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VIII. Analysis:

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Revised by: Hannah K. Chaikind, 1987
Biographical Note:

Since about sixty percent of this collection consists of the papers of the New Haven Grays, the popular name for a military unit whose various official designations follow on a separate sheet, a brief biography of them follows:

During the last portion of the 18th and the first portion of the 19th centuries, it was not unusual for local companies of militia to be formed under the leadership of a prominent young citizen. These companies often had overtones of elitism. Membership was by invitation, and was highly prized. Officers were elected; uniforms and equipment were a personal expense, the state merely supplying guns and ammunition. Drills were supplemented by social affairs, and a man of education and background was perfectly happy to serve as a private in what was sometimes virtually a private club. But the weekly drills were taken seriously, the affairs of the companies conducted earnestly, and their members never lacked for courage.

The New Haven Grays was such a company. It was called into being by Sophos Staples (1789-1826), a young New Haven attorney, and was formally organized on September 13, 1816. Thomas G. Woodward was First Lieutenant and Samuel Hitchcock, Ensign. After a winter of drill in Mix Assembly Hall and elsewhere, it held its first public review on May 5, 1817, on Hillhouse Avenue, then virtually an open field. Originally the company was known as the New Haven Light Infantry, but it soon became known as the New Haven Grays because of the color of its uniforms.

The New Haven Grays was Guard of Honor for President Monroe, General Lafayette and President Jackson during their visits to New Haven. It performed other tasks, too, once helping contain a town-gown riot. Several times the Grays was at odds with the state government, but each time the problem was eventually resolved. In 1828 a dissident group of Grays resigned and formed the New Haven (National) Blues.

There is no record of the New Haven Grays having served in the Mexican War as a unit. News of the bombardment of Ft. Sumter came to New Haven a few hours before the company met for drill, and the members' offer of service to the federal government was immediate. The New Haven Grays fought at Bull Run as Company C, 2nd Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers. At the end of its 90-day enlistment, it returned to New Haven. Many of its members then resigned and joined other units, particularly companies of the 7th, 15th, and 27th Regiments. A number of Grays in the latter Regiment saw action at Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville and Gettysburg. Older members formed themselves into the Veteran Grays, and the remaining younger members who had not resigned, into an Independent Grays unit. In 1863 the latter volunteered for active service and was called to duty with the Connecticut militia as Company F, 2nd Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers, but was not sent to the front. Twenty-three Grays lost their lives in the Civil War.

In 1876 the New Haven Grays was a part of the Guard of Honor at the opening of the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia.

Each summer after the Civil War the New Haven Grays integrated itself as F Company, 2nd Regiment, into the Connecticut National Guard for a two-week training encampment, usually at Niantic. It was not called up for the Spanish-American War, but played an active role as a unit in the Mexican border foray of 1916.

In World War I the New Haven Grays became Company F, 102nd Infantry Regiment of the 26th (Yankee) Division and fought in a number of key battles with distinction. Sixteen members of Company F lost their lives.
Biographical Note (continued):

The available historical records of the Grays for the period 1919-1941 indicate that the Grays continued on as an active organization after WW I. In WW II The New Haven Grays was mobilized as Company C, 1st Battalion, 102nd Infantry Regiment, 43rd Division, and served with distinction in the Pacific Theatre of the war.

After WW II what had been the New Haven Grays emerged as Company A, 1st Battalion, 102nd Infantry Regiment, Connecticut National Guard, headquartered in New Haven. But there was little interest among the young men of the city in trying to reshape Company A into the elite WASP organization it once had been. It is unlikely that the National Guard would have supported any such efforts. Company A, heir to the New Haven Grays' name, recruits like any other American military unit, without regard to race, creed or color. Membership in a military unit by invitation is not in keeping with the times. In 1946, then, 130 years of New Haven Grays tradition became history.

Fragmentary papers of other military units comprised of New Haven and units from a handful of surrounding towns are included here. Chief of these is the New Haven Blues, and the Conn. United States Naval Militia, and lists of area men serving in World War I and veterans buried in area cemeteries.

Finally, this collection has become a repository for random gifts of local military papers, some as few as a single sheet, but all of historical interest and some of significance and emotional depth.
Analysis:

Since the bulk of the collection concerns the NHG, it is placed first, in Boxes 1-15a, with a later addition for 1940-46 in Boxes 19-21.

Next follow papers of small, specific units; then a chronological order centered about a single topic where possible, such as commissions and finances and newspaper accounts of military events, and lastly, a listing of veterans of all wars buried in New Haven and nearby town cemeteries.

Box 1 - 15a

16 - 17 NHGV, NHB


19 - 21 Conn. U.S., Naval Militia, continuation of NHG.

22 Early posters, orders, financial affairs.

23 Letters, diary, reprints of newspaper accounts of U.S.wars,2 pages from the Society of Cincinnati, minutes including accounts from British Public Records Office.

24-25 All New Haveners in World War I.

26 New Haven casualties in World War I, veterans' headstones.

27 Continuation of collection of historical information pertaining to people or events of World Wars
Designations of New Haven Grays at various times in its history from 1816 to 1946.

New Haven Light Infantry

Company C, 2nd Regiment Connecticut Volunteers - Civil War - integrated into CNG for training post-war.

Company F, 2nd Regiment, CNG - Mexican border 1916.

Company F, 102nd Infantry, 26th Division (Yankee), CNG - World War I.

Company C, 1st Batallion, 102nd Infantry, 43rd Division - in Pacific, World War II.

Company B, 1st Batallion and 5th Batallion, 102nd Regiment, 1940-46.

Company C, 5th Batallion, CSG - New Haven City Guard 1945.
Additional references in the Whitney Library

Atwater, Edward E. - *History of New Haven*, p.654 et seq. for a history of the Grays from 1816 - 1886

English, Philip H. - His diary and photo album of his lieutenancy during World War I as a NHG

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Folder A
Published History of the New Haven Grays from Sept 13, 1816 to Sept 13, 1876 by Jerome B. Lucke (also on shelf in the Whitney Library).

Folder B
Original manuscript, with typescript, of unpublished second volume of above history. First 20 pages typed; handwritten begins with page 111. 1878-1879

Folder C
Continuation
July 29, 1879 - May 6, 1885

Folder D
Typescript of preceding folder

Folder E
Continuation of original manuscript with typescript
May 7, 1885 - Feb 16, 1887

Folder F
Continuation
Feb 17, 1887 - Jan 9, 1889

Folder G

Jan 10, 1889 - April 7, 1891

Folder H

April 8, 1891 - April 7, 1893

Folder I
Typescript of preceding two folders

Box 2.

Folder A
Continuation of original
April 8, 1893 - Dec 1 894

Folder B

Jan 1895 - March 1897

Folder C

May 1897 - July 1900

Folder D
Typescript
April 8, 1893 - July 1900

Folder E
Continuation of original
Aug 3, 1900 - June 30, 1903

Folder F
Original typed history for 1935-1942; 1940 and 11 months of 1941 not in collection

Folder G
Extracts from an address on the history of NHG by Gen. George Hare Ford, with emphasis on names of distinguished members 1921

Addresses on history on special occasions in 1936 and 1938 by unnamed persons

Article on history of NHG for the Journal of the NHCHS, written by William A. Wiedersharn 1979

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Folder E  [See Box 8B, for constitution]
By laws  1856-1919  (2 v)
Treasurers' reports  1908-1911  (19)
Report on plan to fund refurbishing of State Armory rooms  c 1925  (2)
Inventory of contents of rooms  (7)
Rules governing use of rooms  (1)

Folder A  Roll book. Some include enlistment, transfer and discharge dates.  1816-1866  (1 v)
Folder B  Roll book of the Second Flank Co. Second Regiment Infantry, a NHG unit, including their constitution  1834  (1 v)
Roll book of Infantry Co.A, 2nd Regt.  1836  (1 v)
Folder C  Membership roll of new unit of enlistees for  186.3  (.1 v)
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Folder D  Roll book  1872-1895  (1 v)
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Folder F  Roll lists, 1913, 1917, 1919, 1932, 1934, 1945, 1976  (2)
Box 9.

Folder A  Official order book recording all orders received from General Brigade and Regimental Headquarters, as well as Co.F, 2nd Regt., CNG orders 1873-1877 (1 v)

Folder B  "  1877-1881 (1 v)

Folder C  "  1889-1893 (1 v)

Folder D  Names and addresses of NHG 1861-1891 (1 v)

Folder E  Illustration of Evergreen Cemetery
            Map of Evergreen Cemetery 1889 (1)
            "Semper Fidelis", a handwritten listing of NHG gravesite locations in above cemetery, including birth and death dates of all. Last date about 1940. (1 v)

Folder F  Typed list of gravesite names as of 1930 (25)

Folder G  Typed list of names of above by detail, with map of each detail's location (25)

Folder H  Continuation (23)

Box 10.

Folder A  Lists of NHG in service in World War I 1917-1919 (11)
          Lists of service dead 1917-1918 (3)
          Lists in active service in World War II 1941-45 (10)

Folder B  Trust agreement signed by James M. Townsend to establish an award for recruiting the most recruits 1899 (1)
          Letter establishing marksmanship prizes 1909 (1)
          Papers about competition for Grannis medal n.d. (17)
          Papers establishing military record of George E. Steele, prior to his award as 1971 "Man of the Badge" 1971 (7)

Folder C  Correspondence of the NHG about uniforms, assignments, gifts and memorials, participation in local events, etc. 1814-1979 (47)

Folder D  Memorabilia of social celebrations, especially the 20th, 40th, 50th and 100th anniversaries. See especially the handwritten report of the 50th 1836-1980 (56)
Box 10

Folder D, Anniversaries, Bulletins, Necrology lists 1891-1846

Box 11

Folder B Company F, Second Regiment Squad Lists 1906-1914
Box 10. (continued)

Folder D (continued)
Program of 50th anniversary memorial service, including photo of troops departing from State and Chapel Streets 1861 (2)

Folder E
NHG Grand March, composed by J. M. Hubbard and dedicated to James M. Townsend. [See Oversize for additional music]. 4c. 1846 (15)

Folder F
Autograph book of NHG attending various functions 1866-1941 (1v)

Folder H
Newspaper reprints of Civil War letters of some NHG 1861 (31)
List of NHG deaths in Civil War 1866 (1)

Box 11.

Folder A
Record book of the annual meetings of Co.A, 27th Regt. Conn. Volunteers, members of NHG, containing accounts of their part in the Civil War. Descriptions of the Battles of Fredericksburg begin on page 34 and Chancellorville on page 78. 1870-1935 (1 v)
Poem, The Grays of '62, dedicated to above. (1)

Folder A
Scrapbook of newspaper clippings and other memorabilia of interest to NHG compiled by either Thomas S. Derby of Co.F, 2nd Regt., Conn. National Guard or Col. S. R. Smith. 1870-1880 (1 v)

Folder C
Scrapbook of newspaper clippings, concentrating on articles about the Civil War, compiled by a NHG. 1908-1910 (1 v)

Folder B
Samples of application and acceptance for Membership in NHG 1915 (5)
Anniversary booklet of activities of Co.F, 2nd Infantry, CNG, on the Mexican border in 1916 (1 v)
Stripes for above service (2)

Folder C
Random newspaper clippings about NHG including obituaries about Antonio Dardell (said to be the only Chinese-American Civil War soldier) and train wreck of March 2, 1907 en route to encampment (27)

Box 12.

Folder A
Formal photographs of annual encampment and anniversaries 1887-1896 (11)

Folder B
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Folder C
" 1901-1902 (11)

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Group photos of NHG; event, place and year unidentified (1900-1910)

Dedication of Conn. Monument on field at Gettysburg, Oct 22, 1885. 27th of Conn. with some family members. 2c 1885 (1885)
Co.F of NHG at Camp Louisburg 1887 (1887)
Panoramic view of Camp Embler in Niantic 1890 (1890)
Group views of NHG Circus 1904, 1905 (1904-1905)

Two groups, one in uniform and one in civilian dress 1908 (1908)
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Officers of the end Regt. CNG at Torrington 1913 (1913)

Co.F 2nd Infantry CNG at Niantic 1914 (1914)
Large group of NHG at a beach resort 1914 (1914)
Three NHG at Camp identified as Turner, Crabb and Ward. n.d (n.d)

[1. See Boxes 19-21 for NHG records for 1940-1946, after which the NHG as an entity went out of existence. During 1940-1943 they were designated Co.B, 1st Bt.; 102 Infantry Regt. and from 1944-1946, 5th Bt.
2. See Oversize items for additional NHG photos.]
Box 18
Folder E  Roster Conn. National Guard, Second Regt Infantry at Camp Chamberlain, Niantic 1903
Box 16.

Folder A  Minutes of the New Haven Grays Veteran Association, beginning with organizational meeting on April 24, 1861, including original members' names 1861-1862, 1883-1885, 1944 (24 & 1 v)

Folder B  By-laws of the NHG Veterans 1968, 1980 (10)
Financial reports 1981 (5)
List of past presidents 1916-1977 (1)
Officers and Board 1981 (1)

Folder C  Roll books of NHG Veterans 1862, 1863, 1868, 1898 (4 v)

Folder D  Bulletins 1971, n.d (2)

Folder E  Record and orderly book of the 10th Co., 3rd Regt., Light Artillery, a dissident NHG group that formed what became known as the New Haven Blues. Contains organization request and list of first enlistments 1828-1841 (1 v)

Folder F  Continuation of minutes. NHB now designated 5th Co., 3rd Battalion, Light Artillery 1841-1850 (1 v)

Box 17.

Folder A  Continuation of NHB, now reorganized as Co.D, 2nd Regiment of the Conn. National Guard (CNG) 1865-1872 (1 v)

Folder B  " 1873-1887 (1 v)
Folder C  " 1888-1899 (1 v)
Folder D  " 1900-1913 (1 v)

Box 18.

Folder A  Record and order books of the 1st Flank Co. 10th Regiment. Designation in 1820s changed to 8th Co. 3rd Battalion of the Light Artillery. Constituted the Guilford Militia. 1817-1848 (2 v)

Folder B  Levies of fimes onmen of 1st Co., 2nd Regt. for failure to appear for training 1837 (68)
Folder C  Warrants for failure to appear at exercise and inspection in 1st Co., 2nd Regt. 1838 (40)
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Folder E  Roll book of Co.B., 2nd Regt., Conn. National Guard (City Guard) 1879-1909 (1 v)
Box 18. (continued)

Folder F
By-laws and standing committees of the Co.B, 2nd Regt. Association n.d (11)
Printed information for Conn. Home Guard units, of which Co.B, 2nd Regt. was the New Haven unit for service during World War I 1918 (6)
Treasurers' reports 1918 (15)
Payroll 1918 (5)
Lists of Company membership, many with addresses 1917-1919 (9)
Roster of non-commissioned officers 1919 (1)

Folder G
General orders 1918-1919 (3)
Instructions for Street Riots (7)
Drill report 1919 (1)
Roll report (1 v)
Discharges (21)
Correspondence 1917-1918 (4)

Folder H
Typescript and printed memorial of request to General Assembly of the Colony of Conn. by New Haven voluntary group to constitute them the Governor's Second Co. of Life Guards, similar to the First Co. of Hartford. Became the 2nd Co., Foot Guards. Signers many prominent New Haveners, such as: Arnold, Austin, Beecher, Trowbridge, Townsend, Beecher, etc. 1775 (4)
[Original request in Oversize Item 11.]
Brief history of the 2nd Co. Governor's Foot Guard, organized in 1775. Includes roster as of date of this publication. 2c. 1898 (20)
Souvenir program of pageant of historical figures. Includes a history of the Guards. 2c 1895 (2v)
Bicentennial brochure of the 2nd Co. 1975 (1 v)
Memorabilia

Box 19.

Folder A
History of the Conn. United States Naval Militia from its beginnings to the formation of a Veterans' Association of New Haven, written by Charles H. Eglee. Originally designated the 1st Division, Conn. Naval Militia, it had several name changes. Member names and activities included 1894-1945 (1 v)

Folder B
Mobilization orders to Conn. Naval Militia 1917 (3)
Muster roll of Militia (7)
Minutes of annual meetings of Gen. David Humphreys Branch No.1, Conn. Society of Sons of the American Revolution, each including a pertinent historical address. 1898, 1910-1912 (43)

Folder C
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Enlistment and service records of Co.B, 1st and 5th Bts., 102nd Regt. designations of NHG during 1940-1946 1940 (65)

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          Official score sheet for indoor rifle match,
          various units  1945-1946  (9)

Box 22.

[From here through Box 26A, because there is no bulk of papers connected with any single military unit, the collection is in chronological order centred about a single topic where possible, i.e. enlistments and commissions, musters, finances, etc.]

Folder A  Commissions granted by governors of the Colony of Conn. to:
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          Ezekiel Haise, Stephen Ford, Robert Brown, James Thompson,
          and Edward Dunbar.  1712-1776  (9)
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          Commissions as various officers by various governors
          of Conn. to:
          Joseph Rigs, Henry Dagget, Samuel Camp, Giles Pettibone,
          Elisha Bostwick, Stephen Ford, Anor Bradley, Allen Bestow,
          Elisha Munson  1792-1812  (21)
Folder C  Continuation to: William Lyon, John Fuller, John Hunt, James
          Cooper, Joseph Scarborough, Elisha Brigham, Samuel Camp,
          Nathan Hall (and his Orderly Book), Enos Prescott, Eli Fowler
          1818-1869  (14)
          General order from Secretary of the Navy George Bancroft
          establishing order of rank for naval surgeons.  1846  (3)
          Original signature
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Folder H Bassett, Edward Derby 1848 Notice of Military Duty
2nd Regt, 2nd Brigade
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Folder E  Receipt signed by Lt. John Barnes of South Branford for ammunition supplies 1758 (3)
Scrap of letters, deeds, accounts, etc. of Rufus Willey and members of his family. He had been an officer in Washington's army* 1775-1821 (20)

Folder F  Roster of officers and men detached from regular units to serve under Col. Benedict Arnold on the expedition against Quebec. Men from Conn., Mass. and New York. Modern, handwritten copy 1775 (1 v)

Folder G  Listing of some in above battalions, terms of enlistment and fate of some. Typescript 1775 (7)
Modern muster of Wallingford men said to be in Continental Army
Muster of Company of Teams headed by Isaac Goodrich and George Seymour 1777 (1)
Abstract of muster rolls of Conn. Division 1780 (1)
Call by the Council of Safety for additions to the Continental Army 1780 (1)
Muster by grade in Major Benjamin Leffingwell's command and orders to him to be ready to march upon sighting British fleet in Long Island Sound 1782-1783 (5)
Orders by Leffingwell and Gen. John Tyler 1782 (1)
Muster and record book of Capt. Elihu Sanford of New Haven 1799 (1 v)
Muster of company of Capt. Enos, Lt. Allen, and Ensign Leverett Dickeman 1804 (1)

Folder H  Orders to 2nd Ret. to appear for review at New Haven State House. Countersigned by Sophos P. Staples, founder of the New Haven Grays 1806 (1)
Procedures for inspection and review in 2nd Brigade of Conn. Militia n.d (1)
Orders by Col. Samuel Rose to 1st Regt. Horse Artillery to appear for review 1834 (1)
Notice of company meeting to Cadet H. H. Bromley 1840 (1)
Printed order to 2nd Brigade, Conn. Militia, to appear in New Haven in full uniform to participate in funeral observance for Pres. William Henry Harrison 1841 (1)

Folder I  Typescript of petition of Joseph Garnsey of Waterbury, requesting designation as a voluntary military unit for specified colleagues, and granting of same 1775 (4)
Resolution of General Assembly of the Colony to take a census as a possible preliminary to military service 1776 (1)
Printed history of the Milford Grenadiers, an outgrowth of a voluntary militia of 25 named individuals granted status in 1796 as 1st Flank Co., 2nd Regt. 1796-1836 (8)

* Includes a copy of Genl. Spencer's Orders to Con. Troops Encamped at Roxbury Mass. June 7-June 29, 1775
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Folder J  Photostat of petition of Norwalk citizens to General Assembly for military protection and typescript of names 1777  (40)
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Receipts for military expenditures 1754-1778  (3)
Photostat of petition to General Assembly by named farmers of New Haven, New London, and Hartford counties for payment for the cattle they had raised for the Army to the neglect of their crops. 1780  (3)
Requisition to Commissary Trumbull for supplies for Conn. troops signed by, among others: Israel Putnam, "against his will" 1775  (1)

Agreement between Judson Burton and several sea captains to deliver mail between Pittsfield and Stamford, and return 1776  (3)
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State of Conn. Tax statement 1785  (1)
Abstract of certificates of public debt 1798  (1)
Official sample page acknowledging payment for forage and pay during War of 1812 1798  (1)
Request of Lt. Col. Rutledge, to Brig. Gen. Jacob Reed to re-equip his regiment completely, and granting of same 1813  (3)

Folder K  [Many prominent early Conn. names will be found in pension applications]

Original copy of 2 letters found among papers of Capt. Elias Stilwell, member of the Foot Guards and volunteer under Benedict Arnold, probably written by Major John Armstrong. Known as "Newburgh Addresses", were calls to officers to demand fulfillment of Congress under Articles of Confederation to grant half-pay for service and as life-time pension 1783  (9)
Emotional petition to Congress by aging officers of the Revolutionary Army appealing for still unpaid service salaries 1817  (1)
Justification for widows' pensions in Box 22, Folder N.
Pencilled notes on proof of service of Conn. men in Revolutionary War, for qualification for pensions. No source given 1775-1781 (54)

Folder L  Proof by deposition or letter of qualifications for War pensions by Conn. service men, their widows, or children 1790-1857  (30)

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Typed lists, and depositions of Conn. widows qualifying for pensions and amounts n.d (18)

Instructions to claimants whose pension applications had been ruled invalid 1793 (1)

Affidavit signed by Simeon Baldwin that Nathan Beers had been Paymaster in the Revolutionary War (1)

Pension applications, original and typescript, for Revolutionary War service rejected by Judge Simeon Baldwin, for the following: Bradley, Lemuel - New Haven; Chedsey, Ephraim - East Haven; Frisbie, Israel - Middlebury; Griffin, Nathaniel - Guilford; Hotchkiss, Gabriel - New Haven; Johnson, Abraham; Lane, Nathaniel - Wolcott; Luddington, Eliphalet - Bethlehem; Murray, Thomas - Guilford; Partridge, Loevt - Guilford; Peck, Samuel - Milford; Root, Nathaniel H. - Cheshire; Spencer, William - Guilford; Thomas, Caleb; Upson, Benjamin - Waterbury; Weed, Jesse - Plymouth 1818 (16)

Applications for land bounties for service in Revolution and War of 1812 1852-1857 (12)

Correspondence re land grant of Robert Gates for service in War of 1812 (inc cert. from Bounty) 1855-1907 (5)

Instructions for pension claims issued at later date than all of above n.d (1)

Folder O

Correspondence and affidavits anent pension claims from various towns in Connecticut and names of Commissioners 1819-1859 (39)

Folder P

Letter from Quakers in New York City to Ebenezer Baldwin, Attorney in Albany regarding provisions of the military conscription law (1)
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Proof by deposition or letter of qualification for war pensions by Connecticut service men, their widows.

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Miner, James - New London County
Nettleton, Caleb - Milford
Nettleton, Nathan - Milford
Northrop, (Ann)
Ocain, Anthony F. - Milford
Oviatt, Isaac
Peck, Samuel - Milford
Ranney, Stephen - Chatham
Sanford, Elisha - M
Smith, David - M
Smith, Samuel Bryan - Milford
Stocking, Amos - Southwick, N. Y.
Stow, Jedidiah
Stow, Stephen - Milford
Strong, Ephraim - M
Terrell, Samuel - Milford
Tuttle, Aaron
Tuttle, Andrew - Milford
Wilton, George - New Milford

Bounty Lands (All from Milford)

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Ford, Amos
Foster, Sarah W. (widow)
Gates, Robert
Green, Polly (widow)
Jones, David
Nettleton, Wm. - Milford
Northrop, Seth
Platt, Nathan
Stone, Josiah

Officers entitled to half pay in addition to pensions

BOX 22N
Allen, David - Enfield
Anderson, Thomas - New London
Baggett, Henry - New Haven
Beers, Nathan - New Haven
Belts, Stephen - New Canaan
Benjamin, Aaron - Fairfield
Betts, Stephen - New London
Officers entitled to half pay in addition to pensions

Bradley, Daniel - Fairfield
Burbeck, Henry - New London
Chapman, Elijah - Tolland
Cole, Abner - Middlesex
Comstock, Samuel - Fairfield
Curtiss, Giles - Berlin
Daggett, Henry Jr. - New Haven
Enright, Joseph - Litchfield Co.
Fanning, Charles - Griswold
Gibbs, Samuel - Fairfield
Goodell, Silas - New London
Gorham, Nehemiah - Stratford
Graham, Nehemiah - Fairfield
Griswold, Andrew - New London
Grosvenor, Thomas - Windham
Hait, Samuel - Darien
Hobbel, Salmon - Darien
Hoft, Samuel - New Haven
Horton, Elisha - Litchfield
Luntington, Ebenezer - Norwich
Jackson, Ebenezer - Middletown
King, Joshua - Bridgefield
Kingsbury, Jacob - Franklin
Knight, Jonathan - Norwalk
Lockwood, Wm. - Norwalk
Lord, Wm. - Middlesex
Mansfield, John - New Haven
Meigs, John - Litchfield Co.
Miles, John - New Haven
Miller, Charles - Hartford
Mix, John - Farmington
Mix, Timothy - New Haven
North, Wm. - Waterford
Perry, Sylvanus - Windham
Pinto, Solomon - New Haven
Plumb, Wm. - Middletown
Pomroy, Ralph - Hartford
Ransom, Elijah - New London
Richards, Samuel - Farmington
Richards, Wm. - New London
Savage, Abijah, Middlesex
Shipman, Benoni - Middlesex
Talmadge, Benj. - Litchfield
Walmsley, Wm. - Fairfield
Werner, Robert - Middlesex
Watrous, John R. - Colchester
Webb, John - Litchfield Co.
Welch, John - Litchfield
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Service men of Revolution whose widows received pensions.

BOX 22N

Ambler, Squire - Danbury
Andrews, Jeremiah - Norwalk
Atwell, Samuel - Montville
Backus, Abner - Manchester
Bailey, Hezekiah - New Fairfield
Bassett, Damarius - Oxford
Beardsley, Abijah - Southbury
Beers, James - Trumbull
Beers, Matthew - Stratford
Bell, Jonathan - Darien
Betts, Uriah - Wilton
Birchard, Daniel - Redding
Birge, John - Burlington
Bissell, Lemuel - S. Windsor
Blackmar, Jacob - Burrillville, R. I.
Booth, David - Bridgeport
Brinsmade, Cyrus - Trumbull
Brockway, John - Lyme
Brothwell, Thomas - Wilton
Brown, Othniel - Tolland
Bugbee, James - Windham
Bulkeley, Nathan - Danbury
Bunting, Thomas - Danbury (widow Susan Wood)
Burbeck, Henry - New London
Burnett, John - Windham
Burrett, Anthony - Southbury
Campbell, Archibald - Sharon
Chaffee, Joel - Sharon
Chamberlain, Theodore - Cromwell
Champion, Ezra - E. Lyme
Chapman, Thomas - Ashford
Clark, Amos - Hampton
Clark, David - Chatham
Clark, Elisha - Southington
Clark, Oliver - Danbury
Clark, Roswell - Hebron
Cleaveland, Samuel - Montville
Coe, Timothy - Hartland
Cone, Joshua - E. Haddam
Cone, Noahdish - Haddam
Converse, Jonathan - Thompson
Copeland, Asa - Pomfret
Crossman, Trowbridge - Norwalk
Curtis, Giles - Berlin
Daboll, Benj. - Ledyard
Daniels, Job - Waterford
Dann, Rhoda - Stamford
Davis, John - Ashford
Service men of Revolution whose widows received pensions.

BOX 22N (Contd)

Day, Isaac - Windsor
Dean, David - Chaplin
DeWolf, Daniel - Colebrook
DeWolf, Seth - Cheshire
Douglass, Richard - New York
Dunsworth, George - Ashford
Edgar, Anthony - Glastonbury
Ellsworth, Job - E. Windsor
Evans, Moses - Vernon
Fairchild, Clement - Newtown
Fairchild, Peter - Newton
Forsyth, Latham - Salem
Freeman, Providence - Salem
Fuller, Benj. - Hampton
Fyler, John - Colebrook
Gager, Samuel R. - Sharon
Gardner, David - Norwich
Gibbs, Samuel - New Haven
Giddings, Thomas - Simsbury
Goodwin, Hezekiah - Sharon
Grant, Hamilton - Ashford
Green, Amasa - E. Windsor
Gregory, John - Danbury
Hamlin, Joseph - Trumbull
Hart, Samuel - Southington
Hayes, Dudley - Granby
Hilliard, Barnabas - Clinton
Hitchcock, Levi - Torrington
Hotchkiss, Asahel - Watertown
Woughton, Ephraim - Woodstock
Hubbell, Silliman - Winchester
Hull, Ezra - Milton
Hull, Joseph - Hebron
Humphrey, Joel - Winchester
Humphreys, Levi - Simsbury
Hyatt, Stephen - Norwalk
Johnson, Jedediah - Windham
Johnson, John - Chatham
Johnson, Levi - Wolcott
Lamson, Daniel - Litchfield
Loomis, Isaiah - Lebanon
Loomis, John - Lebanon
Lyman, Elisha - Norwalk
Mallory, Jacob - New Haven
Marah, Roswell - New Hartford
Marshall, Preserved - Avon
Martin, Nathaniel F. - Hampton
Maxam, Adonijah - Canaan
Merwin, Andrew - Brookfield
Service men of Revolution whose widows received pensions.

BOX 22N (contd)

Miller, Roswell - Brookfield
Moore, David - Preston
Moorehouse, Thadeus - Danbury
Morgan, Wm. A. - Hartford
Munson, Jonathan - New H?
Nearing, Henry - New Milford
Netleton, Caleb - New Milford
Nichols, Ebenezer - Danbury
Osborn, Isaac - Avon
Osborn, Stephen - Derby
Palmer, Elisha - Brooklyn
Palmer, Joseph - Norwich
Parmelee, Constant - Clinton
Parrish, Roswell - Griswold
Peck, Isaac - Fair Haven
Peck, Benj. New Fairfield
Pike, Elijah - E. Stonington
Pike, John - Pomfret
Pinto, Solomon - New Haven
Plank, Isaiah - Killingly
Platt, Joseph - Westport
Polly, Joseph - Bridgeport
Porter, Isaac R. - Danbury
Potter, David - Danbury
Ray, Gershom - Norwalk
Raymond, Nathaniel - Norwalk
Read, Zalmon - Redding
Reed, Justus - Waterbury
Rexford, Benj. - Middletown
Riggs, Laban - New Haven
Ripley, Nehemiah - Brooklyn
Robbins, Ebenezer - Ashford
Robinson, Amasa - Ashford
Robinson, Andrew - Windham
Robinson, Joshua - Hampton
Robinson, Reuben - Killingly
Rogers, Heman - North Branford
Russell, Thomas - New Haven
Sackett, Benj. - Lockport, N. Y.
Scofield, Ezra - Stamford
Scranton, Timothy - Westbrook
Seeley, Ebenezer - Fairfield
Seymour, Seth - Norwalk
Shepard, Simeon - Thompsoon
Sibley, Archeleus - Thompson
Sibley, Daniel P. - Woodstock
Sikes, Gideon - Suffield
Skinner, David - Columbia
Smith, Levi - New Milford
Service men of Revolution whose widows received pensions.

BOX 22N (contd)

Smith, James - Southington
Smith, John - North Haven
Smith, Levi - New Milford
Smith, Matthew - Windham
Smith, Ralph - Chatham
Spencer, James - Somers
Spencer, Michael - New Hartford
Squire, Calvin - Enfield
Stevens, Forward - Danbury
Stevens, Elias - Clinton
Stone, Alhambra - Pomfret
Talcott, Justus - Vernon
Terry, Asaph - Enfield
Thrasher, Bezaleel - New Britain
Tinker, Samuel - East Lyme
Treadwell, Benj. - New Fairfield
Treat, James - North Stonington
Tufts, David - Norwalk
Tyler, John - Bloomfield
Waggoner, George - Hastings, N. Y. (widow Louise L. Latimer)
Wakeman, Gershom - Fairfield
Warefield, Ephraim - S. Windsor
Warner, Richard - Suffield
Waterbury, Enos - Stamford
Waterbury, John - Darien
Watrous, John R. - E. Haddam (widow Lucretia W. Hubbard)
Way, Elisha - N. Stonington
Webb, Moses - Norwalk
Webster, Obed - Bethany
Weat, Ichabod - Canaan
Weed, Benj. - Darien
Wheeler, James - New Fairfield
Wheeler, James M. - Bridgeport
Whitney, Jonah - Darien
Wilcox, Jehiel - Hartford
Wilcoxson, Ephraim J. - Stratford
Williams, Isaac - Waterford
Wilson, John - Killingly
Woodruff, Samuel - Enfield
Folder A  Letters of Col. Nathan Whiting written from camp during the French and Indian War. Appears as article in Papers of the New Haven Colony Historical Society, v. 6, 1892.

1747-1763  (9)

Typescript of account by Samuel Hopkins (1721-1803) of engagement of Colonial Army under Lord Howe with the French near Ticonderoga, resulting in the defeat of the Colonials and the death of Lord Howe  2c  1758  (8)

Newspaper account quoting the diary of Asa Waterman of a 68-man company commanded by Major Durkee of Norwich, about an engagement with the French westward from Albany  1760  (2)

Letter from Chauncey Whittlesey (1717-1787), pastor of the First Church of New Haven, to Col. Nathan Whiting, expressing concern about French attacks on shipping  1762  (1)

Folder B  Typescript of William Judd's diary, Aug. 10, 1775 - July 11, 1776, describing his travels as a judge. Includes inset of names noted in diary  1776-1801  (45)

Folder C  Handwritten copies of military notes from selected Conn. newspapers chiefly listing appointments, promotions, desertions, prisoners, transfers, etc.  1776-1801  (120)

Folder D  Original and 2 typescript accounts of Samuel Orton's participation in a bloody, unnamed battle under command of General Pulaski  1778  (8)

Photostat of names of Conn. men who lost their lives at the Wyoming, Pa. massacre on July 3, 1778, taken from monument dedicated at the site on July 3, 1878  1778  (6)

Typescript of brief autobiography of Marcus Merriman, recounting his participation in the defense of New Haven under British attack, his privateering career, and his business and private life  1779-1849  (20)
Box 23. (continued)

Folder E  Photostats from Public Records Office in London of various British generals' orders and reports relating to the British attacks on New Haven and New London 1779 (62)

Folder F  Account in the Norwalk Hour of Aug. 7, 1951 of a personal recollection of the British attack on Norwalk. Horace A. Foote based his conclusion on stated correspondence of participants. (2)

Major Benjamin Tallmadge (1754-1835) letter to New Haven Authority and Selectman on progress of the War. Tallmadge was Washington's field intelligence officer 1781 (2)

Josiah Atkins' (1749-1781) journal during war service; part addressed to his wife 1781 (1 v)

Letter to his wife 1781 (1)

Folder F1  Photocopies of material from the National Archives re: Josiah Atkins. (see folder F)

Folder G  Handwritten copy of reports published in the Connecticut Courant between 1792 and 1813 of Conn. men killed and wounded in actions, of orders and assignments, etc. Copied in 1935 1792-1813 (54)

Folder H  Continuation (58)

Folder I  Handwritten copies of articles from the Connecticut Courant, Norwich Packet, and American Mercury appearing in 1780, 1797, 1800-1827. First article is a justification of a loyalist, but remainder only occasionally pertinent to Conn. and chiefly of military and civil appointments (100)

Folder J  Two apparently original pages from the July 4, 1799 minutes of the Society of Cincinnati. Also photostat 1799 (4)

Norris P. Atkins' letter to his parents from a camp near Buffalo about hardships of the War of 1812 1815 (1)

Commemorative brochure on the naval battle between the U.S. "Chesapeake" and the British "Shannon" on June 1, 1813 in which the U.S. was defeated. #23 of 25 printed copies (1 v)

Folder K  Handwritten lists from various periodicals, chiefly Conn., of casualties, desertions, pensions, appointments, orders etc. connected with the War of 1812, though action starts in 1807 (56)

Folder L  Continuation (80)

Folder M  Roster of Co.E, 1st Conn. Volunteers of New Britain, serving during Spanish-American War 1898 (1)

Members of the NC (?) CNG on the U.S.S. Minnesota during Spanish-American War 1898 (3)

Discharge papers from War (4)

Folder N  Papers of the Conn. United Spanish War Veterans, Allen M. Osborne, Camp No.1 1916-1919 (80)
Box 23. (continued)

Folder O
Letters of Simon Bretzfelder Kleiner (1892-1962) to his parents from France during World War I 1918 (23)
Letter to him from a French friend 1921 (1)
Kleiner's address book (1 v.)

Folder P
Letters to M. Louise Hemingway from her nephew "Sammy" in France about a chance meeting with her brother and his cousin, Harold Ludington Hemingway (1893-1918) 1918 (3)
Papers relating to dedication of memorial to Hemingway and establishment of a Yale scholarship in his memory 1918-1921 (9)
Copy of memorial poster commemorating Co.F, 2nd Conn. Infantry men who served in World War I. Space provided for individual photo of serviceman (1)
Newspaper account of memorial fountain in Seicheprey, France, dedicated in 1923 to men of Co.C and Co.D, 102nd Infantry, who died there in 1918 1918 (2)
Newspaper articles of 1979 and 1980 about Conn. survivors of Yankee Division of World War I, partially made up of New Haven 102nd Regiment 1918 (4)

Box 23. Continued

Folder P
War Ration Book Four issued to Maury McCrillis in Mass.

Folder Q
McCabe, James Thomas
Papers relating to his service during WWI
Gold Star Medallion & Cert. of Service as Corporal

Box 24.

Alphabetic card file of all New Haveners who served in World War I with addresses, birth date, next of kin, and military record. Some include newspaper accounts of individual.

A - L after 1918

Box 25.

Continuation

M - Z after 1918
List of New Haven men, with their military placement, wounded, gassed, killed, decorated or taken prisoner during World War I. (Page 1 missing; source of compiler, data, and date unknown).

After 1918

[Here follows alphabetically by town a listing of veterans' headstones in Conn. towns in or near New Haven. The next folder gives a brief history of the project, begun privately in 1916, completed in 1934.]

Correspondence relating to the Charles R. Hale headstone project.

Ansonia - Veterans of Civil, Spanish-American, and World War I, buried in Pine Grove, Old St Mary's, New St Mary's, and Elm Street Cemeteries.

Branford - Civil, Spanish-American, and World War I in Center, St Mary's, St Agnes, Stony Creek, Mill Plain, Damascus, and Trinity.

Cheshire - Correspondence with State Librarian Charles Hale about Civil War veterans in Hillside Cemetery.

Clinton - Clinton Cemetery (See also Madison)

Derby area - Revolutionary, 1812, Civil and World War I in Mt St Peter's, Oak Cliff, Old Colonial, Three Saints (See "Shelton" for cemeteries formerly considered part of Derby)

East Haven - Civil and Spanish Wars in East, West and Green Lawn

Hamden - Mt Carmel, State St, Whitneyville, St Mary's, Centerville and Hamden Plains in Civil, Spanish and World War I

Madison - List of men in the Civil War on tablets in Madison Memorial Hall

Madison (including North Madison - Hammonasset, West Side, Summer Hill, and North Madison in Civil, Spanish, and World War I. (See also "Clinton")

Meriden - Broad St, Gethsemane, Walnut Grove, East, West, St Laurens, Sacred Heart, St Boniface, St Patrick in Revolutionary, Civil, Spanish and World War I
Folder H  New Haven (and area) - Roster of graves of and monuments to patriots of 1775-1783 compiled by James S. Hedden for the Gen. David Humphries Branch of the Conn. Sons of the American Revolution  
(75)

Folder I  New Haven - Evergreen, Grove Street and Fair Haven veterans of 1812 and Mexican Wars. Includes a list of pensioners of the War of 1812  
(46)

Folder J  New Haven - veterans of Civil and Spanish Wars and World War I in Evergreen Cemetery  
(122)

Folder K  New Haven - Civil War burials in St Bernard's, Westville, and Grove st  
(21)

Folder L  New Haven - Revolution, 1812, Civil, Spanish, and World War I burials in Fairhaven Cemetery  
(12)

New Haven - Civil and World War I burials in Mapledale Cemetery  
(16)

New Haven - World War I casualties shipped to New Haven. Buried in Evergreen, St Bernard, St Lawrence, Fair Haven, Westville and Mishkan Israel  
(16)

Folder M  New Haven - Civil, Spanish, and World War I burials in St Lawrence Cemetery  
(37)

Folder N  New Haven - Veterans of the Civil War who died at the Noroton Home (outside New Haven) between 1885 to 1934 and were shipped to New Haven for burial. Prior to 1885 they were buried at Noroton  
(5)

New Haven - Veterans of the Civil War who died in New Haven and shipped to specified towns for burial  
(4)

North Branford - Burials in Old Northford, New Northford, and Totoket Cemeteries of Civil and Spanish War veterans  
(3)

North Haven - War of 1812 veterans in Montowese and Center Cemeteries  
(3)

Seymour - Civil War and World War I burials in Union and St Augustine  
(5)

Shelton - Civil War and World War I veterans buried in Riverside, Huntington Center, Lower White Hill, Long Hill, and Lawn Cemeteries  
(9)
Box 26. (continued)

Folder O
Wallingford - List of Civil War veterans buried in Center Street Cemetery, marked "unreliable". Names only. 2c (12)
Wallingford - Memorial record of Civil War veterans of A. H. Dutton Post No.36. Burial place not given. 2c (16)
Wallingford - Civil War veterans and members of above Post, A few burials places noted. 2c (20)

Folder P
Wallingford - Lists compiled by Shar-Simon Post No.73: Wounded and dead officers and enlisted men of World War I; membership lists. Partial duplication of some (36)

Folder Q
Wallingford - Civil and Spanish War and World War I veterans buried in Center, In Memoriam, Holy Trinity and St John Cemeteries (17)
West Haven - Revolutionary War soldiers buried in the Congregational and Episcopal Cemeteries (1)
West Haven - Civil, Spanish, and World War I veterans buried in Oak Grove (12)

Folder R
Program of Memorial Day ceremonies conducted by the Gen. David Humphreys Branch No.1 honoring Revolutionary War veterans buried in Grove St Cemetery June 16, 1918 (1)

Folder S
Memorabilia: Roster of the Centennial Legion of Historic Military Commands, Inc. on which appear 6 Conn. names 1938 (3)
Militia enrollment blanks (2)
Memorabilia of socials, of New Haven Light Guard 1864, 1866 (2)
Menu of reunion of 27th Regt. Conn. Volunteers 1862 (1)
Announcement of reunion of 5th Regt. Conn. Volunteers of Waterbury 1868 (1)
Letter from John Q. Tilson, Chief Marshal of the parade at the dedication of the Soldiers Monument on Broadway, inviting Capt. A. N. Farnham to be an officer 1905 (1)
Poster of memorial of 2nd Conn. Infantry, Co.F, who served in World War I, with blank space to display photo of individual c 1919 (1)
Membership rosters of NHG, with record of dues and fines:
v.1, Jan. 1881 - Jan. 1892; v.2, Jan. 1892 - Sept. 1903; v.3, Sept. 1917 - June 1923 (3 v.)

NHG morning reports 1907-1908 (1 v.)

NHG register of visitors, March 31, 1873 - Sept. 13, 1874 (1 v.)

The Grays March, composed and arranged by Kate B. Osborn. Published by The Treat and Shepard Company, New Haven 1896 (1)
The Grays Centennial Song: words by E. Charles Savery; music by Frederick Kingsley. Published by The Grays Centennial Committee 3c 1916 (3)
New Haven Grays Grand March, 3rd ed. Composed and arranged for the pianoforte by J. M. Hubbard. 3c n.d (3)

Scrapbook of NHG, compiled by Sgt Edward Taylor 1882-1885 (1 v.)

Photo album of NHG at Camp Niantic 1904-1906 (1 v.)

Panoramic view of 1st and 2nd Regt. CNG (includes NHG) at Camp Niantic 1906 (1)

Group photo of Co.A 102nd Infantry CNG at Niantic (NHG) July 7, 1927 (1)
Co.F 2nd Infantry CNG (NHG) 1914 (1)
Group photo of NHG, not in uniform upon 100th anniversary 1916 (1)
USS Agamemnon with returning troops of 26th (Yankee) Division (includes NHG) April 7, 1919 (1)

26th Division A E F entering Toul sector of France, April 1918, watched by village children (negative in Photography Dept.) NHG part of 26th (1)

Album originally holding photos of commissioned officers of the NHG now placed in Box 15 Folders D and E. Retained as artifact for its uniqueness (i v.)

Commission to Andrew Tuttle as captain in His Majesty's service. Six pound note issued by Colony of New Jersey attached 1737 (1)

Photolithographs of the original casualty list of the Battle of Ticonderoga. Original prepared by Dudley Humphrey of Simsbury 1758 (1)

Commission of Henry Bruson (Bronson) as Surgeon's Mate in Mass. Militia. Dr Bronson later became a long-time member of the Yale Medical School faculty 1828 (1)

Roll & Pay Account for Col. Wm. Whiting's Company at Annapolis Royal, Oct. 10, 1710 to Oct. 10, 1711 (for service against the French in Nova Scotia.) (1)
OVERRIDGE #10 (CONTD)
SUPPLIES TO FAMILIES OF NEW HAVEN OFFICERS
OF CONVO, LINE OF CONTINENTAL ARMY, 1781
NAMES & AMOUNTS LISTED

1. 200 lbs. of Groceries.
2. 100 lbs. of flour.
3. 50 lbs. of beef.
4. 200 lbs. of salt.
5. 50 lbs. of pork.
6. 100 lbs. of bread.
7. 200 lbs. of rice.
8. 50 lbs. of sugar.
9. 100 lbs. of coffee.
10. 200 lbs. of tea.

Convo.
December 1, 1781.

John Smith
Officer

[Signature]

Accountant

[Signature]

[Note: Additional pages may follow containing similar information.]
Appointment of Joseph D. Williams of Hartford as Paymaster General of the Conn. State Militia with rank of major. Signed by William J. Minor, Commander-in-Chief, and N. Sperry, Secretary of State. 1885 (1)

Distinguished service cross and oak leaf cluster awards to Lt Charles W. Comfort for extraordinary heroism at Seicheprey and Marcheville, France. One signed by John J. Pershing, commander-in-chief of the A.E.F. 1918 (1)

Connecticut debits of the French and Indian Wars.
March 1758 (1)

Original (?) and 2 facsimile copies of petition to General Assembly of the Colony of Conn. to grant requestees status of a distinct military unit. Became the 2nd Co. Governor's Foot Guards. Petitioners include many prominent New Haven names at time, especially Benedict Arnold, who became commander.
March 2, 1775 (3)

Photostats of additional assignments and actions of above company, copied from archives of Conn. State Library.
1775-1801

Certificate awarding Croix de Guerre to Nurse Lillian Johnson, Army Nurse Corps, Mobile Hospital No. 39, A.E.F.
October 25, 1926 (4)

1816

Commission William Lyons, Major, 2nd Regt.
1792

Commission Robert Gates, Lt Col.
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Folder A  Mementos of Glenna Bigelow Tyler (Mrs. Roger Pierpont Tyler)
She was nurse in France during World War I
Was in Belgium in 1914 when Germans invaded
Wrote "On the Road To Liege" and "Sideshows of the World War"
Died mid 1950's, buried Grove St. Cemetery in William Tyler plot
Photograph of Glenna Tyler (Glenna Bigelow)
Her working papers
Various newspaper clippings from 1914 highlighting world events
Ct State Defense Council - certificate of completion of Air Raid School
French note
Base Hospital 116 Revue bulletins
Medical article on hematology
Article by Albert R. Lamb, M.D. w/ handwritten dedication to nurse Bigelow
Certificate of insurance issued by Treasury Dept.
General Assembly of U.N., May 1947 - article written by Glenna describing her trip to U.N.
Nurses traveling orders

Folder B  Articles regarding her writings
The poem "The Battle of Liège"
Newspaper ads - Books just published
French poem
Letters to War Dept. & American Red Cross - re: Miss Bigelow's book and diary
Letter from Edward Judd Co., Booksellers of New Haven

Folder C  Steel engraving of William R. Tyler (Glenna's father)
Metal stamp photograph of nurse Bigelow in uniform
NEW HAVEN MILITARY COLLECTION  
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