
Inventory of the Gerard William Kelley papers

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Abstract: Correspondence, diary, orders, memoranda, and photographs relating to American military operations on Saipan, the Marianas, Makin Atoll, and elsewhere in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

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Acquisition Information

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Biographical Note

Brigadier general, United States Army; commanding officer, 165th Infantry Regiment, 1943-1945.

Scope and Content of Collection

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165th Infantry File 1942-1945

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| box 1, folder 1 | Orders, special orders, memorandum, and other materials regarding information covering the island of Hawaii. Headquarters, Hawaiian Department, Office of the Department of Engineer 1942-1945 |
| box 1, folder 2 | Correspondence, Headquarters 165th Infantry, APO 27, San Francisco, California 1944-1945 |
| box 1, folder 3 | Record of Operation FORAGER, unit journal 1944 January 16 - August 16
Controversial Publications 1944-1955
Scope and Contents note
Regarding the battle of Saipan, concerning the 27th Division. |

"Campaign in the Marianas" manuscript by Dr. Philip A. Crowl

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| box 1, folder 4 | Review of the manuscript by author |
| box 1, folder 5 | Resume of Gerard Kelley's experience as a member of the review panel to discuss the manuscript 1955 |
| box 1, folder 6 | Correspondence with extensive comments 1954-1955 |

General Smith's article

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Time magazine, 1944 September 18.

box 1, folder 7	Gerard Kelley review of the article 1944 October 21
box 1, folder 8	Refutation of article 1944-1945
box 1, folder 9	Secret special operations map, Saipan area 1944 March
	Colonel Gerard W. Kelley File 1942-1945
box 1, folder 10	Diary 1942
box 1, folder 11	Diary 1943
box 1, folder 12	Notes and diary, Makin and Saipan 1943-1944
box 2, folder 1	Citation, to accompany General Orders, Headquarters, 165th Infantry 1945 January 17
box 2, folder 2-4	Office correspondence 1944-1945
	Printed Matter 1943-1946
box 2, folder 5	"Saipan: Eyewitness Tells of Island Fight," by Robert Sherrod, magazine article undated
box 2, folder 6	Clippings 1943
box 2, folder 7	<i>The Capture of Makin</i> (20 November-24 November 1943), Historical Division, War Department, Washington, D.C. 1946
	Photographs 1943
envelope mA	21 prints depicting activities of the 165th Infantry in the Pacific area in World War II 1943
box 3, box 4, box 5	Album depicting the battle of Makin Atoll, Butaritari, and the Gilbert Islands fought by the 165th Infantry 1943 November 20-23