

World War I Bibliography



Camp Yale, 1917

**Resources in the
Whitney Library
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PRINTED WORKS

D 570.32 302nd. T4

The 302nd Field Artillery, United States Army. Cambridge, MA: 302nd Field Artillery Association, 1919.

Includes *The Story of the Regiment*, by Captain William H. Claflin, Jr, which details the arrival of the Connecticut contingent and the "New Havens." The members are listed by battery and from which state they originate. Most of the men from New Haven served in batteries D, E, and F. Also photographs of the officers, including Major Morris Hadley of New Haven.

D 570.B5

Blumenthal, Charles

Gold Star Album, An Alsace-Lorraine Memorial Dedicated to the Mothers of the American Soldiers Who Fought and Died on the Soil of France. New York: Republic Memorial Publishing Co., Inc, 1928.

Begins with a history of the divisions and lists the honor roll of soldiers who were killed in action in France, alphabetically by division, including the 26th Yankee Division. With photographs.

D 570.3 26th. C6

Colby, Elbridge

"The March of the 26th," in *The Infantry Journal*, September-October 1940 (1940): 462-474. Details the night march into Saint Mihiel -- "one of the most brilliant offensive moves ever made by the American Expeditionary Forces in France," per Philip H. English. The advance troops were led by the New Haven Grays and were accompanied by the New Haven Blues, the New Haven Light Guards, and the New Haven Machine Gun Companies. Colby was a Lieutenant Colonel in the Infantry.

E 202.5.C779

Daughters of the American Revolution

Report of War Work of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Connecticut during the Great World War from August 15, 1914 -- November 11, 1918. With Supplemental Reports Since the Signing of the Armistice, to and including June, 1919. Meriden: State Regent, Connecticut Daughters of the American Revolution, 1919.

Includes citations of Esther Voorhees Hasson for serving overseas, Elizabeth M. Jerome as a Gold Star Mother, Mary Clap Wooster, Mrs. Robert A. France, and Mrs. Hubert M. Sedgwick, all of New Haven.

F 104.N6 D334 1929

Dedication of World War Memorial, and Honor Roll, New Haven Green, New Haven, Connecticut, May 30, 1929. New Haven, 1929.

Program for the dedication of the Memorial Flagstaff (designed by Douglas Orr) on the New Haven Green. Includes a list of the men from New Haven who died in the war.

LD 6329 1913

The Eavesdropper. New Haven: Class of 1913 Yale College, 1918. No. 4, December, 1918. A Yale publication, this issue contains detailed military histories of the members of the class of 1913 who served in the war, and obituaries of those who lost their lives.

D 622.E6

Egan, Maurice Francis, and Kennedy, John B.

The Knights of Columbus in Peace and War. New Haven: The Knights of Columbus, 1920. A history of the Knights of Columbus which includes its involvement in relief work during World War I. Two volumes.

*D 570.3 26th. E64 Vol.1

English, Philip H.

World War I Diary of Philip H. English. The revised Diary of a Lieutenant of the Connecticut National Guard. 1917 -- 1919.

A detailed accounting by English, a 1st Lieutenant in the 102nd US Infantry 26th (Yankee) Division, of his experiences in the war. Begins, "On March 28th, 1917, I was working at the plant of the Acme Wire Company in New Haven, aiding in the shipping of wire. Suddenly an errand boy darted out to the shipping platform with exciting news that the Connecticut National Guard had been mobilized for possible duty against Germany. War had not yet been declared." Volume 1 is a typescript of the diary.

*D 570.3 26th. E64 Vol. 2

English, Philip H.

World War I Diary of Philip H.English. Scrapbook. 1917 -- 1919. Photos and newspaper clippings.

UA 110.H47 1939

Historical and Pictorial Review: National Guard, Naval Militia, and Governor's Guard of the State of Connecticut, 1939. Baton Rouge, LA: Army and Navy Publishing Co., 1939. Includes section on the 102nd Regiment, 26th (Yankee) Division.

D 570.3 26th. Y3

The History of the 26th Yankee Division, 1917-1919, 1941-1945. Salem, MA: Yankee Division Veterans Association, 1955. Printed by Deschamps Bros. First chapter of the book details the history of the Yankee Division -- its formation and activities in the field -- before and during World War I. Includes photographs.

D 570.34 101st. H4

History of the 101st Machine Gun Battalion. Hartford: The 101st Machine Gun Battalion Association, 1922. 1st Lieutenant Philip S. Wainwright, Editor.

Includes history of the formation and service of this battalion of the 26th "Yankee" Division of the National Guard, roster, and photographs of the members including from New Haven: 2nd Lieutenant Herbert C. Noyes, 2nd Lieutenant Wilfred H. Tiernan, 2nd Lieutenant Ralph S. Butler, 1st Lieutenant E. Sanderson Cushman, Corporal Albert Newman, Sergeant Dudley M. North, Private John W. Sullivan, Corporal Stanley H. Leeke, Private Allen F. Parker, Private, 1st Class, Howard L. Sargent, Private Archie C. Lenzi, Private William A. Miller, Private Ralph Pascale, and Mechanic Walter S. Smith.

D 609.U7 H26

History of Hamden Men in the World War, from Information Collected and Compiled by the Hamden War Bureau, with a Brief Summary of the Activities of the Bureau. New Haven: The Tuttle, Morehouse & Taylor Company, 1919.

Biographies of Hamden men who served in the war, listed alphabetically.

D 570.34 102nd. M4

A History of Troop A, Cavalry, Conn. National Guard and its Service in the Great War as Co. D, 102nd Machine Gun Battalion. New Haven: Tuttle, Morehouse & Taylor, 1919.

Robert John McCarthy, Editor.

Details evolution from the Connecticut Cavalry to Troop A, and includes roster, photographs, lists of men wounded and killed in action, and awards and citations.

CT 275.J3 J3

Jerome, Elizabeth Maude

Lieut. Gilbert Nelson Jerome. New Haven, 1920.

Biography of Gilbert Nelson Jerome, written by his mother. Jerome died in the war when his plane went down on July 11, 1918. Includes photographs. Inscribed by the author.

D 570.85.C81 N496 2017

Macaluso, Laura A.

New Haven in World War I. Charleston, SC: The History Press, 2017.

In-depth discussion of New Haven's contribution of time, people, and resources to the war effort. Includes a Memorial Roll, illustrations, and bibliography.

D 606.N4

New England Aviators 1914 -- 1918; Their Portraits and Their Records. Boston and New York: Houghton Mifflin Company, 1919.

Short biographies of aviators from New England who served in the war. Listings for Gilbert Nelson Jerome as well as New Havenites Joseph Emmett Beaton, Robert Lewis Fisher, Ralph S. Rowe, and Sterling Russell Chatfield. Includes photographs. With an introduction by A. Lawrence Lowell. Two volumes.

D 570.3 26th. G4

Pictorial History of the Twenty-Sixth Division, United States Army, With Official Government Pictures Made by United States Signal Corps Unit Under Command of Captain Edwin H. Cooper. Boston: Ball Publishing Company, 1920. Text by Albert E. George and Captain Edwin H. Cooper.

Discusses the formation of the 26th division in France and its engagement from February 6, 1918 until the armistice. Includes photographs from the field, roster, and decorations awarded and recommended.

D 639.D4 U5 1929b

Pilgrimage for the Mothers and Widows of Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines of the American Forces Now Interred in the Cemeteries of Europe, as Provided by the Act of Congress of March 2, 1929. Letter from the Acting Secretary of War, Transmitting to Congress a report of the number of mothers and widows of the deceased soldiers, sailors, and marines of the American Forces now interred in the cemeteries of Europe who desire to make the pilgrimage to these cemeteries during the year 1930 or later, a list of their names and addresses and the probable cost. Washington, DC: United States Government Printing Office, 1930.

Listed by state and county, with New Haven on pages 37-38.

Ref D 609.A2 C66, v. 2

Service Records: Connecticut Men and Women in the Armed Forces of the United States During World War 1917 - 1920. Hartford: Office of the Adjutant General State Armory, (n.d.) Comprehensive cataloguing of individuals who served in the war. Includes place of birth, military division, whether enlisted or inducted, division, where served, and circumstances of discharge. One of three volumes. New Haven listings from pages 1645 -- 2083.

D 570.3 26th. S5

Sibley, Frank Palmer

With the Yankee Division in France. Boston: Little, Brown, and Company, 1919.

Boston Globe reporter's account of his time spent in France in 1918 with the 26th Infantry Division of the United States Army. Includes map and illustrations.

D 619.S64

Sterba, Christopher M.

Good Americans: Italian and Jewish Immigrants During the First World War. New York: Oxford University Press, 2003.

Examines the contributions of Italian and Jewish immigrants in the war and argues that the war accelerated the process of inclusion and entitlement for Italian immigrants who settled in New Haven, both those who fought in the war and those who helped with recruitment and relief efforts at home. See also D 570.88.I8 S83.

D 570.88.I8 S84

Sterba, Christopher M.

"Your Country Wants You": New Haven's Italian Machine Gun Company Enters World War I.

An offprint from the June 2001 issue of *The New England Quarterly*.

Studies the interaction of nativist and ethnic concerns surrounding service in the war by Italian American immigrants from New Haven. Highlights the experience of James G. Ceriani, a restaurateur and sergeant in the CT National Guard.

D 570.33 102nd. S7

Strickland, Daniel Walter

Connecticut Fights; The Story of the 102nd Regiment. New Haven: Quinnipiack Press, Incorporated, 1930.

Historical account of the 102nd Infantry Regiment, detailing its inception in colonial times and its activities during World War I. Includes maps, photographs, and a roster of men who served in the unit, along with city of origin.

D 570.A13 N44

To The Men Who Served. To the Employees of the Geometric Tool Company who enlisted in the service of the United States Government during the World War of 1914-1918. New Haven, 1919.

Includes photographs and brief details of service of men who worked for Geometric Tool Company in New Haven and served in the war. Also an American Citation for Bravery for Sergeant George H. Peckham.

F 98.N3 J68 v. 26, no. 2

Wiedersheim, William Augustus

"The New Haven Greys," in *Journal of the New Haven Colony Historical Society*, Volume 26, Number 2 (1979): 21-32.

A brief history of the New Haven Greys, including their foray into World War I as Company F, 102nd Infantry Regiment of the 26th (Yankee) Division. Sixteen members of F Company lost their lives while fighting in France.

D 606.W67

Wortman, Marc

The Millionaires' Unit: The Aristocratic Flyboys Who Fought the Great War and Invented American Air Power. New York: Public Affairs, 2006.

Details the story of a group of Yale undergraduates who organized an aviation unit to assist with America's effort in the war. The Yale Aero Club transformed into the First Yale Unit, which became the originating squadron of the U.S. Naval Air Reserve.

D 609.Y25

Yale in the World War: Volume Two. New Haven: Yale University Press, 1925.

A catalog of Yale students who served in the war. The 9,464 men are listed alphabetically within their school, and statistics include rank and dates and location of service. Edited by George Henry Nettleton.

D 570.3 26th Y4

Yankee Division Annual Reunion. New Haven, 1935.

Yankee Division National Convention Program, June 28-30, 1935. Includes "The Yanks Are Coming" by Herbert E. Smith and "New Haven During the World War" which describes how the mayor, the Hon. David E. Fitzgerald, worked to keep New Haven safe during the war.

F 105.N4 S28

Saunders, Ernest. Blacks in the Connecticut National Guard: A Pictorial and Chronological History, 1870 to 1919. New Haven: New Haven AfroAmerican Historical Society, 1977.

During this period African-Americans served in separate organization from whites. Lists African-Americans from Connecticut who served in World War I.

MANUSCRIPTS

MSS #80

New Haven Military Collection, 1710 - 1981

Includes correspondence, rosters, orders, published histories, financial records, scrapbooks, diaries, reprints of newspaper accounts, minutes, photographs, and other materials. Chiefly relates to the New Haven Grays, a local military company that was active from 1816-1945 and was reorganized during World War I as Company F, US Army, 102nd Infantry Regiment, 26th (Yankee) Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

MSS #130

Jennie Gilbert Jerome Papers, 1858 - 1979

Includes correspondence, diaries, photographs, and other papers relating to Gilbert Nelson Jerome, Jennie's brother, who served as a pilot in France during World War I and was shot down and killed in 1918.

MSS #300

Ralph J. Welter Papers, 1907 - 1951

Ralph J Welter was a son of German immigrants to New Haven who served in the U.S. Army in World War I. Collection includes photographs, scrapbooks, ration books, postcards, a Bible and other personal items.

MSS #C1, Box 25

English, Philip Henry

"New Haven Men in the 102nd U.S. Infantry American Expeditionary Force, 1917 - 1919."

Describes the activities of the unit during this time period. Includes bibliography and a listing of New Haven men who were awarded decorations. 20 pages, typescript. Folder also includes typescript "The Battle of Seicheprey, April 20, 1918," by Colonel John Henry Parker. According to English, 50% of the troops engaged in the battle came from New Haven.

MISCELLANY

*UA 928.5.N34 C64

Connecticut State Council of Defense. New Haven War Bureau.

Scrapbook of help-wanted and men-wanted advertisements and other materials.

CT 275.J3 J5

Jennie Jerome 1888-1979 Transcript

Full version of her transcript talking to Roberta Yerkes Blanchard, taped January 24-25, 1975

CT 275.J3 J6

Scrapbooks Concerning World War 1 Service of Gilbert Jerome, His Death in Action, and Subsequent Events. New Haven: The Whitney Library, 2008.

Photocopies of material in the Jennie Gilbert Jerome Papers, MSS #130. Includes letters from Jerome to his sister and mother, correspondence from the American Red Cross, newspaper clippings, photographs, and sketches drawn by Jerome.

D 570.85.C6 W65

World War I Miscellanies

Includes *Commemorative Exercises in Honor of the Yale Men Who Gave Their Lives in the War* (June 15, 1919), *Dedication of the Flag Pole with the National and Service Flags and Honor Roll in Beecher Park* (June 22, 1918), *When Connecticut Stopped the Hun, Battle of Seicheprey, April 20-21, 1918*, among other flyers and publications.

*F 104 .N6 C768

Connecticut State Council of Defense, New Haven War Bureau, A Statement of It's Work, 1918

Describes the activities of the war effort in New Haven

RESEARCH PAPERS

Sterba, Christopher M.

D 570.88.I8 S83

The Melting Pot Goes to War: Italian and Jewish Immigrants in America's Great Crusade, 1917-1919. Waltham: 1999.

Brandeis University PhD candidate dissertation. Italian component highlights New Haven. Sterba argues that the Great War accelerated the process of inclusion and entitlement for Italian immigrants who settled in New Haven, both those who fought in the war and those who helped with recruitment and relief efforts at home. See also D 619.S64.

CT 275.J3 R69

Rossi, Deborah G.

Gilbert Jerome: A Victorian Gentleman in a Modern War. Middletown: 1998.

Wesleyan University term paper. Tells the story of Gilbert Jerome who was born in New Haven and volunteered to be trained as an aviator in the war. He died when his plane went down on July 11, 1918. Includes excerpts of letters from Jerome, illustrations, and bibliography.

CT 275.J3 R67

Rossi, Deborah G.

Remembering the Fallen: How the Dead of the Great War are Mourned, Memorialized, and Commemorated. Middletown: 1999.

Wesleyan University term paper. Focuses on New Havenite Gilbert Jerome and his family. Includes bibliography as well as photos of memorials and gravesites.

GUIDES

Schaefer, Christina K.

The Great War: A Guide to the Service Records of all the World's Fighting Men and Volunteers. Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Company, 1998.

Lists resources for researching service records. Includes resources such as the National Archives, the Connecticut State Library, and the Company of Military Historians in Westbrook.