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Biographical Note
Major general, United States Army; staff officer, War Department General Staff, Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Forces, and military missions to Great Britain and the Soviet Union, 1942-1945; military adviser, Paris Peace Conference, 1946.
Scope and Content of Collection
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
World War, 1939-1945--Diplomatic history.
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World War, 1939-1945--Peace.
United States. War Department. General Staff.
Allied Forces. Supreme Headquarters.
United States. Army--Officers.

Boxes 1-11 Not yet described
Memo to Albert C. Wedemeyer, “Request for Major William H. Baumer to Speak,”
1942 October 17

Baumer personal military file, 1940-1945
Scope and Contents note
Orders, travel documents, and related material concerning Baumer's military service.

Important material for the book, 1944-1990
Scope and Contents note
Letters, clippings, military discharge papers, notes, Baumer writings, memos, and other material.

Clippings, 1983-1985

Outline of AEFA Camp, CCS, and JCS meetings, 1943 January
W. H. Baumer letter to Lt. Colonel William J. Glasgow, 1943 May 29
William H. Baumer letter to Colonel Kahn, 1943 October 27
Movement orders to Lieutenant Colonel William H. Baumer, 1944 January 4
Telegram concerning Baumer's mission in Moscow, 1944 January 22
F. N. Roberts letter to W. H. Baumer, 1944 March 19
Release from permanent assignment to the Operations Division, War Department General Staff, and related documents, 1944 May
Movement orders to Lieutenant Colonel William H. Baumer, 1944 October 21
Notes from document on East-West relations, circa 1945
Notes concerning Operation "Switchback": "Clearing the Road to Antwerp," circa 1945
Conduct of the war (1944-1945) and chronology of the war (1941-1944), 1945
Orders to Colonel William H. Baumer, 1945 February 27
Orders to Colonel William H. Baumer, 1945 March 8
Notes on trip to Western Rhineland area, 1945 March 21-28
Orders to Colonel William H. Baumer, 1945 April 13
Agenda for conference with Soviet authorities regarding occupation of US Sector, Berlin, 1945 June 18