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005 Small Manuscripts Collection
006 Beers Collection
140 Beers Papers
200 1917
210 1920
220 1918
240 3.32 cubic feet
241 3 @ 0.47, 1@ 0.17, 1 @ 1.04, 1 @ 0.7 boxes
261 The majority of this collection consists of personal correspondence to Mrs. May Anderson Beers, of Dover, from soldiers originating the area during World War I. Mrs. Beers was the chairman of the Soldiers' Comforts Committee. Some photos.
270 Correspondence from soldiers to May Anderson Beers in response to and concerning the care packages she sent while they were training at Camp McClellan in Anniston, Alabama. The regiment was later reorganized as the 59th Pioneer Infantry Regiment and retrained at Fort Dix, New Jersey, in 1918, for engineer and infantry combat duty. The 59th regiment's tour resided primarily in France before they were shipped back to Fort Dix in 1919, to be discharged. This collection also houses assorted ephemera: postcards, photographs, liberty loans, various pamphlets, newspapers, and sheet music for popular songs of the era.
290 Folders are labeled by Roman numerals.
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330 Arranged chronologically by year in box 391204 containing correspondence, and alphabetically in box 391205 containing other files.
331 No index.
332 Handwritten and Typed.
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360 Fair to good condition. Acid damage.
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390 In-house content list X:\Holdings Data\Checklists and Finding Aids\9000s Private Records\9200 Small Manuscripts Collection\9200-B09-000 Beers Collection Content List and photographs in Photograph Database.
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990 March 27, 2017, August 16, 2021 (FDR)
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