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Biography of Frank Otto Bowman 1956 June 30

Correspondence and charts regarding his official work as an officer in the United States Army during World War II 1943-1945

Official correspondence of Mr. Bowman as an officer in the United States Army during World War II 1949-1955

Correspondence between Major General Bowman and S. D. Sturgis, Jr., Major General, United States Army, Chief of Engineers 1951-1955

Material on bridges in Korea

Scope and Contents note
Includes photographs and memoranda.
Reports on anti-mechanized defense and other reports, Ft. Benning, GA 1939-1942

Material on a demonstration of air-ground training and operations, Ft. Benning, GA 1942 June

Comments by General Bowman on draft of “Fifth Army Engineers in Italy” by Historical Section O.C.E. 1959 August

Correspondence and memorabilia regarding Italy 1943-1945
Map case

Correspondence and memorabilia regarding Italy (continued) 1943-1945

Photographs

Envelope A 59 prints depicting US Army Corps of Engineers constructing various bridges in Korea 1952-1953

Envelope mB 61 prints depicting Libby Bridge-X-Ray Project under construction by US Army Corps of Engineers. Korea 1952-1953