weaponeer), and [2nd Lt. Jacob Beser](#) (radar countermeasures).

The collection is divided into two separate series. The first series contains materials related to the Smithsonian's National Air and Space Museum's proposed exhibit commemorating the *Enola Gay* and the fiftieth anniversary of the dropping of the atomic bombs on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. The exhibit, scheduled to open in 1995, was a point of controversy between the National Air and Space Museum (NASM) and veterans' groups, particularly the Air Force Association. The exhibit was eventually scaled down drastically because of public outcry. The various materials in the George E. Hicks Papers related to the controversy include newspaper clippings, articles Hicks authored against the opening of the exhibit, and the original exhibit and layout script as proposed by NASM. The materials that were received in labeled folders were kept in their original order and retain the titles assigned them by Hicks.

The second series in the George E. Hicks Papers contains materials related to a documentary that Hicks made about the atomic bombs dropped on Japan in 1945. These include his research files; interviews with the crew of the *Enola Gay*, *Bockscar*, and *The Great Artiste*; publications related to the atomic bomb; and photographs.

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The photographs included are mostly of crew members, with occasional photographs of their family members and other armed services personnel. As with the previous series, these materials have been labeled exactly as Hicks had them.

Series 1: Materials related to the National Air and Space Museum exhibit on the *Enola Gay* and the Atomic Bomb

164 contains a softbound collection of documents titled, "The Enola Gay Debate: August 1993-May 1995," compiled by the Air Force Association, and three softbound volumes compiled by the Air Force Association

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titled, "Enola Gay Coverage," as of December 7, 1994, May 9, 1995, and August 28, 1995.

165 contains a softbound collection of "Documents in the Enola Gay Controversy, January 23, 1995," compiled by the Air Force Association; and miscellaneous articles, speeches, testimony, and correspondence related to the *Enola Gay* exhibit controversy.

166 contains the NASM Enola Gay exhibition label script as released in 1994; an article by George E. Hicks titled, "The Enola Gay Controversy"; an undated speech on the subject by Hicks; and Hicks's handwritten notes.

167 contains materials that Hicks included in two research binders labeled, "NASM Exhibit on the Enola Gay I" and "NASM Exhibit on the Enola Gay II." These folders contain articles published in various newspapers and journals, as well as research materials on the restoration of the *Enola Gay*.

168 contains various folders that Hicks included in three research binders labeled, "NASM Exhibit on the Enola Gay III," "NASM Exhibit on the Enola Gay IV," and "NASM Exhibit on the Enola Gay V." These materials include copies of articles and his personal research.

Series 2: Hicks's research files concerning the *Enola Gay*, *Bockscar*, and the Atomic Bomb

[169-170] contain photographs that Hicks gathered during his research. These materials were arranged in two series of alphabetical subject files and have been kept in their original

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order and labeled as Hicks had them. These include photographs of the crew members and scientists; Hiroshima and Nagasaki before and after the atomic bombs were dropped; and miscellaneous events and people.

169 Subseries 1:

- 5th Air Force Headquarters, Colorado
- 509th Composite Group
- Albury [Capt. Charles D.]
- American Home Front
- Atomic Bomb Project
- B-17 Europe

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B-29 Nose Art
B-29 Production
B-29 Program
Battista Field
Battle of the Bulge
Beahan [Capt. Kermit K.]
Bockscar
Bockscar Group Shots
Bockscar: Waiting for Plane
C-54 Transport
Chianti Bottle, Chicago
Critical Pile, Chicago
Critical Pile, Scientists
Doolittle's Raid on Tokyo
Dutch Van Kirk
Eglin Field, 1938
Enola Gay
Enola Gay Group Shots
Fermi, Chicago
Great Artiste, The
Groves [Maj. Gen. Leslie R.]
Halen Payette
Hirohito
Hiroshima - Aerial
Hiroshima - Post Drop
Iowa
Lemay [Maj. Gen. Curtis E.]
Miami/Hiaceph
Miscellaneous

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169 (cont.) Nagasaki Blast
Nagasaki Damage
Pacific Islands
Pullman, Illinois
Saipan, 1945
Stagg Field, Chicago
Sweeney [Maj. Charles W.]
Tibbets [Col. Paul W.]
Tinian and the 509th
Tinian Briefing
Tinian Miscellaneous
Tinian Post Drop

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Tinian - Waiting for the Enola Gay
Tokyo
Tokyo Rose
Tom Ferebee
Trinity Test
Truman

170 Subseries 1 (cont.):

U.S. into Rome
U.S. Men Train: New York Stock Exchange
Various Group Shots of Men
War in Europe
War in the Pacific
War Posters
Wendover [Air Force Base] - 509th Departure

Subseries 2:

Bikini Island Tests; Nagasaki from The Great Artiste and
the Ground
Crew Members (3 folders)
Enola Gay, Bockscar, and Miscellaneous B-29s
Ground Shots of Crew Members
Hiroshima, Nagasaki, and Japanese People
Miscellaneous

National Archives

Negatives and Slides
Portraits
Tibbets, Paul - personal
Trinity Test, Nagasaki and Hiroshima Bomb Drops

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[171-178] contain folders that Hicks created related to the history of World War II and background information that explains events leading up to the dropping of the atomic bombs on Japan. This includes Project, Silverplate, Los Alamos, Japan, and the 509th Composite Bombardment Group. The subject files are arranged in rough chronological order. Boxes 177-178 contain unit histories of the 509th Composite Bombardment Group and other organizations.

171 A-Bomb History

Campbell, Richard H.: History of Atomic Weapons
Manhattan District History: Investigation of the after
effects of the bombing in Japan

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The Manhattan Project Overview:

The Beginning

Cyclotrons: excerpts from unidentified article

Deitch, Kenneth M.: "Introduction," August 23, 1994

Goldberg, Stanley: "Inventing a Climate of Opinion:

Vannevar Bush and the Decision to Build the Bomb," 1992

Groves, Leslie R.: excerpts from *Now it Can Be Told*

and addresses given by Groves and Capt. F. L. Ashworth at the
Conference on Atomic Energy, September 23, 1946

Manhattan Engineer District: "The Atomic Bombings of
Hiroshima and Nagasaki"

Oppenheimer, J. Robert, and the Politicians

Shelton, Frank: excerpts from *Reflections of a Nuclear
Weaponer*, 1988

The Planes

U.S. Department of Energy: *The Manhattan Project:
Making the Atomic Bomb*, 1994

White House Press Release on Hiroshima, August 6, 1945

Los Alamos Files:

Log of Phone Calls, October 7, 1944-October 1, 1945

"The Yields of the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Nuclear
Explosions," by John Malik

172 Los Alamos Files:

Miscellaneous

Nexus:

Formation of 509th Bomb Group, Personnel, and Ordnance
Trinity Test, July 27, 1945

Box No. **Contents**

172 (cont.) Pumpkins (blockbusters): reports and correspondence
concerning, 1944-1946

History: Silverplate I

History: Silverplate II

173 Silverplate Current: includes *Project W-47*, by James Les
Rowe, 1978

Interim Committee: minutes of meetings, May-July 1945

Special Ordnance Squadron: correspondence concerning, 1944-
1945

Mission Planning Summary, 509th Composite Group, 1945

Targets, July 20-August 14, 1945: Tactical Mission Report,

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- 20th Air Force
Operational Aircraft Requirements (B-29)
Crews: *Enola Gay*, *The Great Artiste*, *Bockscar*
Pre Mission Planes and Crews
- 174 War in the Pacific
Potsdam Declaration, July 17, 1945 (?)
Tinian:
 The Island
 509th Bombardment Group, 1945
 Final Plans - Crews, Planes, etc.
 B-29s - The Planes
- 175 Hiroshima - Telecoms, Dispatches, Memos, August 3-10, 1945
Nagasaki - Telecoms, Dispatches, Memos, August 8-10, 1945
Bombing Results, Hiroshima and Nagasaki: September 1945
ULTRA: excerpts from *The Invasion of Japan*, by John Skates
Future Japanese Targets
Japanese Surrender
Demobilization and Disarmament of Japan
History Textbooks, American and Japanese
Japanese Bomb
Japanese History
- 176 World Reaction to Bomb Drops
Various Newspaper Articles - Reaction to Bombings
News Media Reviews of Bombings, various dates
Japanese Reaction to Bombings

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- 177 509th Bombardment Group History I
509th Bombardment Group History II
509th Bombardment Group History III
509th Pictorial Album
- 178 509th Bombardment Group Reunions
509th Bombardment Group - Notes on phone calls by Hicks to
 former members of group, December 1, 1994
8th Air Force
20th Air Force
97th Bomb Group, "Red Gremlin"
390th Air Service Group

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393rd Bombardment Group
603rd Air Engineering Squadron

179 contains materials regarding Hicks's sources and general facts and statistics about World War II.

Sources I:

American Friends Service Committee, Video and Film
Library
Department of Energy Publications
Hiroshima Peace Memorial Museum: *The Outline of Atomic
Bomb Damage in Hiroshima*, September 1994
National Archives
Pacific Historical Maps
Singer, Joel David: *The Wages of War, 1816-1965: A
Statistical Handbook* (excerpts)
Tibbets, Brig. Gen. Paul H.

Sources II: The U.S. Military Academy Library

A-bomb History Sources

U.S. Government Reports (Strategic Bombing Surveys):
Hiroshima, Japan Field Report, 1945
The Effects of the Atomic Bomb on Hiroshima, Japan,
vol. 1, 1947

Briefing the Senate on WWII Atomic Project

Super Facts WWII

WWII Causes

WWII General

WWII Statistics:

Casualties

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179 (cont.) Cost of Men at Arms Worldwide
Gallup Polls, 1944, 1945, 1949, 1950, 1951
Goralski, Robert: *World War II Almanac, 1931-1945*
(excerpts)
Induction of Selective Service Registrants, WWI -
Vietnam, Selective Service, Department of Defense

[180-183] contain research files related to various crew members and participants in the Manhattan Project. Hicks labeled these according to the person they relate to, and these folders have all retained their original title. These files include diaries, correspondence, official documents, and biographical information. In many cases, there are

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identical documents in multiple folders if the information pertains to more than one person.

- 180 Albury, 1st Lt. Charles D. - Pilot
Ashworth, Cmdr. Frederick L. - Weaponier
Beser, 1st Lt. Jacob - Radio Control
Bock, Maj. Frederick C.
Caron, Bob
Davis, Doug
Downey, Chaplain W. B.
Ferebee, Maj. Thomas W. - Bombardier
Gallagher, M.Sgt. Raymond - Asst. Flight Engineer
Groves, Leslie R., Gen.
 Bomb Codes and Memos: December 19, 1944-June 13, 1945
 Memos: April 17-July 19, 1945
 Memos: Air Force Historical Research Agency
 Memo from Col. John N. Stone to General Arnold
 Telecons: September 7-December 29, 1944
 Telecons: January 18-August 6, 1945
 Telecons: August 7-October 1, 1945
 Media: New
 Media: Old
 Death
- 181 Groves, Leslie R., Gen. (cont.)
 Columbia University Oral History Project
 George C. Marshall Foundation
 National Archives: Groves's Diary
 Jeppson, Morris R.

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- 181 (cont.) Nelson, Lyle A. - Navigator
 Olivi, Lt. Fred J. - Co-pilot
 Parsons, Deak
 Ramsey, Norman
 Stimson, Henry L.: Diaries and Papers
 Sweeney, Maj. Charles W. - Mission Commander
- 182 Tibbets, Brig. Gen. Paul W.
 Biography
 Correspondence
 Interviews with George E. Hicks
 Mission Record

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Oral History, Maxwell Air Force Base, 1966
Oral History, U.S. Air Force, February 7, 1985
Orders

Personal:

Contacts, Women
Speeches/Memories
Post War Articles
George E. Hicks notes re. "The Tibbets Story"
Oral Interview with Robert del Tredici
Interviews, other

Promotions

183 Van Kirk, Capt. Theodore J. - Navigator: Service Records
and Mission Reports

Van Pelt, Capt. James F. - Navigator
509th Composite Bomb Group Roster and Letters to the Men

[184-185] contain transcriptions of oral interviews. These folders retain the original labels assigned to them by Hicks. Box 184 contains transcriptions of interviews conducted by Hicks and his colleagues at the Greenwich Workshop, Inc. Box 185 contains transcription of subsequent interviews conducted by Hicks with Paul Tibbets, Dick Nelson, and Dutch Van Kirk.

184 Greenwich Workshop, Inc.:

Artwork Documentary
Production Transcript, "The Men Who Brought the Dawn,"
1995
Documentary Interviews I

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184 (cont.) Transcription: Silverplate - Chicago
Transcription: Silverplate Atomic Mission
Transcription: Silverplate at Wendover, Utah - Dick
Nelson
Transcription: Silverplate at Wendover, Utah - Dutch
Van Kirk
Transcription: Silverplate Atomic Mission
Transcription: Atomic Mission
Transcription: Tom Ferebee
Transcription: Don Albury, pool stand up
Interview and transcription notes

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- 185 George Hicks interviews:
 Paul W. Tibbets Jr.
 Dick Nelson
 Dutch Van Kirk

[186-190] contain miscellaneous research materials collected by Hicks. These include correspondence, surveys, archival material, and research files concerning individuals who were not crew members or Manhattan Project participants.

- 186 Materials from Air Force Historical Research Agency,
 Maxwell Air Force Base, collected by Richard H. Campbell:
 October 30, 1995
 November 2, 1995
 January 18, 1996
Maxwell Air Force Base Archives I: interview with Brig.
 Gen. Paul W. Tibbets Jr., February 7, 1985
Maxwell Air Force Base Archives II
Maxwell Air Force Base Archives III
Maxwell Air Force Base: Air War College Research Report, "I
 Will Never Forget," by Col. Harold E. Johnson, 1981
- 187 Airmen Memorial Museum: Surveys of Veterans of World War II
 and Korea
 BBC
 Ent Air Field, Colorado Springs, Colorado
 Florida State Archives
 Greer, Thomas H., *The Development of Air Doctrine in the
 Army Air Arm, 1917-1941*

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- 187 (cont.) *Kwajalein Crossroads*: orientation booklet, 1947
 Marquardt, George W., personal history re. Photo Plane #19
 Reese, Lee Fleming
 Smithsonian Videohistory Collection
 U.S. Army Center of Military History: Directory of
 Federal Military Museums, 1993
 West Point
 Wright-Patterson Archives
 Wu, Tien-wei

- 188 Miscellaneous Articles

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- 189 Correspondence: copies of Dick Nelson's letters to home
Miscellaneous Correspondence
Miscellaneous Materials and Notes
Audiocassette tapes:
 "Atomic Bomb Missions Aug. 6 & 9, 1945, Narrated by
 Ray Gallagher (a Crew Member)"
 "W.G.N. Radio Extension 720: the 43rd Anniversary of
 the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Atomic Bombing Missions."
VHS tape:
 "China Crisis" (Army Air Force film)
 "Stillwell Road" (Army Pictorial Service Signal Corps)
 "The Commanders: Bill Slim, Field Marshall, British
 Army."

190 Research Notes

[191-193] contain various publications related to Hicks's research and *The Final Act* exhibit, including magazines, newspaper clippings, copies of articles, and manuscripts.

191 Newspaper Clippings

192 Magazines and Magazine Articles

- 193 Miscellaneous Manuscripts:
 Ashworth, Frederick L.: "The Atomic Bomb Attack on
 Nagasaki, 9 August 1945"

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- 193 (cont.) Campbell, Richard H.: "The 509th Nobody Knows: A Brief
 History of the 509th Composite Group" (includes tactical
 mission report re. bombing missions in July and August,
 1945)
 Coster-Mullen, John: "Little Boy and Fat Man: The
 First Atomic Bombs," 1995
 *Wendover Airport: Master Plan Study, 1990-2010, and
 Historic American Building Survey, 1991*

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194 John W. Bailey Collection.

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Papers reflecting the service of John Wayne Bailey of Henderson (Vance County) and Raleigh (Wake County) in the U.S. Army, including typescript reminiscence titled, "No Laughing Matter"; typescript reminiscence re. Gen. George Patton titled, "A Soldier's Man"; 90th Division and 3rd Army shoulder patches; softbound book: *Report by the Supreme Commander to the Combined Chiefs of Staff on the Operations in Europe of the Allied Expeditionary Force*; pamphlet: "The Doolittle Board Report and Statement by the Secretary of War," 1946; twelve photographs (on three sheets) of Adolf Hitler and Nazi troops; and five clippings from German newspapers, 1940, mounted on heavy paper.

M. Jean Calhoun Collection.

Contains twenty-seven V-mails, 1943-1945, from four soldiers to relatives in Rocky Point and Harmony (Iredell County). Correspondents include Cpl. Bristol Henderson, Battery C, 28th Field Artillery Battalion, U.S. Army, European Theater; Cpl. Roy Merritt, U.S. Army, Pacific Theater; T.Sgt. Thomas Colin Shaver, 366th Squadron, 305th Bomb Group, U.S. Army Air Forces, European Theater; and Cpl. Arthur Virgil Shaver, Company E, 38th Engineers General Service Regiment, U.S. Army, European Theater.

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194 (cont.) Colon William Casper Jr. Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Colon William Casper Jr. of Rocky Mount in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including spiral-bound booklet titled, "His Service Record"; registration form for "The World War II Registry of Remembrances," n.d.; and letter from National Personnel Records Center, 2005, enclosing copies of his honorable discharge and certificate of service.

Kevin Cherry Collection.

Contains Civil Defense form, "Air Raid Post Warden's

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Report"; and "Home Defense Health Kit," 1941, consisting of fold-out "First Aid Chart" and booklet: "Home Defense Health Course."

Charles L. Cranford Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Charles L. Cranford of Farmer (Randolph County) in the 4th Army Repair Unit, U.S. Army Air Forces, including handwritten itinerary of service and photographs.

Don Kennedy Collection.

Contains panoramic photograph of Battery H, 94th Coastal Artillery (Anti-aircraft), Camp Davis, September 1941 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII. Panoramas.26]

Bruce McKeon Collection.

Five issues of *Bureau of Naval Personnel Information Bulletin*: December 1942; June, July 1944; April, June 1945 [the title *All Hands* had been adopted by the June 1945 issue].

William J. Miller Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of William J. Miller of Minnesota and Fayetteville (Cumberland County) in the 5th

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194 (cont.) Tank Destroyer Group, U.S. Army, including typescript account of his service, 2005; two booklets: *5th Tank Destroyer Group History* and *5th Tank Destroyer Group Annex*; sheet of 5th Tank Destroyer Group letterhead paper; booklet: *USFA Special Services: Rest Resorts All Over Austria!*; and two issues of *Yank* magazine, December 23, 30, 1945.

Edmund B. Morrison Collection.

Contains hardback yearbook of the 148th General Hospital, 1942-1943.

Cecil R. Redmond Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of PFC Cecil R. Redmond of New Hope (Iredell County) in the 363rd Infantry, U.S. Army, including letter to his niece Elsie, 1944; three photographs; and a newspaper clipping, 2013.

Edward H. Thomas Papers.

Contains spiral-bound reminiscences titled, *Auburn to Berlin: A World War II Memoir, 1936-1946*, 2005, concerning the service of Lt. Col. (later brigadier general) Edward H. Thomas of South Carolina and Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) in the 1st Special Service Force, U.S. Army, European Theater; and hardback book titled, *The First Special Service Force: A Canadian/American Wartime Alliance: The Devil's Brigade*, by Robert D. Burhans (Dalton, Ga.: Lee Printing Co., Inc., 1985) [removed and filed in Military Collection Library].

Fran Tracy-Walls Collection.

Contains hardback book: *Fort Bragg at War: The Station Complement* (Atlanta: Foote and Davies, 1945).

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195 Rachel Bailey Collection.

Contains special edition of *The Raleigh Times* titled, "History of World War II," dedicated to the memory of Raleigh and Wake County servicemen who died in service, with many photographs.

Patricia Emmett Crumbley Papers.

Contains scrapbook of newspaper and magazine clippings maintained by Patricia Emmett of Durham, 1941-1945; two issues of *The Durham Sun*, December 8, 10, 1941; two issues of *The Raleigh Times*, September 8, 1943, May 8, 1945; issue of *The News and Observer*, August 15, 1945; typescript reminiscence titled, "Memories of World War II"; pamphlets: "Guide for Planning the Local Victory Garden Program," U.S. Office of Civilian Defense; "Victory Gardens," U.S. Department of Agriculture; "Cheese Recipes for Wartime Meals," 1943; "Manual

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for Civilian Defense"; "Real Ideas of Real Housewives on Wartime Living"; and "Questions and Answers on Fighting Fire Bombs," Office of Civilian Defense; war stamp album titled, "Sky Heroes"; card of "Blackout Rules"; war ration books; alcoholic beverage sales permits; gasoline ration check book and window stickers; transportation mileage rations, Carolina Coach Company, Raleigh; and clippings from comic books.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris Collection.

Contains issues (partial) of *The Atlanta Constitution*, August 21, 1944, and *The Stars and Stripes*, March 27, 1945.

Carmine Sacchitello Collection.

Contains seven issues of the *The Stars and Stripes*, August 22, 23, September 11, 28, 30, October 2, 20, 1944.

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196 James A. Jerritt Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Seaman 1/c James Albert Jerritt of Kenansville (Duplin County) in the U.S. Navy, including personal correspondence with his parents, sister Caroline, and friends, 1944-1946, from training bases in Indiana, Illinois, and New York, and from Saipan, where he was stationed from August 1945 to March 1946; and miscellaneous. Jerritt served as a signalman until reassigned as chaplain's assistant in December 1945.

[197-203] Joseph L. and Jane W. Conneen Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Capt. Joseph L. Conneen of New Jersey and Waynesville (Haywood County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including personal correspondence, 1926-1957, n.d., and miscellaneous. Much of the correspondence consists of pre-war letters between Joseph and Jane prior to their marriage in 1942; letters to Jane from other suitors; and correspondence between Jane and her mother, Miriam Walker, both of whom spent considerable time in Europe between the wars.

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- 197 Personal correspondence, 1926-March 1938.
- 198 Personal correspondence, April-December 1938.
- 199 Personal correspondence, 1939.
- 200 Personal correspondence, 1940-1941.
- 201 Personal correspondence, 1942-1944.
- 202 Personal correspondence, January-August 1945.
- 203 Personal correspondence, September 1945-1957, n.d.; and miscellaneous.

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204 Ralph Leon Payne Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Ralph Leon Payne of Reidsville (Rockingham) and Yanceyville (Caswell County) in the 91st Field Artillery, U.S. Army. Corporal Payne was captured in North Africa and spent twenty-seven months as a prisoner of war in German camps. Papers include telegrams; v-mails; letter to his wife re. allotment in her favor, 1942; postal cards; prisoner-of-war personnel information sheet, in German; photographs; picture postcards of scenes in Ireland; panoramic photograph of Battery D, 5th Battalion, 2nd Training Regiment, Field Artillery Replacement Center, Fort Bragg, 3rd cycle, December 6, 1941 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.27]; draft registration notices; newspaper clippings; star removed from service flag of Congregational Christian Church, Reidsville, and presented to Payne, 1947; book: *Honor Roll of Rockingham County, North Carolina*, 1944; and pocket-size book: *Strength for Service to God and Country*.

Lane R. Presley Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Lane R. Presley of Arden (Buncombe County) in the U.S. Army Air Forces, including eighteen aircraft recognition charts [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.9]; seven issues of *Army Talk*:

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Orientation Fact Sheet, 1945; thirteen training guides for group discussions, 1945; orientation guide titled, "Where Are the Yanks?"; nine news maps prepared by the Army Information Branch, 1943, 1945 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.66-74]; *Life* magazine article titled, "The Covers of Time: Leaders' Faces Chart War Progress," 1944; and reproduction of December 7, 1941, issue of the *Honolulu Star-Bulletin*.

Barnie Lewis Ray Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Barnie Lewis Ray of Burlington (Alamance County) in the U.S. Army, including notices of classification, 1941, and induction, 1943;

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204 (cont.) picture postcards from training camps at Fort Bragg and Camp Wheeler; photographs and picture postcards from Italy, France, Switzerland, and the Philippines; correspondence from the War Department to his wife concerning his recovery from wounds, 1944-1945; insignia and medals; foreign paper currency; program and menu, Christmas dinner at Camp Wheeler, 1943; issue of *45th Division News*, July 8, 1944; and map of Paris produced by the American Red Cross.

205 Charles Danner Bishop Papers.

Contains spiral-bound autobiography titled, "Memoirs of the War in the Pacific, 1941-1945," relating the service of Charles Danner Bishop of South Carolina, Georgia, and Charlotte (Mecklenburg County) in the U.S. Navy, Pacific Theater.

James L. Chavasse Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Maj. James L. Chavasse of Raleigh (Wake County) in the 403rd Engineer Battalion, U.S. Army, consisting of a typescript letter to his mother, December 8, 1941; photograph; and copy prints of three panoramic photographs: Company C, 403rd Engineer Battalion (Water Supply), A. P. Hill Military Reservation, Virginia, May-October 1943; Company C, 403rd Engineer Battalion (Water Supply), Fort Dix, New Jersey, December 1, 1943; and Officers of the 403rd Engineer Battalion (Water Supply), Fort Dix,

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MilColl.WWII.Panoramas.28-30]

Cline Family Papers.

Contains nine war ration books (nos. 1-4) belonging to the family of William L. Cline of Sanford (Lee County) and Cline's application for ration book no. 3, 1943.

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205 (cont.) Dick Darden Papers.

Contains softbound book titled, *Guests of the Emperor: The Story of Dick Darden*, by James B. Darden III (1990), concerning the service of Boatswains Mate 1/c James Bizzell "Dick" Darden Jr. of Clinton (Sampson County) in the U.S. Navy, Pacific Theater. Darden was captured at the fall of Wake Island in December 1941 and spent the remainder of the war in Japanese prison camps.

George A. Morrow Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T5 George A. Morrow of Stanly County as a mail orderly in the U.S. Army in the western Pacific, consisting of photographs and postcards removed from an album that include images of "Master George Morrow," contestant in the Grand Baby Contest sponsored by the *Stanly Enterprise*; family and friends; Hawaii; the Miss Waikiki beauty contest, 1944; and unidentified military camps.

James C. Oldfield Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cmdr. James C. Oldfield of Kitty Hawk (Dare County) in the U.S. Navy during and after World War II, including photograph; membership certificate in the Order of the Eniwetok Guinea Pigs, 1948; newspaper clippings; and copy of letter describing his experience aboard the USS *West Virginia* during the attack on Pearl Harbor.

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Robert G. Platt Papers.

Contains yearbook of the 100th Coast Artillery, Antiaircraft Training Center, Camp Davis, 1942, that belonged to Col. Robert G. Platt, who served in the U.S. Army from 1939 to 1969.

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205 (cont.) Glenn H. Smith Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of T4 Glenn H. Smith of Stanly County as a personnel clerk in the U.S. Army in Italy, consisting of photographs of Smith and fellow soldiers; buildings in Rome; the Italian countryside; and aerial photographs of Mount Vesuvius erupting.

206 Reginald A. Crowell Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Warrant Officer (j.g.) Reginald A. Crowell of Stanly County in the U.S. Army, consisting of photographs and picture postcards of North Africa and Italy, and miscellaneous.

Pamlico Committee, Society of Colonial Dames, Collection.

Contains transcriptions, abstracts, and notes of interviews of eleven veterans of World War II conducted as a service project by members of the Pamlico Committee, based in New Bern (Craven County). Also includes copy print photographs, typescript reminiscences, copies of newspaper clippings, and a softbound book titled, *I'm Coming Home*, by Robert Orson Johnson. The interviewed veterans include Col. Hubert Eldridge Allen, Capt. William Nye Corpening, Lt. Robert R. Garey, SSgt. Charles McCrae Hill, John Ruffin Holden, Lt. Robert Orson Johnson, Lt. Harry Andrew March Jr., Lt. William Burke Mewborne Sr., MM 2/c Eric R. Polese, SSgt. Norman Braswell Westbrook Jr., and Maj. Clarence Earl Whitefield. Four interviews - with CWO Thomas C. Blow, TSgt. George C. Graham, Lt. Ralph Thomas Morris, and RDM 2/c John Raymond Pyburn - are filed in the series of Veterans' Interviews, Boxes 104-105.

207 Marvin R. Stokes Papers.

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Papers reflecting the service of T5 Marvin R. Stokes of New London (Stanly County) in the U.S. Army, consisting of letters written to his sister, Mrs. Mary Frances Burris of New London, from training camps at Fort

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207 (cont.) Jackson, South Carolina, and Camp Ritchie, Maryland, 1941-1945. Among other matters, Stokes discusses dressing as a German soldier for war games at Camp Ritchie.

[208-210] Charles F. Fultz Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Charles F. Fultz of Albemarle (Stanly County) as a cook in Company H, 313th Infantry, 79th Division, including personal correspondence with his wife, 1942-1945, n.d., written from stateside bases (Fort Bragg, Camp Pickett, Camp Blanding, Camp Forrest, Camp Laguna, and Camp Phillips) and from England, France, Holland, Germany, and

Czechoslovakia; photographs; application for family allowances, 1942; amendments to *Soldier's Handbook*, 1942; press release containing official history of the 79th Division, 1945; copy of general orders awarding Fultz the Bronze Star, 1945; two issues of *Time* magazine (Pony Edition), September 3, 10, 1945; newspaper clippings; and insignia.

208 Personal correspondence, June 1942-July 1943.

209 Personal correspondence, October 1943-April 1945.

210 Personal correspondence, May-September 1945, n.d., and miscellaneous.

211 David A. and Reade R. Pickler Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of brothers Lt. David A. Pickler and Capt. Reade R. Pickler of New London (Stanly County) in the U.S. Navy, consisting of personal correspondence with their parents, 1941-1944, n.d. David Pickler served aboard the USS *Saratoga*, in the Navy Armed Guard, and at naval air stations at Lakehurst, New Jersey, and

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Houma, Louisiana. Reade Pickler was stationed in the Philippines when the war broke out and subsequently served in the 33rd Squadron, 22nd Bombardment Group, based in Australia. Other

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211 (cont.) correspondents include Sgt. Louis F. Burleson, Pvt. H. P. Cassidy, and Lt. Jan Pepe.

212 Johnnie Jason Lee Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Cpl. Johnnie Jason Lee of Albemarle (Stanly County) as a military policeman in the U.S. Marine Corps, 1943-1946, including personal correspondence, 1944-1945; official correspondence, induction, discharge, and separation papers, 1943-1946, n.d.; correspondence with Veterans Administration, 1943-1953; booklets, including *The Punch below the Belt: Japanese Ruses, Deception Tactics, and Antipersonnel Measures* (1945), and a Japanese-English phrase book [cover missing]; October 1946 issue of *The Leatherneck* magazine; map of Parris Island, n.d.; military police arm band; three issues of the *Saipan Daily Target*, newsletter of the Western Pacific Base Command: February 9, March 6, April 4, 1946; newspaper clippings; photographs; National Service Life Insurance policy; ration cards and books; Lee's "(Spiritual) Service Record"; church bulletin, Marine Chapel, Fifth Military Police Battalion, 1946; diploma and report card, Albemarle High School, 1947; pins, bar, tie clip, and pair of glasses in case; "prisoner of war" capture tag, Indian Town, Pennsylvania, 1941; and memoir kit from dedication of National World War II Memorial, Washington, D.C., 2004.

213 Clara Tucker Collection.

Contains scrapbook kept by Clara Tucker of Albemarle (Stanly County) during World War II including newspaper clippings concerning servicemen from the county; photographs; letters in envelopes and postcards from Pvt. Samuel Martin Efird and other servicemen; Selective Service notices and correspondence with Efird; and miscellaneous.

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213 (cont.) Ivo Wortman Collection.

Contains two posters, including Poster #26 from the Office of War Information, "Americans Will Always Fight for Liberty," 1943; and U.S. Government Printing Office Poster #502782, "Doing All You Can, Brother? Buy War Bonds," 1943 [removed and filed in Poster Collection].

[214-237] Charles A. Lloyd Papers.

Papers of Seaman 1/c Charles April Lloyd of Rolesville (Wake County) reflecting his service in the U.S. Navy Armed Guard and his role as chairman of the national U.S. Navy Armed Guard World War II Veterans organization.

[214-222] Personal correspondence of Charles A. Lloyd and his brother, Lonnie, primarily with members of the national U.S. Navy Armed Guard World War II Veterans group, arranged alphabetically by surname of correspondent.

214 Abbott - Clinkingbeard

215 Cobaugh - Eyles

216 Faeth - Harrington

217 Harris - Joynt

218 Kaehl - McWilliams

219 Maciejowski - Overocker

220 Paas - Siracuse

221 Skinner - Witt

222 Woerner - Zuksivert

Unknown surnames, 1983-2012, n.d.

Copies of letters sent by Lloyd, 1982-2010, n.d.

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Miscellaneous correspondence (not addressed to Lloyds),
1982-2002, n.d.

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- [223-225] **Manuscript of book** compiled by Lloyd titled, *United States Navy Armed Guard Veterans of World War II: A History of the Armed Guard Veterans of World War II*, vol. 1 (Taylor Publishing Company, 1987). The book featured brief biographies of individual members of the U.S. Navy Armed Guard, copies of which are included, arranged alphabetically.
- 223 Book manuscript, introductory material, pages 6-799
- 224 Book manuscript, pages 800-1117
Biographical sketches, Abela-Izzi
- 225 Biographical sketches, Jackson-Yeager, fragments
Ships' histories
- [226-230] **Newsletters**, primarily of veterans' organizations, including *The Pointer*, national newsletter of the U.S. Navy Armed Guard Veterans, edited by Lloyd in the post-war years.
- 226 *Ahoy Mates!!*: 1 issue, 1999
Alligator Alley: 11 issues, 1995-2005
American Merchant Marines Veterans News: 2 issues, 1996, 2002. Also includes untitled newsletters from six chapters of the AMMV: Brooklyn (2 issues, 1996); Keystone Mariners (3 issues, 1996-1997); Missouri Valley Mariners (4 issues, 1997, 2001); North Atlantic (6 issues, 1989-2004); Southwest Florida (3 issues, 1995-1998); and Staten Island (3 issues, 1995-1996). See also *Ahoy Mates!!*; *The Cactus Mariner*; *Desert Mariners of Arizona News*; *Gulfstream Log*; *The Heaving Line*; *Liberty Log*; *Northwesterly*; and *Salty Dog*.
The Anchor: 1 issue, 1995
The Anchor Light: 14 issues, 1991-2005
The Beachhead: 1 issue, 1992
Brownie's Bights: 1 issue, 1995
Burma Star Association: 2 issues, 1989, 1991
The Cactus Mariner: 2 issues, 2003-2004

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- 226 (cont.) *The Carolina's Scuttlebutt*: 4 issues, 1997-2001
The Catalina Chronicles: 1 issue, 1997
Center for the Study of War and Society: 1 issue, 1995
The Chapel of the Four Chaplains Newsletter: 1 issue, 1995
Civilian Officers Military Transport Retiree Association (COMTRA): 1 issue, 1998
Clean Sweep: 1 issue, 1991
Color Guard: 1 issue, 1995
Combat Merchant Marines: 2 issues, 1989, 1991
Crescent Rasul: 1 issue, 1993
Cumberland Military Review: 2 issues, 1988, 1996
- 227 *DESA News*: 4 issues, 1990-2000
Desert Mariners of Arizona News: 8 issues, 1988-1997
ELSIE Item Newsletter: 5 issues, 1999-2000
European-Pacific Stars and Stripes Association News: 4 issues, 2001-2002
Fore and Aft!: 1 issue, 2001
The Gator: 1 issue, 1986
Gulfstream Log: 7 issues, 1991-2004
The Hawsepipe: 5 issues, 1984-1988
The Heaving Line: 2 issues, 2000-2001
The Jeremiah: 5 issues, 1997-2001
Kings Pointer: 1 issue, 1994
Liberty Log: 3 issues, 1996-2001
Liberty Log!: 3 issues, 2002-2012
The Lone Sailor: 3 issues, 1995-2000
The Lookout: 1 issue, 1997
Mari-Times: 1 issue, 1995
The Mariner's Log: 3 issues, 1998-2004
The Maritime Asbestosis Legal Clinic Newsletter: 1 issue, 1998
The Medfield Mariner: 2 issues, 1999
Michigan U.S. Navy Armed Guard/World War II Veterans: 4 issues, 1997-2004
- 228 *Nautical Brass*: 1 issue, 1990
Navy News: 2 issues, 1991, 1995
The New Farragut News: 1 issue, 1997
New York State Overseas Veteran: 1 issue, 1993

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- 228 (cont.) *Northern Light*: 10 issues, 1989-1998
Northwesterly: 6 issues, 1989-1998
Now Hear This!: 6 issues, 1994-2004
The Old Hickory Chronicle: 1 issue, 2000
"Old Shipmates": 1 issue, 1998
PBY Catalina International Association: 3 issues, 1994-1999, and membership list, 1997
PCSA [Patrol Craft Sailors Association] Newsletter: 13 issues, 1991-2005
Pearl Harbor-Gram: 1 issue, 1990
The Peninsula Line: 1 issue, 1985
- 229 *The Pointer*: 31 issues, 1944-1945, 1986-2013
Project Liberty Ship: 2 issues, 1986, 1999
The Quarterdeck: 1 issue, 1982
Recall: 1 issue, 2004
Royal Canadian Naval Association DEMS Branch: 6 issues, 1996-2002
The Royal Naval Association Magazine: 3 issues, 1988-1989
Salty Dog: 4 issues, 1993-2003
Sampson WW-2 Navy Veterans: 3 issues, 1988-1992
The Sea Breeze: 2 issues, 1995, 1998
Sealift: 1 issue, 2011
The Shipyard News: 1 issue, 1993
Spark Gap: 3 issues, 1992-1995
Spindrift: 1 issue, [1984]
SS Jeremiah O'Brien: 5 issues, 1985-1993
Steaming As Before . . .: 3 issues, 2000-2002
- 230 *Tales of Hoffman*: 10 issues, 1992-1998
The Tar Heel Chapter Log: 7 issues, 1994-2005
Tradewinds: 1 issue, 2005
The Ugly Duckling: 7 issues, 1988-1998
United States LST Association Newsletter: 5 issues, 1985-1993
US Navy Armed Guard, Blue Ridge Chapter: 1 issue, 1995
US Navy Armed Guard, West Coast Veterans: 1 issue, 1991
US Navy Cruiser Sailors Association: 5 issues, 1997-2002
US Navy Memorial Newsletter: 1 issue, 1992
USNTC Bainbridge Newslne: 2 issues, 2000-2001
USS LCI National Association News Letter: 2 issues, 1995

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- 230 (cont.) *VE/VJ Day Newsletter*: 1 issue, 1995
Veteran Wireless Operators Association: 3 issues, 1995-1998, and 2 yearbooks, 1998, 2001
Veterans Museum News: 1 issue, 2005
Veterans News: 1 issue, 1992
The Voyager: 4 issues, 1998-2003
Wait-A-Bit News: 1 issue, 1994
White Caps: 1 issue, 1985
The World Wireless Beacon: 6 issues, 1999-2001
WWII Naval Journal: 2 issues, 1992
- 231 **Newspaper clippings**
- 232 **Photographs, negatives, postcards, and sketches**: includes World War II and post-war photographs; negatives; postcards; and wartime sketches by Perry Alley of scenes in Russia, New Guinea, Australia, Brazil, the Straits of Magellan, Wales, Scotland, and England
- 233 **Publications**
Books:
 Boot Camp and Beyond, by Charles "Lloyd" Ostervold
 A History of the Armed Guard Veterans of World War II, vol. 2, comp. by Charles A. Lloyd
 U.S. Navy and Marine Corps Casualty List - WW II: Arranged by Operations, comp. by Stansel E. DeFoe
 U.S. Navy and Marine Corps Casualty List - WW II: Non-Operation or Engagement, Arranged Chronologically, comp. by Stansel E. DeFoe
 Five books - *We Delivered! The U.S. Navy Armed Guard in World War II*, by Lyle E. Dupra; *When Civilians Manned the Ships: Life in the Amphibious Fleet during World War II*, by James A. Kehl; *A Careless Word . . . A Needless Sinking*, by Arthur R. Moore; *An Act of Piracy: The Seizure of the American-flag Merchant Ship Mayaguez in 1975*, by Gerald Reminick; and *The Five Thousand Year Leap*, by W. Cleon Skousen - removed and filed in Military Collection Library.

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233 (cont.) Booklets:

Destinations Unknown, by J. B. Klug
The G. I. Generation, by James Martin Davis
The Gallant Ship "Stephen Hopkins," by R. J. Witt
and P. M. Heaton
The Liberty Ships of World War Two, by Charles A.
Lloyd
*New York State Senate Standing Committee on Veterans
& Military Affairs, 1999/2000 Biennial Committee
Report*
*Resolutions and Letters Regarding Self-Determination
for Puerto Rico from National Organizations*
V-J Day, September 2, 1945-September 2, 1995
*"We Aim to Deliver," United States Navy Historical
Interpretative Detachment, S.S. John W. Brown*

234 Miscellaneous Publications

Brochures

Magazines:

The Cockpit, n.d.
The Lookout, Fall 1998
Michigan History Magazine, January-February 1993
Military, July 1996
Naval Affairs, January 1986
The Northern Light, August 1992
Sea History, Summer 1984
Steamboat Bill, Fall 1994

Programs: dedication ceremonies and other events

Programs: reunions

U.S. Navy Armed Guard Veterans, 1984-1998

Other organizations

Miscellaneous printed materials

235 Unpublished Manuscripts

Diary of John Wanat, 1944-1945

The Liberty Ships, by R. M. Stevenson, 1997

Untitled history of the U.S. Navy Armed Guard (photocopy)

The U.S. Merchant Marine at War, 1775-1945, ed. by Bruce
Felknor (uncorrected page proofs)

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235 (cont.) The War Time Travel of a Teen-Age Sailor World War II through the Korean War, by Walter H. Kyser Jr. Written Testimony before the Subcommittee for the Merchant Marine [HR 1430 and HR 1235], by Charles Dana Gibson, 1987

236 World War II Papers

Papers of Seaman 1/c Erskine Ramsay Powell of Alabama, including official orders and correspondence, 1941-1947; book: *The Bluejackets' Manual United States Navy*, 10th ed., 1940 [removed and filed in Military Collection Library]; certificate of membership in the Domain of Neptunus Rex, 1943 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Misc.Oversized.13]; identification cards; photographs; training manuals: *General Training Course for Petty Officers 1c and Chief Petty Officers* (1938) and *Instructions for Use in Preparation for the Rating of Signalman 1c and Chief Signalman* (1941); and miscellaneous.

Papers of Alfred W. Watson consisting of official letter to his parents from U.S. Naval Training Station, Newport, Rhode Island; Mother's Day message, 1942; report of airplane attack on USS *Tappahannock*, 1943; and undated news report.

Papers concerning the SS *Prairie Grove*, consisting of holiday menus, 1944-1945.

Papers concerning the SS *William L. Davidson*, consisting of official orders, rosters, and ship's log, 1944-1945, n.d.

Miscellaneous, 1939-1945, n.d.

Copies of official orders and other documents, 1942-1945, n.d.

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237 Miscellaneous

Includes certificates and proclamations, 1984-2000, n.d.; two copies of DVD containing interviews with six veterans, including Charles A. Lloyd, 1984; identification cards,

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stickers, etc.; lists; organization papers of the U.S. Navy Armed Guard World War II Vets, 1984-1996; printouts (from book manuscript?); reunions, 1982-2003, n.d.; service records (copies) concerning Charles A. Lloyd and two of his brothers, Louis E. and Lonnie Whitson Lloyd; and miscellaneous.

238 Harris E. Bullard Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of Sgt. Harris Elsworth Bullard of Wilmington (New Hanover County) in the 314th Infantry, 79th Division, U.S. Army, including order to report for induction, 1942; correspondence re. sitting for the Air Force cadet examination, 1944; foreign currency; handwritten itinerary of Bullard's movements, 1944-1945; four hand-drawn and colored maps showing the progress of the 79th Division across Europe, 1944-1945 [removed and filed as MilColl.WWII.Maps.106-109]; news release, 1944; newspaper clippings; pages from a scrapbook kept by his mother during the war, containing newspaper clippings, picture postcards, and miscellaneous; photographs; picture postcards; souvenir booklets of postcards from Luneville and Strasbourg; booklets: *Combat History of the 79th Inf. Div.*; *The Story of the 79th Infantry Division*; and *Combat History of the 314th Infantry*; issue of *The Falcon*, newsletter of the 314th Infantry, July 24, 1945; and miscellaneous.

Lawrence W. Harris Papers.

Papers reflecting the service of PFC Lawrence Wesley Harris of Wake Forest and Cary (Wake County) in the 313th Infantry, 79th Division, U.S. Army, including discharge papers; handwritten account of service; photograph; application for and correspondence concerning Jubilee of Liberty medal, 2004; certificate of recognition for

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238 (cont.) participation in D-Day landings, 2004; hardback book: *History of the 313th Infantry in World War II* [removed and filed in Military Collection Library]; program from reunion of 313th Infantry, 1989; programs from Veterans' Day events, 2001, 2005; salute to veterans, First United Methodist Church of Cary, 2003, 2004, 2006; videocassette and CD copies of interview with Library of Congress, 2006; and miscellaneous.

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