

# Inventory of the Fred Pernert Papers 1967-1968

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## History

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## Title Statement

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## Revision Description

**2013-11-21** Converted to schema conforming EAD by dtd2schema.vh.xsl.

## Overview of the Collection

### Identification:

01/Mss. Acc. 2008.162

### Language of Materials

The papers are in: English

### Creator:

Pernert, Fred Sleamon, Connie arrangement

### Quantity:

0.50

### Repository:

Special Collections Research Center

## Administrative Information

### Conditions Governing Access

Collection is open to all researchers.

### **Conditions Governing Use**

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### **Acquisition Information**

The materials were acquired by Special Collections Research Center on 00/00/2008.

### **Processing Information**

Collection was processed by Anne T. Johnson.

### **Preferred Citation**

Fred Pernert Papers, Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library, College of William and Mary

## **Additional Information**

### **Biographical Note**

Fred Pernert was in the U.S. Army during the Vietnam War. He lived in Holt, Michigan. His first name might be Maurice. Further information about this individual or organization may be available in the Special Collections Research Center Wiki: [http://scrc.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/Fred Pernert](http://scrc.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/Fred_Pernert).

### **Scope and Contents**

This collection is composed of letters written by Fred Pernert of the U.S. Army to his girlfriend and family while stationed in Vietnam during the Vietnam War. Letters discuss his job, the activity within his Division, a USO performance, Viet Cong attacks, deaths of friends and his friendship with a local Vietnamese family. Letters also show his growing feelings for his girlfriend, Connie Sleamon. A photograph album includes pictures of his buddies and shows the activities around his camp, which is a MARS station (Military Affiliate Radio System). The collection also includes a box of 20 insignia pins, 9 uniform stripes and badges, 3 slides, 1 signal mirror in a canvas sleeve, 1 cardboard box with description "dyed canvas case maintenance equipment M16A1 rifle." These artifacts are stored separately. In one letter, he states that he is part of Americal Div, which includes 11th armored cav, 101st airborne, 11th army, 2nd Army and 196th plus INFBDE which includes HHC, 431, 1st 14, 156th sig, 2nd of the 1st and F troop.

### **Index Terms**

This Collection is indexed under the following controlled access subject terms.

### **Genre/Form of Material:**

Correspondence  
Photographs

### **Topical Term:**

Insignia.  
Vietnam War, 1961-1975.

## **Detailed Description of the Collection**

### **Letters to Connie Sleamon**

**ArchonID** id50606

**Unit Date** August-October 1967

**Container** 1 (Folder)

## **Letters to Connie Sleamon**

**ArchonID** id50607

**Unit Date** November-December 1967

**Container** 2 (Folder)

## **Letters to Connie Sleamon**

**ArchonID** id50608

**Unit Date** 1968

**Container** 3 (Folder)

## **Letters to Family**

**ArchonID** id50609

**Unit Date** 1967-1968

**Container** 4 (Folder)

## **Empty Envelopes**

**ArchonID** id50610

**Container** 5 (Folder)

## **Folder 6**

**ArchonID** id50611

**Unit Date** Undated.

**Container** 6 (Folder)

## **Bernard Busch to James Busch**

**ArchonID** id50612

**Unit Date** August 20, 1970

**Container** 7 (Folder)

## **Photograph Album**

**ArchonID** id50613

**Container** 8 (Folder)