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1886, 13 June
Born, Turkey
1906
Student, Colgate University
1907
Entered military service as a cadet
1911
Graduate, B.S. degree and commissioned as second lieutenant of Infantry
1916-17
Served with the Punitive Expedition in Mexico under General Pershing
1914-1918
Assistant military attaché in Greece, with the Allied Armies of the Orient in the Middle East
1923
Transferred to the Chemical Warfare Service
1942  Promoted to Brigadier General
1939-1945  Chemical Officer, First Army; Commanding General of the Chemical Warfare Replacement Center; Commanding General at Camp Sibert, Alabama
1946  Retired from military service
1966  Died

Scope and Content of Collection
Correspondence, notes, speeches, and medals, relating to American chemical warfare activities during World War II

Access Points
United States.--Army--Officers
Chemical warfare
World War, 1939-1945
World War, 1939-1945--Chemical warfare
United States--Armed Forces

Box No. 1.  Correspondence, 1926-1964.

Scope and Content Note
Correspondence, arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.

Box 1.

Ahmed Abboud Pasha 1945
Almond, E.M. (Brigadier General) 1942
Assistant Secretary of State 1946
Bain, William J. 1946
Brees, H.J. (Lt. General) 1940
Brigham, C.E. (Major General) 1936
Chamberlain, Fred V.S. 1926
Chipman, Mrs. Guy W.
Craig, Mr. 1941
Eisenhower, Dwight 1955
Gantengein, Mrs. James
Guggenheim, Robert (Colonel) 1946
Gullion, Allen W. 1942
Hanford, Ned 1940
Harmer, H.R., Inc. 1962, 1963 (International Stamp Auctioneers)
Hoover, Herbert Clark 1954
Inzer, J.C. 1945
Karagosian, Sonia 1944
New York Police Commission 1941
Nichols, Lola
O'Hara, Mrs. Edwin J.
Porter, William N. (Colonel) 1941
Republican National Committee 1964
Roemer, L.E. (Major) 1941
Royal Canadian Institute 1939
Shilstone, Cecil M. (Captain) 1944
Silvester, L. Mcd. (Major General) 1942
Somervell, Brehon 1945
Souren, Y. 1944
Treasury Department. Office of Customs. 1955
U.S. Army. Finance Center. Retired Pay Division. 1964
War Department 1942
Watson, Edwin M. 1944
Williams, Charles (Lt. Colonel) 1941
Willkie, Wendell L. 1943
Miscellaneous correspondence and memoranda
Box Box No. 1 -3.  
Subject File, 1905-1966.
  
Scope and Content Note
Reports, military documents, notes, printed matter, and other miscellaneous materials,
arranged alphabetically by subject.

Box 1.  
Application for federal employment
Camp Robinson, Arkansas. Replacement Training Center - Instructor's Handbook
1943
Camp Sibert, Alabama
Financial statements - bills, checks, invoices, etc.
Furlough Book, U.S.M.A. 1911
Home Defense Guide 1942
Maps

Box 2.  
Medals
Omar Khayyam by Darvish of Tehran
Our Boys
Sixth U.S. Army - Retired Army Officers Rosters 1963, 1964, 1966
Special Orders 1946
Speech of General George S. Patton Jr. to his 3rd Army on the Eve of the Normandy Invasion
The Suckers Club 1934
Trainee Tribune. Edgewood Arsenal, Md. March 20, 1942
The Traveller's Insurance Company
Travelling Itinerary
Treasury Department. Office of Collector of Customs. 1955
Uniform insignia
U.S. Military Academy 1958
U.S. Post Office - Commemorative Stamp Book 1955

Box 3.  
Yale University - Sheffield Scientific School 1905

Box Box No. 3 -4.  
Speeches, 1942-1943.
  
Scope and Content Note
Speeches arranged alphabetically by title.

Box 3.  
Address by Brigadier General Haig Shekerjian Bestowing Army-Navy Production Award to Lempco Products, Inc., Bedford, Ohio. December 14, 1942
Honor Speech, Bain1943
Miscellaneous speech materials

Box Box No. 3 -4.  
Miscellaneous.
  
Scope and Content Note
Clipping file, medals, and memorabilia.

Box 3.  
Medals
Campaign and Service Medals
American Defense Medal
American Theater of Operations Medal
European, African and Middle Eastern Theater Campaign Medal
Asiatic-Pacific Theater Campaign Medal
Victory Medal, WWII
Mexican Service Medal (Number 13818) (for service in Mexico against Pancho Villa)
Victory Medal, WWI
Decorations
Legion of Merit (named)
Army Commendation Medal (named)

Box 4.  
Memorabilia

Box 4.  
Clippings