Lawrence R. Bearnes Collection (AC38)

Introduction

The Lawrence R. Bearnes Collection contains materials related to the 599th Field Artillery Battalion of the 92nd Infantry Division, stationed at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, in 1943.

Descriptive Summary

Creator: Lawrence R. Bearnes
Title: Lawrence R. Bearnes Collection
Dates: 1943
Size: 0.02 linear feet, 1 box
Collection Number: AC38

Donor Information

Donated by Lawrence R. Bearnes, date unknown.

Citation Note

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Administrative Information

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Historical Sketch

Captain Lawrence R. Bearnes was one of three white commanding officers of the 599th Field Artillery Battalion of the 92nd Infantry Division. The battalion was stationed at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, prior to being sent to the Italian Front during World War II.

Scope and Content Note

The collection includes three documents: a menu and menu cover for an anniversary event and a list of officers and enlisted men. The collection also contains fifteen snapshots taken at the military base at Fort Huachuca, Arizona, a panoramic photograph of the 599th Field Artillery Battalion, and a military insignia pin featuring the 599th Field Artillery Battalion crest. The panoramic photograph has been withdrawn to Oversize Box 1.

Collection Inventory

The notation “OS” indicates the materials are located in Oversize Box 1.
f. 1  Documents, 10/15/1943, n.d.
f. 2  Photographs, 1943 (OS)
f. 3  Military Insignia Pin, 01/1943