The 25th Infantry Division Association
Archives
Collection 150
Preliminary Inventory
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#### GEORGE C. MARSHALL RESEARCH FOUNDATION

#### COLLECTION SUMMARY SHEET

**COLLECTION:** The 25th Infantry Division Association Collection

ACCESSION NUMBER: 150

DONOR: The 25th Infantry Division Association

DATE OF GIFT: December 1995

**SIZE:** 26 19 boxes

INCLUSIVE DATES: 1940 to present

BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTES: The 25th Infantry Division was created from the Hawaiian Division of the United States Army. Its history includes participation in World War II, the occupation of Japan, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, the Gulf War, and the "Uphold Democracy" deployment in Haiti. The Division is often referred to as "Tropic Lightning."

SUMMARY OF SUBJECT AND MATERIALS: The 25th Infantry Division Association of the United States Army has donated materials chiefly concerning the Vietnam War but also from World War II, the Korean War, and more recent activities of the division. Official military reports and personal recollections of Vietnam make up the bulk of the collection. Other materials include maps, photographs, personal letters, academic papers, news clippings, etc. A large part of the collection was donated by author Eric Bergerud.

MAJOR CORRESPONDENT: Morgan J. Sincock, Director of the 25th Infantry Division Association

**RESTRICTIONS:** Written permission from the president of the 25th Infantry Division Association is necessary in order to remove materials in the archive from the premises of the Marshall Foundation for loan or analysis.

LOCATION: Vault

COLLECTION REGISTER AVAILABLE: Yes

#### Scope and Content Notes

The 25th Infantry Division Association Archives Collection offers a plethora of military information concerning both official and personal matters from 1940 to the present.

Materials in this collection include military reports, military handbooks, maps, photographs, poetry, academic papers, audiotapes, a videotape, newspaper clippings, and written recollections of the Vietnam War. The collection was established at the George C. Marshall Foundation in 1995 and will continue to grow.

Three major categories provide the organization for the 25th Infantry Division Association Archives. The first category includes boxes 1 through 8 and is comprised of military reports, information, and news concerning the 25th Infantry Division (a.k.a. "Tropic Lightning"). Boxes 1 through 4 contain operational reports arranged chronologically and spanning the years 1966-1971. The II Field Force Vietnam (II FFV) reports are of particular interest to military scholars and for this reason are specially labeled. Boxes 5 and 6 include a variety of army handbooks and are shelved chronologically. Most concern the Vietnam War but there is one procedure guide dated to 1948. Senior officer debriefing reports from 1967 to 1970 are in box 7. More recent information on the 25th Infantry Division, as well as some old, is found in box 8 with the Tropic Lightning newsletters and 43rd Annual Reunion booklet.

The second category of the archives contains the Eric Bergerud sub-collection. Writer Eric Bergerud is the author of

Red Thunder, Tropic Lightning and The Dynamics of Defeat, and his donations to this archival collection are significant. The publication file in box 9 commences this sub-collection and includes manuscripts, letters, and books reviews concerning Bergerud's works. A hard cover edition of The Dynamics of Defeat is also found in box 9.

Box 10 is a major strength of the entire collection in that it provides the primary information from Vietnam gathered by Bergerud. Soldiers' letters home, maps, xeroxed photographs, statistic sheets, etc. offer direct insight into the reality of the Vietnam War. Box 11 is largely composed of newspaper clippings from the war and give a third person perspective on military events and social concerns.

Box 12 offers primary information once again but gives a hindsight, rather than direct, view of the war. The box contains recollections of Vietnam and is organized alphabetically according to participants' names. More remembrances can be obtained through the audiotapes found in boxes 14, 15, and 16. Some tapes have been transcribed and their transcripts are located in box 134. Both the tapes and transcripts are ordered alphabetically by name and end the Eric Bergerud sub-collection.

The last category of material is contained in boxes 17-19 and covers a range of visual/miscellaneous material concerning the Tropic Lightning. Box 17 contains photographs from the military base in Hawaii, World War II, the Korean War, and Vietnam. The oversized file, 18, contains a 1940 photograph of the 27th Infantry, Company A. Posters, sheet music, a videotape

concerning a Vietnam soldier, and a book titled <u>The Road to Cu</u>

<u>Chi</u> are additional items within this final category of material and can be found in the oversized file and box 19.

## THE 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION ASSOCIATION COLLECTION

## Container List

Box #	<u>File</u>	# of items
1,2,3,4	Operational Reports, Department of the Army Quarterly reports for the following dates:	
	Jan. (?) - Apr. 30, 1966	1 regular 1 II FFV <sup>1</sup>
	May 1 - July 31, 1966	1 regular
	Aug. 1 - Oct. 31, 1966	1 II FFV 1 regular
	Nov. 1, 1966 - Jan. 31, 1967 Feb. 1 - Apr. 30, 1967	1 II FFV 1 II FFV 1 regular 1 II FFV
	May 1 - July 31, 1967	1 regular 1 II FFV
	Aug. 1 - Oct. 31, 1967	1 regular 1 II FFV
	Nov. 1, 1967 - Jan. 31, 1968 Feb. 18, 1968	1 regular 1 II FFV - AAR <sup>2</sup>
	March 10, 1968	1 II FFV - AAR
	Feb. 1 - Apr. 30, 1968 May 1 - July 31, 1968	1 II FFV 1 regular 1 II FFV
	Aug. 1 - Oct. 31, 1968 Nov. 1, 1968 - Jan. 31, 1969	1 II FFV 1 regular
	Feb. 1 - Apr. 30, 1969 May 1 - July 31, 1969	1 regular 1 regular
	Aug. 1 - Oct. 31, 1969 Nov. 1, 1969 - Jan. 31, 1970 Feb. 1 - Apr. 30, 1970	1 regular 1 regular 1 regular
	May 1 - July 31, 1970	1 regular
	Aug. 1 - Oct. 31, 1970 Nov. 1, 1970 - Jan. 28, 1971	1 regular 1 regular
5,6	Handbooks, Department of the Army Advisors Final Report Information System (Apr. 1, 1970) 1 bo Advisory Pacification Fund	ooklet ook-PB <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> II Field Force Vietnam

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> After Action Report

<sup>3</sup> Paper Back

Box #	File	# of items	
	Guidelines for Advisors (April, 1963)	1 booklet	
	Handbook for U.S. Forces in Vietnam (Dec. 1968) Military Support for Pacification	2 books-PB	
	(Feb. 1968)	2 books-PB	
	Pacification Data Bank Support System (Mar. 1, 1970) Procedure Guide, 25th Infantry	2 books-PB	
	Division Headquarters (Apr. 1, 1948) Regional Force and Popular Force Handbook for Advisors (Nov.	1 booklet	
	1969)	1 book-PB	
	Rural Development Cadre System (May 25, 1970) Vietnam Questionnaire for PSA,	1 book-PB	
	Deputy PSA, or sector advisor	1 booklet	
7	Senior Officer Debriefing Reports  Reports for the following dates:  July 30, 1967 - Mar. 20, 1969  Sept. 15, 1969 - Apr. 2, 1970  Nov. 21, 1969 - May 8, 1970		-PB
8	Tropic Lightning News  "Tropic Lightning Ambush" (Oct. and Nov. 1966)  "Tropic Lightning Flashes" (1977, Dec. 1982 - Spring 1993)  43rd Annual Reunion booklet	d 2 issue 40 issu 1 book	ıes
9	Publication File, EB4 sub-collection The Dynamics of Defeat Letters on The Dynamics of Defeat	1 book- and	-HB <sup>5</sup>

Eric Bergerud, author of <u>The Dynamics of Defeat</u> and major contributor to the 25th Infantry Division Archives

<sup>5</sup> Hard Back

Box #	<u>File</u> <u>Red Thunder, Tropic Lightning<sup>6</sup></u> Manuscripts Used for Bergerud's	# of items 4 letters
	Publications Outline for Book ( <u>Red Thunder,</u>	2 manuscripts
	<u>Tropic Lightning</u> ?) Reference Material	1 outline 1 biblio-
		graphy 1 letter
10	Primary Information from Vietnam, EB sub-collection	
	Awards, Honorable Citations, Letters of Commendation	11 document- ations
	Discharge Reports Trask, Gene Corridon (Mar. 1, 1971) Hearing Transcripts on Vietnam	1 report
	War Crimes Humorous	1 transcript 1 set of drawings
	Journal Entries of Soldiers in Vietnam:	1 article
	Dexter, Todd Miller, Mike Letters from Soldiers in Vietnam:	1 collection 1 collection
	Andrews, Mickey R. Call, Michael Canter, M.D. Obrist, Laurence D. Log, Daily - Souvenier (March 21, 1967)	1 collection 1 collection 1 collection 1 collection
	Maps of Vietnam Territories Operational Report Excerpts Orders - for Soldiers Photographs <sup>8</sup>	35 small maps 5 excerpts 1 order 71 sheets

For additional letters in response to these books see box 13, "Recollections of Vietnam," subject: Response to (name of book).

<sup>7</sup> mostly xeroxed information

<sup>8</sup> xeroxed from various media sources

Box #	Propaganda - Miscellaneous Short Story - "Ambushed" Statistics Sheets Weapons	<pre># of items 5 items 1 story 3 sheets 1 report 1 narrative 1 diagram</pre>
11	Third Person Writings on Vietnam, EB sub-collection Academic Papers Education-related Newspaper Articles Language and Culture Articles/ Relevant Items	<pre>1 paper 2 articles 3 articles 1 diagram 1 information</pre>
	Narrative Compilation of the 25th Infantry Division in Vietnam Poetry, War  Veteran-related Articles: Vietnam World War II Vietnam War, Action-related Articles	<pre>1 compilation 1 guide 1 collection 4 articles 1 series 22 articles/     sets of     articles</pre>
12	Recollections of Vietnam <sup>9</sup> , EB sub-collection Andrews, Mickey R. Boardman, Phil Boyd, Charles S. Call, Michael Canter, M.C. Cavender, Anthony B. Ferguson, Thomas Freleigh, Bert Fontova, Larry Garrod, Dave Hackin, Dennis E. Hart, Ronald N. Hollis, Harris W. Kestell, William	1 folder

<sup>9</sup> First person narratives and/or interview notes

#### Box # <u>File</u> # of items Knoll, Robert 1 folder Lazarin, Jay 1 folder Lewis, Richard C. 1 folder 1 folder Madaris, Eddie Marshall, Donald 1 folder Mellen, Thomas 1 folder Molinary-Martinez, Roberto L. 1 folder Noyes, Bill 1 folder Neil, Alan 1 folder Nolan, Keith 1 folder 1 folder Pancrazio, John 1 folder Pearce, Donnie D. 1 folder Petit, Norman S. Quickmire, Carl 1 folder Riggs, John A. 1 folder 1 folder Ross, James Irving Rutherford, Andrew 1 folder Sincock, Morgan J. 1 folder Stovall, Hugh M. 1 folder Swan, Keith G. 1 folder Tarin, Mario J. 1 folder Trask, Gene 1 folder Twing, Robert 1 folder 3 folders Unknown authors 1 folder Williamson, Ellis W. Transcripts to Audiotapes - Recollections 13 of Vietnam, EB sub-collection Albridge, C. 1 transcript "ARVN" 1 transcript Bergson, Henry 1 transcript Breeding, Dan 1 transcript Call, Michael 1 transcript 1 transcript Canter, M.D. 1 transcript Chance, Frank "Composite of Quotes from Various Tape Contributors" 1 transcript 1 transcript Conner, Robert Davidson 1 transcript Ferguson, Thomas 1 transcript "Field Officer and Combat Soldier" 1 transcript Giltner, Thomas 1 transcript Hackin, Dennis 1 transcript 1 transcript Headley, Jerry 1 transcript

Jeffers, Glenn

Box #	Julian, Bob Kestell, William "Bill" Liuci, Jeri McGill, Rogers Mengelkock, Tim Murphy, Jim Neilson, C.C. Quickmire, Carl R. Reynolds, Lee Ross, Jim Vandenberg, Dan	# of items 1 transcript
14,15,	Audiotapes - Recollections of Vietnam, EB sub-collection Adams, L. Albridge, C. Bender, J. Bergson, H.  Blanks Boyd, Charles Bowman, C.W. Breeding Butash Canter, M.D. Casola Chase Cipolla Conner, Robert "Bob" Crouch, S. "Empty"  Ernst, Gary Ferguson, Thomas Giltner "Giltner Songs" Gosline Headley Jeffers, Glen Julian, Bob Killeen, Maj King Kolb, G. Liuci, Jeri Madaris, Eddie	1 tape 3 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 1 tape 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes 2 tapes

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	McGill, R.A.		2	tapes
	Menendez			tapes
	Miller, Mike			tape
	Murphy, Jim			tapes
	Neilson, C.C.			tape
	Otis, Glen			tape
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	Plonka, D.R.		1	tape
	Quickmire, R.			tape
	Reynolds, Lee			tapes (1
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	"Reynolds Rambl	es"	7	tapes
	Riggs, Bill			tape
	Ross, Jim			tape
	Ross and Menend	167		tape
	Rutherford, Hay			tape
	Rutt	5		tape
	Racc			(micro)
	Schleib, Bill		7	tape
	benielb, bill			(micro)
	Schooler, Gary		1	tape
	Selph, Justus P	•		tape
	Stone	•		tapes
	Stumph			tapes
	Trask, Gene			
	"Unidentified"			tape
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	Vandenberg, Dan		4	micro)
	Willis, Michael			tapes
	Wood, J.			tape
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		hard - Korean War		photos
		ank - World War II		photo
		chael - World War II		photo
	IInnamed do	nor - Vietnam War	6	photos

Box #	File	# of items
18	Oversized items Posters Sheet Music Photographs	1 poster 1 piece 1 photo
19	Miscellaneous  Dateline NBC videotape (story on George Warsler, Vietnam soldier) Guide to the Dateline NBC videotape The Road to Cu Chi by Joe Kalie Tropic Lightning badge Tropic Lightning postcards	1 videotape 1 guide 1 book-HB 1 badge 5 postcards

## 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Archives The Danny Lee Blake Sub-Collection January 29, 1999 Acc. #150

## <u>Box</u> 20

- 1. Certificate of Honorable Discharge, May 8, 1967
- 2. Certificate of Honorable Service, August 21, 1968
- 3. Photograph of USS Niobrara
- 4. Correspondence, poems, and photo donated by Herb Hofmann
- 5. Certificates for Bronze and Silver Star Medals
- 6. Yearbook from Baltimore City College
- 7. Graduation announcement, report card, diploma, and personal materials from Baltimore City College
- 8. Two civilian and two military service photographs
- 9. Correspondence, photos, and copies of citations from ceremony to present posthumous awards to Lt. Blake's family, 1969
- 10. Book: Tropic Lightning: A History of the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division
- 11. Correspondence for return of military insignia
- 12. Correspondence for itemisation of military pay
- 13. Inventory of personal property and receipts
- 14. Correspondence between Mrs. Selena P. Blake and the Office of the Adjutant General, Department of the Army concerning the inquiry into Lt. Blake's death
- 15. Correspondence concerning Lt. Blake's death and posthumous medals
- 16. Correspondence from Representative Clarence D. Long to Lt. Blake's parents with copies of the Department of the Army's replies to Mr. and Mrs. Blake's inquiry into the circumstances of their son's death
- 17. Correspondence for National Order of Vietnam Medal given posthumously to Lt. Blake by the Republic of Vietnam
- 18. Citations for Purple Heart and Bronze Star and newspaper clippings of posthumous awards ceremony
- 19. Materials from training school
- 20. Correspondence concerning Lt. Blake's death
- 21. Correspondence concerning retrieval of Danny Lee Blake's personal property
- 22. Correspondence concerning the circumstances of Lt. Blake's death
- 23. Correspondence including condolence messages sent to the parents of Danny Lee Blake
- 24. Childhood materials of Danny Lee Blake, including two photographs
- 25. Message concerning Private First Class George Hohman acting as a military escort at Lt. Blake's funeral
- 26. Diplomas from Army training courses
- 27. Information from Lt. Blake's life insurance company
- 28. Assorted newspaper clippings

- 29. Easter card and letter sent to parents in 1967 from training camp at Fort Benning, Georgia
- 30. Photograph of Danny Lee Blake as a child
- 31. Four photographs of Danny Lee Blake and his parents
- 32. Certificate of Honor given to Danny Lee Blake's family after his death by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution
- 33. Print of a sketch by Frederick Remington of "Old Bill" from the Allied Officer Training Department
- 34. Correspondence concerning the collection
- 35. Article: "Battle of Hoa Nhut"
- 36. Schedule for Officer Candidate Class
- 37. Copy of participants in a military honour guard
- 38. Photographs: Easter 1968
- 39. Mortuary card
- 40. Assorted newspaper clippings

## 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives January 1999 Addition Acc. #150

## Box 21

1. Audiotape, reel-to-reel, on two sides. Includes sounds of battle at Fire Base Crook

June 6-7, 1969 together with a letter from the donor, Matt Flikkema. Copied to CD - original reforms

A collection of 7 photographs, six original and one copy, taken during the Korean 2. A collection of 7 photographs, six original and one copy, taken during the Korean War. Donation of Allen Anway

- 3. Invitation to the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Reunion signed by LTG Stanley Larsen, MG Leland Cagwin, Morgan Sincock, and Robert Stryker
- 4. A collection of 18 photographs of Vietnam, circa 1966, taken by Danny Parker. together with correspondence
- 5. Script for video titled "Tunnel Rats" by Tully Entertainment, together with correspondence. Donation of Butch Sincock.
- 6. Pamphlet recounting the life of BG John T. Corley. Donation of Joseph Grasso
- 7. Collection of correspondence and photocopies of various documents related to the Battle of Lone Tree Hill, Luzon, Philippines, 25 April 1945
- 8. Letter and photocopy of newspaper clippings by William Barber, Sr.
- 9. Article titled "Korean War Veteran Returns to Bayonet Hill" from the Army Link News
- 10. Booklet entitled "Welcome 25<sup>th</sup> Inf. Div." dated 1 July 1945. Donation of Jim
- 11. Map of Korea and original photograph of Generals Dalton, MacArthur, and Mullins and negative
- 12. Materials relating to actions of the 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment in the Central Highlands of Vietnam, 1966
- 13. Summary history of the division's action in the Second World War written by Richard Fitzpatrick, May 1988. Donation of Mrs. Richard Fitzpatrick
- 14. Two 8x10" black and white publicity photographs of the cast of Paramount Pictures "Hamburger Hill." Donation of Butch Sincock.

#### Oversized Materials

- 1. Three panoramic photographs. Two showing elements of Co. B, 53<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Training Battalion, Camp Wolters, Texas in April 1942 and one showing Co. H, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, New Zealand, 1944. The latter photo is mounted on a wooden frame together with correspondence. Donation of Stephen B. Howard.
- 2. Copy of a panoramic photograph showing commander and staff of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Regiment, c. 1930. Unknown donor.

25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives Acc. # 150 Danny Lee Blake Sub-Collection January 29, 1999 Separation Record

## Items separated to Museum Collections

- 1. Military insignia 3 patches and 1 badge
- 2. Medals and pendants 1 Vietnam Service Medal and Pendant, 1 National Defense Service Medal and Pendant, 1 Silver Star, and 2 Purple Hearts
- 3. Personal Property including 2 razors, 1 bottle opener, 1 Army Rangers cigarette lighter, 1 watch, 1 pocket knife on key ring, 1 watch face, and 1 unidentified object
- 4. Felt board with 2 Vietnamese medals and 2 bars
- 5. Unidentified key
- 6. Assorted medals, identification badges, insignia, and personal effects (28 items)

# George C. Marshall Foundation Lexington, Virginia

## The 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives

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## Container List

<u>Box #</u>	<u>File</u>	Donor Name
22 1	World War II Photograph File	
	-Photographs and Documents pertaining to the 25 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Band, together with a copy of the Tropic Lightning News, dated	Leslie
	15 August 1945 -Photograph (b/w) of a destroyed Japanese tank in the Philippines, 1945	Anonymous
	Primary Information File -Photocopies of the 13 October 1942 dinner menu from the Moana Hotel, together with a broadside from the house of P. Y. Chong	Kaplar
	-Recollections of Wilfred C. Simmons, WWII veteran -Document: "E Company 161st Infantry Regiment," circa 1945	Simmons Anonymous
	Publication File -Documents pertaining to Company G, 35 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, WWII -Article about General James Dalton, written by Ed McDonald, 2000	Matula McDonald
	Korea Photograph File	Wiciboliaid
	-Photographs (123 b/w) from Korea and Japan, circa 1950-1951 -Photographs (3) of Marilyn Monroe with the 25 <sup>th</sup> Division in Korea -Photographs (115) from Korea, circa 1952	Dahl Hart Anonymous
	Publication File Article: "Holidays Bring Haunting Memories for Korean Vet"	Noble
	<u>Vietnam</u> Photograph File	
	-Notes and Photocopies of Photographs pertaining to the 25 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Division in 1968	Grigsby
	-Photographs and Documents pertaining to the Second Battery 32 <sup>nd</sup> Field Artillery in Vietnam and Cambodia	Jones
	-Photographs (color) taken in Vietnam, 1966-67; includes typed descriptions	Winder
	Primary File -Laundry Ticket from Vietnam, circa 1967, together with notes of employment of field artillery in the Central Highlands Publication File	Dauphin
	-Publication: "Tropic Lightning Ambush," dated August, October, November and December 1966; includes letter	Langdale
. **	-Newspaper Article: "Internet Site Finally Links Long-Lost Vietnam Buddies"; includes note from donor	Shelley
23	Miscellaneous Photograph File	
	Photograph File -Photographs of the 1979 30 <sup>th</sup> Reunion of the 25 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Division	Anonymous

## **Primary File**

-Program dated 1 October 1955, marking the 14 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the	Johns
25 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Division	
-Letter from Henry H. Shelton, Chairman of the Joints Chief of Staff,	Sincock
dated 7 July 1999	
-Roster of attendees at the 42 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention of the 25 <sup>th</sup> Infantry	Anonymous
Division, together with several color photographs, 1991	
Publication File	
-Documents pertaining to the 12 <sup>th</sup> EVAC Hospital and contemporary	Fennill
humanitarian projects in Vietnam; includes letter	
-Publication: Siberian Stowaway: Full Circle by Constance W.	Langdale
Langtry, pertaining to the history of the 27 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment	
-Publication: A Young American Hero, The Authorized Biography	Seymour
of Hemmitt L. Bowen, Jr. by H. Kenneth Seymour, 1999	
-Documents pertaining to the history of the 27 <sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiments	Zoller
-Publication: Silver Reunion with Tropic Lightning	Anonymous

## Items Included with the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives

### Published Material: (located in the vault)

- -The War of the Nations Portfolio. Copyright 1919 by the New York Times Company. Donated by Andrea Daley, Association of Restorers
- -The inventory of documents, memorabilia and photographs in the collection of the *Tropic Lightning* Museum at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii.

### Videos: (located in video collection)

-Video: "Wandering Souls: TET '68 Remembered," featuring Dave Garrod, 1999.

## Miscellaneous Artifacts: (located in museum collections)

-Leather Japanese pilot's helmet. Donated by Ken Blakeley.

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## Box/File

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### 1 Pusan Perimeter Questionnaire

### Individual Questionnaires

- 2 Adams, Richard
- 3 Akeson, John W.
- 4 Allen, Joe
- 5 Anderson, Horace
- 6 Bailey, Kincheon H. Ltc.
- 7 Balbi, Edward F. CSM
- 8 Behr, Francis J.
- 9 Beirne, Daniel R.
- 10 Bell, Cleo O.
- 11 Berdan, Schuyler
- 12 Berry, Glenn E.
- 13 Berry, Sidney B. LtG
- 14 BG Bitman Barth CG 25<sup>th</sup> Div Artillery
- 15 Biggs, Bradley LTC.
- 16 Bishop, Joseph G.
- 17 Bowie, James F.
- 18 Bradley, Dave
- 19 Brannon, Harold
- 20 Brooks, Frank B. Jr.
- 21 Burnett, Alfred
- 22 Busco, Sal "Lou"
- 23 Bussey, Charles M. LTC USA ret.
- 24 Byrne, Frank F.
- 25 Cable, Don
- 26 Cabrera, Manuel V.
- 27 Carlisle, David
- 28 Chapdelaine, R. Andy
- 29 Chestnutt, John
- 30 Cholka, Donald M.
- 31 Clevenger, Robert B.
- 32 Cloninger, John, USA ret.
- 33 Colbert, Francis (Frank)
- 34 Comi, Paul
- 35 Cooper, Daniel
- 36 Corless, Virgil
- 37 Cosman, Samuel

- 38 Darnell, Donald
- 39 Dawson, Charles L.
- 40 Dechow, George H., Col., USA ret.
- 41 Deluna, Raul
- 42 Demage, Earl H.
- 43 Dewitt Dunn, Lawrence
- 44 Dillard, Oliver MG, USA ret.
- 45 Dingeman, Robert E.
- 46 Dudley, Roscoe
- 47 Duquemin, Gordon J. MG, USA ret.
- 48 Easter, James W. "Hap"
- 49 Eckert, David
- 50 Ellison, Glenn V.
- 51 Elze, Robert F.
- 52 Emerson, Henry E. LTG, USA ret.
- 53 Fernandes, Anthony
- 54 Fields, La Vaughn E. ISG
- 55 File, Philip IV
- 56 Flanagan Joseph J.
- 57 Fomby, Roy N.
- 58 Font, Joe A. Col., USA ret.
- 59 Ford, Buddy
- 60 Fore, Clyde
- 61 Freedman, Kenneth
- 62 Fredman, Darold R. Col., ret.
- 63 Gamble, Harold
- 64 Gates, Jack J. Sr.
- 65 Gautreaux, William E.
- 66 Gilbert, Leon ILT
- 67 Gott, William E.
- 68 Green Earl R., USA ret.
- 69 Griffin, Frank L. Col., USA ret.
- 70 Hardin, Robert B.
- 71 Hearn, George
- 72 Hillis, Louise M.
- 73 Holler, Gerald D.
- 74 Hutchkiss, Hubert
- 75 James, Alfred G.
- 76 Johns, Frank
- 77 Johnson, Cressie B.
- 78 Johnson, James A.
- 79 Johnson, Jasper Col., USA ret.
- 80 Jones, Richard G.
- 81 Jung, Gordon C.
- 82 Kirby, John
- 83 Komp, John S.

- 84 Kushner, Leonard
- 85 Lakatus, Eugene R.
- 86 Larson, Gordon
- 87 Law, Earl J. Maj.
- 88 Lederer, Harold
- 89 Lemere, Norman J.
- 90 Lenon, Chester
- 91 Leonard, Carroll N. MG, USA ret.
- 92 Lewis, Richard
- 93 Liberty, Robert J.
- 94 Logan, Wyatt Y.
- 95 Mahan, Johnny
- 96 Main, Chester E.
- 97 Majcher, Richard S.
- 98 Mann, William L.
- 99 Marlett, Joseph E.
- 100 Martin, Benjamin F. MSG, USA ret.
- 101 Martin, Lawrence Patrick
- 102 Massey, Donald L.
- 103 Mathews, Eugene
- 104 Matisick, USA
- 105 Mccafferty, William J.
- 106 Mcclure, Gene E.
- 107 Melhorn, Milton
- 108 Mildenberger, Robert W.
- 109 Miller, Earl
- 110 Millett, Lewis
- 111 Minger, Robert R.
- 112 Molton, William
- 113 Motley, William A.
- 114 Myers, Frank Baldwin
- 115 Napier, John L.
- 116 Nelson, Fred E.
- 117 Nelson, Robert C.
- 118 Nelson, William J. LTC, USA ret.
- 119 Nicewander, Dennis R. LTC
- 120 Oden, James R.
- 121 Olazagasti, Milton
- 122 Owens, Lee R. Jr.
- 123 Pack, Gerald
- 124 Petredis, Paul
- 125 Plass, Frank C. CSM
- 126 Potter, Robert MSG, USA ret.
- 127 Price, William G.

- 2 Ransom, Waymon R.
- 3 Rayoum, Charles H.
- 4 Reis, Raymond
- 5 Richardson, James C.
- 6 Rishell, C. Lyle
- 7 Rodriguez, Jesus Sr.
- 8 Rollier, Robert L. Col.
- 9 Roquemore, Rocky
- 10 Russell, Arlen S.
- 11 Russell, Ivan W.
- 12 Sandell, Frank J.
- 13 Semasko, Albert
- 14 Sharra, George F.
- 15 Shepherd, Charles
- 16 Sherrod, Allison
- 17 Shipper, Willard
- 18 Smith, Allen M.
- 19 Smith, Ernest N.
- 20 Starkey, Posey L.
- 21 Stephenson, Howard W. LtC
- 22 Swett, Trevor W.
- 23 Taylor, Kenneth E. Sr.
- 24 Terman, Joseph
- 25 Thornton, Kenneth Jr.
- 26 Valvo, Frank
- 27 Vance, Neal
- 28 Vickery, Grady M.
- 29 Walden, Roger S. Col.
- 30 Ward, Edward
- 31 Ward, Joel Thomas
- 32 Warner, Richard F.
- 33 Waters, James
- 34 Watson, Charles L.
- 35 Weston, Logan
- 36 Weston, Sten E. Capt.
- 37 Whitham, Keith W. LTC, USA ret.
- 38 Wiegand, Edward
- 39 Williams, David, USA ret.
- 40 Williams, Thomas E.
- 41 Wright, Thomas H. LTC
- 42 Wyeda, Toshio
- 43 Yeager, James W.
- 44 York, John S.
- 45 Zimmerman, David R.
- 46 Zoller, Robert

#### **Additional Materials**

- 47 8th US Army Korea (EUSAK)
- 48 25<sup>th</sup> Division 90<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery August 1950 Award List
- 49 Overlays 24<sup>th</sup> Regimental Combat Team
- 50 27<sup>th</sup> Infantry, Co. A Details June 1950
- 51 27th Infantry Michaelis, John (Gen) Wolfhound July 1950-April 1951
- 52 27th RCT July-August 1950 IPW Team
- 53 27<sup>th</sup> RCT August 1950 Historical Reports
- 54 27<sup>th</sup> RCT August 1950 Historical/Unit Reports
- 55 27<sup>th</sup> RCT August 1950 Operations Orders
- 56 27<sup>th</sup> RCT September 1950 Activities Report
- 57 27<sup>th</sup> RCT September 1950 Operations Orders
- 58 27<sup>th</sup> RCT September 1950 Historical/Unit Reports
- 59 27<sup>th</sup> RCT Organic and Attached Units
- 60 27<sup>th</sup> RCT November 1950 Activity Report
- 61 27<sup>th</sup> RCT November 1950 Historical Report
- 62 27<sup>th</sup> RCT Roster of Officers
- 63 27<sup>th</sup> Infantry List of Casualties
- 64 27<sup>th</sup> 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion Staff Roster
- 65 27<sup>th</sup> Infantry 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion Historical Report
- 66 Wolf Saga of the 27<sup>th</sup> Infantry
- 67 35<sup>th</sup> RCT War Diary
- 68 Company C, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry
- 69 Ellison, Glenn V. (SSGT) Questionnaires
- 70 Engineer Memoirs MG James A. Johnson
- 71 15<sup>th</sup> NK Division 8<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery Battalion War Diary August 1950
- 72 ROK POW/Captured Documents September 1950

## 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives Miscellaneous Materials 19 June 2001

## Box 26

- 1. Photograph: 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Reunion Banquet of the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association July 16, 1955, Warwick Hotel, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- 2. Photograph: Banquet picture, Washington, 1959
- 3. Photographs of "Punch Bowl" and Kum Wah, Korea, c.1952 (6 items)
- 4. Photograph of Morgan J. Sincock, Company B, 49<sup>th</sup> Battalion, 23<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Regiment, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division taken at Fire Support Base Rawlings III, August 1968
- 5. Programme for USNS Charlton (T-AKR 314) Launching Ceremony, December 11, 1999 (7 items)
- 6. Programme for Retreat and Retirement Ceremony, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division (Light) and U.S. Army, Hawaii
- 7. Pamphlet: Wheeler Army Airfield
- 8. Guides to Schofield Barracks (2 items)
- 9. Newspaper Article: "Ex-Wolfhound fens off three men to save his wife," Hawaii Army Weekly
- 10. Association archive photographs, December 1995 (6 items)
- 11. Documents from Headquarters Third Military Area, 1941-46. Donation of Oliver A. Roholt
- 12. Copy of <u>The Reader's Digest</u> magazine, March 1944, with article mentioning Captain Oliver A. Roholt

#### Oversized Materials

- 1. Blue binder with "Tropic Lightning" logo of the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association on cover containing association materials and photographs c. 1949-50. Donation of Robert W. Stryker
- 2. Black binder containing copies of "Tropic Lightning Flashes" newsletter 1950-57.
- 3. Framed photograph of dedication of monument to the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division for their role in the Han River Crossing operation during the Korean War, March 7, 1951. Photograph taken March 11, 1986.
- 4. Poster: Commemoration of the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division in action in the Second World War, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War
- 5. Topographic map of North Vietnam entitled "Hanoi"
- 6. Poster: "Tropic Lightning" with division logo and troop scenes (2 posters 1 paper, 1 laminated)
- 7. Poster: "World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Desert Storm, 1945-1991"

## 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives Miscellaneous Materials Separation Record 19 June 2001

- 1. Two patches from the 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division with "Tropic Lightning" insignia
- 2. One U.S. Army Ranger patch

\*Please note that donors are unknown for all of these items.

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## The 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division Association Archives Inventory of Oversized Materials

#### Collection #150

- 1. Poster: Commemoration of 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry's service
- 2. Sheet Music: "Let's Go Wolfhounds." Marching song of the 27<sup>th</sup> U.S. Infantry
- 3. Photograph: Co. A, 27<sup>th</sup> Infantry, c. 1940

## January 1999 addition

- 1. Three panoramic photographs. Two showing elements of Co. B, 53<sup>rd</sup> Infantry Training Battalion, Camp Wolters, Texas in April 1942 and one showing Co. H, 35<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 25<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division, New Zealand, 1944. The latter photo is mounted on a wooden frame together with correspondence. Donation of Stephen B. Howard.
- 2. Copy of a panoramic photograph showing commander and staff of the 22<sup>nd</sup> Infantry Regiment, c. 1930. Unknown donor.

#### December 2000 addition

- 1. Book: <u>The War of the Nations Portfolio</u>. Copyright 1919 by the New York Times Company. Donated by Andrea Daley, Association of Restorers
- 2. Inventory of documents, memorabilia, and photographs in the collection of the Tropic Lightning Museum at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii

### Collection 150-B

1. Carousel containing 63 original color transparencies of Korea and aboard ship en route to U.S., 1953-54.

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