

Finding Aid for the Washington University Memorial Association (WUMA) Records

Descriptive Summary

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Historical Note

The Washington University Memorial Association was founded in order to create "a memorial commemorating those persons affiliated with Washington University, who rendered national service in the Great War, and also other persons, affiliated with Washington University at other periods whose services have, or shall have, reflected honor on the University." (Memorial Association Constitution)

In 1921 the Association sent all individuals associated with the University (including current or former students, faculty, and staff) for whom an address was known a blank form titled "Washington University War Record." Forms were also sent to individuals who attended the then associated educational institutions of Smith Academy, Mary Institute, and the Manual Training School. Instructions on the form stated,

It is hoped that each person to whom this information blank is sent will regard the matter in an impersonal way, and that no feeling of modesty will prevent such person from lending his or her co-operation in a work that will redound to the good name of Washington University.

Information regarding military service, as well as civilian efforts, such as Red Cross and Liberty Loan participation, was requested. Forms that were returned were completed to various degrees, with some individuals including very detailed accounts of war involvement and attaching supporting documents, letters, or photographs. Other forms were returned with little information, or information about the individuals' career since leaving the University. Many of the returned records were from former medical school or nursing school students, some of whom served at the Red Cross sponsored Base Hospital No. 21, in Rouen France which was staffed by faculty and students of the Medical School.

Individuals whom were deceased were selected for special recognition on the bronze war memorial plaque installed by the Memorial Association.

Scope and Content Notes

This collection includes meeting minutes, correspondence with members, and fundraising materials of the Washington University Memorial Association (WUMA). The major work of the Association included installation of a memorial plaque on Ridgley Hall to honor alumni and student who died in World War I, planting a dozen elm trees on campus and erecting a bronze tablet to honor Professor Calvin Woodward after his death, and commissioning a series of portraits to honor Chancellors of the University.

This collection is arranged in alphabetical order. All War Record forms are filed alphabetically by last name, as written on the form. In cases of unclear spelling names are listed with [sic], and illegible portions are indicated with the symbol [...].

Administrative Information

Source of Collection

This material was transferred to the University Archives.

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There are no accruals.

Processing Information

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War Records, A – C:
Abeken, Fredrick G.

Abekeu, Rodowe H.
Abrams, Leo F.
Abrams, Samuel F.
Adelsberger, Louis
Adkins, Elmer G.
Allison, Nathaniel
Amos, Earle Holmes
Annin, Pauline E.
Apple, Lewis T.
Appuhn, W. V.
Arbuckle, Millard Fillmore
Armstrong, Fred Jr.
Arnold, Edmond B.
Atkins, Herbert W.
Atwood, William G.
Baker, Donald B.
Barg, Leslie M.
Barnes, George
Barnett, Beth (Mrs.)
Barnidge, Thomas L.
Barrell, Merritt Carter
Barry, Fredrick W.
Barter, Angus J.
Barth, Sophie R. (Mrs. Carl G.)
Bathisla, Joseph L.
Beall, Homer
Bealy, Joseph G.
Becker, Arthur William Jr.
Bewig, Louis
Bickford, Ernest L.
Biggs, James B.
Bird, James Bowdon
Birkner, John M.
Blair, Uilray Papin
Bleyer, Adrien [sic]
Bode, Walter O.
Boettler, Herbert F.
Bohn, Charles A.
Booghr, Ethel (Miss)
Boulden, John Searles
Bowles, Thomas K.
Brandes, Harry A.
Bredall, G.H.
Briggs, Gary Young
Brightfield, Lloyd O.
Brocbuan, Fred J.

Brookings, Robert S. [WU Board of Directors]
Brown, James A.
Brown, Benjamin Sewall
Brunson, Elmer
Burdick, Jesse Jerome
Burg, Paul Henry
Burgess, Samuel Allen
Burke, Mary Frances
Buschmann, Louis Herman Adrian
Buss, Francis Theodore
Cady, Lee De
Coldwi[...], J. W.
Campbell, Oliver Howard
Carson, William L. Bruce
Carter, Robert Jefferson
Casten, James B.
Castlen, Harry W.
Catt, Marion E.
Chalkley, A. Judson
Charles, Joseph William
Chesney, Alan Mason
Chiovis, Leland
Christensen, Emil J.
Coline [sic], Harry X.
Clopton, Malvern B.
Cloyd, August Davis
Coleman, Frank B.
Collins, Charles Cummings
Collins, John A.
Cowstoek, William O.
Compton, Arthur H. [WU Professor of Physics]
Coudie, Douglass King
Conrad, William Lightner
Conrath, Philip A.
Cooper, Charles Bryant
Culbertson, S. Roy
Cullen, Charles E.
Cushing, Harvey

War Record, D – G:

Dammert, Louis A.
Danforth, William H. [president Ralston Purina]
Dargatz, G.E.
Dawley, Helen Louise
Davis, Walter Naylor
Day, Anthony B.

Day, Helen J. (Miss)
Denison, Walcott
Denison, Van Alvin
Derby, Frank H.
Derivaux, Robert G.
Dew, Walter Albert
Dewey, Corydou O.
Diez, Max
Dirks, Bernd Jansen
Dixon, Elliot Knight
Doisy, Edward A.
Dounan, David M. (Mrs.)
Douay, Gaston [WU Professor]
Drakem James Carl
Dugan, Richard D.
Duggar, Benjamin M. [Missouri Botanical
Garden and WU
Professor]

Du Mars, Eliot C.
Duncker, Henry Philip
Dyer, Clyde P.
Early, Marion C.
Elder, William
Eliot, Edward C.
Eliot, Thomas Dawes
Eliot, William Greenleaf, Jr. [grandson of WU
founder]

Elsner, Erwin Charles
English, Fred L.
Erlanger, Joseph
Evans, Mabel
Even, Edward
Ewerhardt, F. H.
Ewing, Arthur E.
Faber, Walter Jacob
Falknor, Carl C.
Faure, Maurice [photographs]
Ferriss, Hugh [photograph]
Felker, Paul H.
Fife, Charles R.
Fillmore, Rollin
Fink, Frank C.
Fischel, Ellis
Fish, Edwards R.
Fisher, Harry M.
Fitzgerald, William P.

Fletcher, Alma
Forder, Samuel W.
Fordyce, John Rison
Frank, Harry August
Freels, Arthur McDonald
Frey, Abraham Benjamin
Fuchs, Ralph F.
Gardner, Albert J.
Gehrung, Julien A. [service in French Military]
Giessow, Edward H. Jr.
Glaser, Martin J.
Goldstein, Albert E.
Gleditzsch, Mildred
Gouterman, J. Wilbur
Goodalf, Authur Summerville
Graham, Evarts A.
Grant, Lee W.
Gramille, Sherman
Gravely, Joseph J.
Gray, Carl Raymond Jr.
Green, William Carlton
Grimm, John Hugo
Grindon, Joseph
Gronemeifer [sic], Herbert W.
Gronert, Henry
Gruner, Emmett [photograph]
Gruner, Meta
Gundlach, Arthur
Gupton, Theodore

War Records, H – L:

Hagler, Fredric
Hake, Harry Gray
Hall, Fredric Aldin [WU Chancellor]
Hardaway, Francis Page
Harting, Walter C.
Harvey, Julian Corneille
Haskins, Frank H.
Hawkins, George Giles
Hawkins, William J.
Haydock, Winters
Haynes, Moses
Heidtuam [sic], O. C.
Helbig, Emily Mai
Hempelmann, Walter L.
Hecker, Charles Henry

Herbert, George H.
Herbert, Raymond L.
Herman, Alois T. E.
Heseman, Walter H.
Hetlage, George
Hewitt, Walter Roy
Hilgermann, William A.
Hill, Lawrence H.
Hinkle, Charles G.
Hoehn, Ernest B.
Hogg, Garrett
Holm, Victor S. [photograph]
Hope, J. Brandon
Horner, Wesley Winans
Hoy, Cora B.
Hufferd, Ray[...]
Huggler, Lena A.
Hughes, Elmer L.
Hughes, Frank Miller
Humphrey, Helen
Hurdle, Orval Newton
Hux, O. M.
James, William Austin
Johnson, Carl O.
Johnson, Harold Hopkins
Jones, Grace R. (Mrs. Robert McK.)
Jones, Harold H.
Kanode, Henry Donald
Karr, John H.
Kavanagh, Irene Jane
Keith, Barnard C.
Kelley, W. W.
Kennedy, Maxwell Jr.
Kinnerly [sic], John H.
Kesi, George Matthew
Kiefer, Oscar G.
Kimball, Arthur Campbell
Kimbro, Earl C.
Kinealy, John Henry
Kinsella, John Hixon [photograph]
Kirn, W. J. T.
Knorth, Albert Stanley
Klim, Mary J.
Koch, George Louis T.
Kohlmeyer, Fred A.
Kopelowitz, Jonas Clarence

Kramer, Eleanor (Mrs. John Heitzman)
Krawswick, Gertrude [WU Reference Librarian]
Kremer, Dorothy Eugenia [WU School of
Medicine Registrar]

Kuhns, Jay M.
Laird, John Alfred
Lamar, Robert W.
Lamb, Harvey D.
Langsdorf, Alexander S. [WU Dean]
Lanigan, Luna A.
Larimore, Joseph W.
Lathnox [sic], Gordiner
Lautou, Rachel R.
Leavitt, Sherman
Lee, Elmer [service in Spanish-American War]
Leggat, Abraham C.
Leh[...], Edwin P.
Lehmann, Frederick William Jr.
Lehmann, John Stark
Leimkuchler, F. Ray
Lentz, Charles Waldo
Le Saulmir, Herman Louis
Lewald, Alfred
Lewis, Wilson
Lide, Claudia Clayton
Lieber, Charles A.
Like, Ottis
Lincoln, Henry F.
Lindholm, Arthur William
Lindsay, Joseph L. [service in Spanish-
American War]
Lockhart, Ezra Lee
Long, Charles D.
Long, Harland W.
Lacl, Leo
Luckey, Frank S.
Lund, Herlue Gyde
Luton, Lionel Sinclair [photograph]
Lynch, Fredrick D.

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Macy, Earl W.
Maenner, Theodore H.
Mange, Clarence E.
March, Claiborne Jackson
Markham, George D.

Martin, J. W.
Mason, Watson S.
Maxwell, Herbert Spencer
Mayes, William Earle Garfield
McAruis, L. Clifford
McFarland, Harry F.
McGinnis, Clive Sidney
McKitterick, John Collins
McMillen, James A.
Mercer, Ray
Metz, Charles O.
Meyer, Alphonse Herman
Meyer, Oliver Dippel
Miller, H. Edward
Miller, Harold N.
Miller, Ira H.
Milligan, James J.
Minton, William Henry
Moll, John R.
Monroe, Wendell P.
Moore, George T. [Director Missouri Botanical
Garden and WU Professor]
Moore, Loren D.
Moruel, D.
Morrill, Marquenie Forrester
Monis, Glenn S.
Morton, Jeannette F. (Mrs. I. W.)
Moss, George Tennent Jr.
Mudd, Harvey G.
Mudd, Oscar Peyton
Mudd, Seeley Wintersmith
Muench, Max S.
Nagel, Charles
Napier, Amalie Marie [photograph]
Nelson, William Laurence
Newhoff, Dorothy A.
Newby, Glen Roth [photograph]
Newell, Quitman Underwood
Niemoeller, Elmer
Nix, Edward D.
Nugent, Jesse Thomas
Omohundro, Charles Evens
Opie, Eugene L.
O'Reilly, Andrew J. [photograph]
Ottofy, L. Frank
Paul, Burton E.

Payne, Harry Daniel
Payne, Maryanne de Germon
(Mrs. Harry Daniel)
Pesetke, Alvin J.
Pesetke, Samuel Edw.
Peters, Oliver Frank
Pettus, Charles Parsons
Pfeiffenberger, Mather
Phelps, Glen
Pickard, Jesse L.
Pieper, Christ William
Pieper, William H.
Pitzman, Marsh
Pollock, Ivan Lester
Porter, Alice Lydia
Potts, John
Price, Humphrey
Prokes, Charles Albert
Ragland, Dallas Case
Ramsey, Douglas C.
Raney, Frank Oviatt
Rapp, F. A.
Rearden, Frank Le Roy
Reel, Gordon
Rehfeldt, Charles Sixtus
Reilley, Laura Holmes (Mrs. Eugene Reilley)
Riess, John T.
Riley, Ruth
Ritchey, George
Robert, Douglas W.
Rodgers, Grace
Roever, William H.
Rohlfing, Edwin H.
Rochiock, F. B.
Ruebel, Daniel A.
Rupert, George Washington [photograph]
Russ, Cash M.
Russie, Leonard

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Sachs, Ernest
Saeger, Fred J.
Sale, Llewellyn
Saenger, Nathaniel
Salveter, Robert Earl

Saylor, Richard Morgan
 Schantl, Hans
 Scherer, George F.
 Scheve, Elmer F.
 Schleifforth, Armin O.
 Schnell, Benjamin C.
 Schwartz, Fredrick Oscar
 Scott, Mrs. Frank H. (Edith Kribhece [sic])
 Schreiber, Adam William [photograph]
 Schwab, Sidney I.
 Schwarz, Elmer H.
 Seelig, M. G.
 Shapleigh, Alfred L.
 Shapleigh, John Blasdel [WU Professor of
 Otology]

Sharon, John James
 Shriner, Ralph L.
 Skinker, Isabel N. (Miss)
 Smith, Elsworth S.
 Smith, Holmes
 Smith, Mrs. Robert Moore (Eunice Wilderman)
 Smith, Rose Eliot (Mrs. Holmes Smith)
 Smither, Chester C.
 Soest, Hugo Conrad
 Sparks, Grace E.
 Sparks, Launner [sic]
 Spencer, Eugene Jaccard
 Spencer, Selden P.
 Spitze, Edward C.
 Stalturip, Minnola
 Stevenson, Phil[...]
 Stewart, Samuel Smith
 Ste[...], Clarence E.
 Steuernagel, Albert J.
 Stith, Harold J.
 Stoffel, Remy
 Stout, Francis R.
 Stout, Minor Woolfolk
 Stoner, Stanley
 Strallon, Mrs. Celeste Clark
 Strauss, Arthur E. [WU Medical School staff]
 Stupp, Erwin P.
 Sullivan, Francis Joseph
 Summersby, John James Jr.
 Taidley, Leop [sic] H.
 Taphorn, Gerhard

Tate, Joseph Temple
 Tait, Roland S.
 Taulbee, Kelly L.
 Taylor, Lucy
 Tenteberg, Louis William
 Thero, S. G.
 Thomas, Louis P.
 Thompson, Henry Herbert
 Thompson, Nesta M. [instructor at Mary
 Institute]
 Thomson, Harry Truman
 Toler, Raymond U.
 Tooker, Charles W.
 Tower, Sarah
 Travis, W. G.
 Tucker, Raymond R.
 Tajmione, Naokaza
 Turnbull, Robert Johnson
 Tuttle, William Morris
 Van Meter, Eugene Robert
 Van Meter, Karl Kittson [photograph]
 Van Ornum, J. L. [WU Professor of Civil
 Engineering, served in
 Spanish-American War]
 Veeder, Borden Smith
 Vical, Charles [WU Assistant Professor of
 Spanish, service in French
 Military]
 Visscher, John Paul
 Waterston, William R.
 Wattenberg, John Edw.
 Wehrly, John
 Weil, Eugene Stix
 Weir, Harold Ewing
 Welle, Albert Fredrick Jr.
 Wessler, Fredrick W. [served in Civil War,
 1862 – 1866]
 Wheeler, N. H.
 White, Walter Lawrence
 Wichmann, August Gustave
 Wiechert, Roland H.
 Wieneke, J. C.
 Wrener, Meyer
 Wiggins, Jonathan Leaminy
 Wightman, Paul V.
 Williams, George Thomas

Williams, L. Aubrey
Williams, Tyrrell
Wilson, Elisha Hall Gregory
Wilson, K. O.
Winfree, Edward S.
Winter, Francis Anderson
Woermann, John William
Wolf, Gerad W.
Wolfner, Henry L.
Woodruff, Frederick E.
Woods, Helen Elizabeth
Woodward, Sherman Melville
Wierpel [sic], Edmund H.
Wyss, Ernest A.
Young, Henry McClure

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