

Sgt. Chester Stump Collection, 1912-1945

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Scope and Content Note: The Sgt. Chester Stump collection includes photographs, U.S. Army Certificates of Appointments, World War I soldier's handbook, "Brief History of the 11th U.S. Cavalry", and military uniform decorations.

Creator: Stump, Chester, 1889-1974.

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People:

Stump, Chester

Subject Headings: Military uniforms

World War, 1914-1918

Cavalry operations

World War, 1939-1945

United States--Army

Fort Robinson (Neb.)

Medical Officers' Training Camp (Ga.)

Fort Myers, Fla.



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United States Army Manuscript groups Finding aids Fort Robinson, Nebraska

Colosia Dublas, Mexico
Fort Oglethorpe Medical Officers' Training Camp, Georgia
Medical Officers' Training Camp, Georgia
Fort Myers, Florida

<u>Processing History</u>: Processed and finding aid prepared prior to July 1997. This collection has been documented, preserved and managed according to professional museum and archives standards. The finding aid was updated using DACS conventions.



Folder 1 Photographs, 1913-1925.

7 postcard photographs: 2 are marked Ft. Robinson, Nebraska, 1913, and one of "Rags, Mascot, Troop B, 11th Cavalry."

8 photographs: one taken in CA, two in a hospital in VA, December 1925. One is of a newspaper clipping dated November 1913. "Twelfth Cavalry in Denver, Bound for Scene of War with Navahoes" Troop C. *Photographs transferred to Photograph Collection 17 November 2017*

Folder 2 7 U.S. Army Certificates of Appointments, 1914-1919, 1945.

Chester A. Stump appointed Corporal, Troop C, 12th Cavalry at Ft. Robinson, NE. 8 September 1914.

Appointed Corporal, Troop G, 11th Cavalry at Colosia Dublas, Mexico. 24 July 1916. Appointed Sergeant of Regular U.S. Army at Ft. Ogelthorpe, GA. 20 December 1917. Appointed Corporal of Regular Army at Ft. Myer, FL. 7 January 1919.

Certificate of Meritorious Conduct as an Auxiliary to the Military Police of the U.S. Army at Sensenick Brothers, Philadelphia Regional Office. 16 February 1945.

Folder 3 Handbook & History, 1912-1918.

Soldier's Handbook, 1908. Used by Chester Stump 1914-1915.

One sheet of a "Brief History of the 11th U.S. Cavalry."

List of colonels living at that time: Col. Francis Moore, Col. Earl D. Thomas, Col. James Parker, Col. James Lockett, Col. William Nicholson.

Folder 4 Military Artifacts, 1912-1919, 1944.

Military coat decorations: badges, bars, pins, buttons, chains.

Five large "safety pins," the use of one is shown in the Soldier's Handbook on page 60. Key case with 2 keys.

Small coin purse.