Finding Aid for the John G. Newitt Second World War correspondence
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**Title:** John G. Newitt Second World War correspondence

**creator:** Newitt, John Garwood

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**Physical Description:** 2 Linear Feet (4 document boxes)

**Date (inclusive):** 1926-1945

**Abstract:** This collection consists of 570 correspondence between Lieutenant John G. Newitt, United States Army and his wife Elizabeth, as well as correspondence to his aunts and miscellaneous correspondence to and from Lt. Newitt during the Second World War.

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**Conditions Governing Access**

This collection is open for research.

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Gift of Mildred N. Hogoboom.

**Arrangement**

This collection is arranged by material type and author: Series 1: Correspondence to Elizabeth Newitt--Series 2: Correspondence from Elizabeth Newitt--Series 3: Correspondence with Mildred Newitt--Series 4: Correspondence from Aunt Carrie--Series 5: Correspondence from Aunt Lillie--Series 6: John G. Newitt Correspondence--Series 7: Wedding Invitation--Series 8: Photocopied papers

**Preferred Citation**

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**Content Description**

This collection consists of 570 correspondence between Lt. John G. Newitt, USA and his wife Elizabeth, as well as correspondence to his aunts and miscellaneous correspondence to and from Lt. Newitt during the Second World War. Also included are one wedding invitation and photocopied papers. Inventory:

570 correspondence, personal, 1943-1945

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**Subjects and Indexing Terms**

United States. Army.

Correspondence -- World War, 1939-1945

World War II

World War, 1939-1945

World War, 1939-1945 -- Homefront

Newitt, John Garwood

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**folder 1-15**

**Series 1, Correspondence to Elizabeth Newitt 1942-02-1945-04**

**Physical Description:** 1.4 Linear Feet (15 folders)

**Scope and Contents**

This series contains correspondence from Lt. John G. Newitt, USA to his wife Elizabeth during the Second World War. Inventory:

Folders 1-15:

495 correspondence, personal, Feb. 1942 - April 1945
Series 1, Correspondence to Elizabeth Newitt 1942-02-1945-04

folder 16

Series 2, Correspondence from Elizabeth Newitt 1926-1945-04 bulk
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence to Lt. John G. Newitt, USA from his wife Elizabeth during the Second World War. Also included is one letter re-sent to him in 1945 that was written in 1926, before their marriage. Inventory:
Folder 16:
29 correspondence, personal, 1926 and Feb. 1943 - April 1945.

folder 17

Series 3, Correspondence with Mildred Newitt 1943-01-1945-03
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence from Lt. John G. Newitt, USA to his daughter Mildred, and two letters to Lt. Newitt from Mildred during the Second World War. Inventory:
Folder 17:
30 correspondence, personal, to Mildred, Jan. 1943 - Mar. 1945 2 correspondence, personal, from Mildred, Aug. 8, 1944 (one undated)

folder 19

Series 4, Correspondence from Aunt Carrie 1943-02-1945-03
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence to Lt. John G. Newitt, USA from his Aunt Carrie during the Second World War. Inventory:
Folder 18:
9 correspondence, personal, Feb. 1943 - Mar. 1945

folder 19

Series 5, Correspondence from Aunt Lillie 1943-10-1944-09
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence to Lt. John G. Newitt, USA from his Aunt Lillie during the Second World War. Inventory:
Folder 19:
3 correspondence, personal, Oct. 1943 - Sept. 1944

folder 21

Series 6, John G. Newitt correspondence 1943-08-1945-01
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains correspondence to and from Lt. John G. Newitt, USA including several authors during the Second World War. Inventory:
Folder 20:
6 correspondence, personal, Aug. 1943 - Jan. 1945

folder 21

Series 7, Wedding invitation 1927-06-20
Physical Description: 0.025 Linear Feet(1 folder)
Scope and Contents
This series contains one invitation to the wedding of John G. Newitt and Sarah Elizabeth (his wife Elizabeth Newitt), June 20, 1927.
Folder 22  

**Series 8, Miscellaneous papers**

**Physical Description:** 0.025 Linear Feet (1 folder)

**Scope and Contents**

This series contains photocopied papers that include some correspondence, one in memoriam, one newspaper clipping, one photograph, and service papers. Inventory:

Folder 22:

1. **Photo**: Lt. John Newitt, USA shaking hands with United States Army General "Wild Bill" Donovan at Embassy Dinner.
2. **In memoriam**, typed, John Garwood Newitt, died April 14, 1973
4. **Packet of correspondence**, typed, two letters to Lt. Newitt from Warren and Pauline
5. **Letter**, photocopy, from Lt. Newitt to family, his first letter home, Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 25, 1942
6. **Certificate**, photocopy, to John G. Newitt, service commendation, from President Richard Nixon
8. **Military service record and report of separation**, photocopy, John G. Newitt Sr.