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Descriptive Summary

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Language

Materials in this collection are in English.

Abstract

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Extent

3.6 Cubic Feet 5 boxes, 1 oversize folder

Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

Administrative Information

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Source of Acquisition

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Processing Information

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Scope and Content

This collection contains materials from American Civil War reenactor Richter Ellison. A large number of these materials were used for reenactments or for research, likely to improve historical accuracy. This includes personal research and compiled files, correspondence, and several artifacts such as a reproduction surgery kit, pharmacy kit, and medical bag complete with replication medicines, surgical implements, and a travel scale. The bulk of the papers were created between 1994 and 2003 (undated documents are likely from the same time). The dates of creation or acquisition of artifacts by the collector are unknown.

Separated Materials

This donation included a collection of American Civil War related books and publications. These items have been cataloged for Special Collections and University Archives' Rare Book Collection. Catalog records for the publications related to this collection contain a note with the donor's name.

Keywords

Civil War

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865

Medicine, Military -- History

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Arrangement

The original arrangement of this collection was largely maintained. Contents are arranged in folders according to topic.

Description of Subordinate Components

Longstreet Corps Weapons Safety Policies

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

"Fire on the Mountain" by Peter Cozzens

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Newspaper Clippings

Unit Date 1996-2001

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Correspondence

Unit Date 1995-2003

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Lynchburg Historical Civil War Information

Unit Date 1994-1998

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 5 (folder)

Civil War Medicines - North South Medical Times

Unit Date 1995-1999

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Civil War - North South Medical Times

Unit Date 1994-1996

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Civil War Medical Journals/Newsletters

Unit Date 1991-1999

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Regimental Log (33rd Infantry 1st Brigade Virginia Volunteers)

Unit Date 1996

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

"Rally on the Colors" Newsletter

Unit Date 2001

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Stonewall Brigade Standards

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

AOL/Civil War

Unit Date 1997-2001

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Civil War - VT Resources

Unit Date 1996-1999

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Civil War Medical Re-Enacting

Unit Date 1995-1996

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Civil War Re-Enactments Living Histories

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Papers Removed from Medical Bags

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Bohemian Brigade Bookshop and Publishers Catalog

Unit Date 1999

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Files on the Civil War

Unit Date undated

box-folder 1 (box)

Container 18-19 (folder)

box-folder 2 (box)

Container 1 (folder)

Historical Data/Statistics

Unit Date undated

box-folder 2 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Civil War Drug Research

Unit Date undated

box-folder 2 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Map of Gettysburg

Unit Date undated

box 1 (oversize)

Battle of First Manassas Troop Movement Maps 3 and 6

Unit Date undated

box 1 (oversize)

Battle of Second Manassas Troop Movement Maps 1 through 16

Unit Date undated

box 1 (oversize)

Chloroform Jar

Unit Date undated

box 2

Imitation Medicines

Unit Date undated

box 2

Medical Bag

Unit Date undated

box 4

Pharmacy Kit

Unit Date undated

box 3

Reproduction Surgery Kit

Unit Date undated

box 5

Metal Cup and Thread

Unit Date undated

box 2