

**Earl C. Weaver Collection**  
Finding Aid

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## SUMMARY

<b>Size</b>	5 folders, 0.12 cubic feet
<b>Geographic Locations</b>	McAllen, Texas; San Diego, California; Pittsboro, North Carolina; Indianapolis, Indiana
<b>Inclusive Dates</b>	1910- 1954, undated
<b>Bulk Dates</b>	1944-1946
<b>Languages</b>	English
<b>Summary</b>	The collection consists of personal letters written from William Weaver, a soldier during World War II, to his father Earl C. Weaver of McAllen, Texas, as well as a collection of World War II ration stamps, tax receipts, and certificates.
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## **SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

The collection consists of personal letters written from William Weaver, a soldier during World War II, to his father Earl C. Weaver of McAllen, Texas. During this time William was stationed in San Diego, California, and his letters were sent between the years of 1944 and 1946 to his father. The handful of newspaper clippings begin in the year of 1910 to unknown dates and pertain to William Weavers marriage, homecoming, and death. Additional clippings provide information on deaths of other relatives and acquaintances as well as photos found in the attic of an old general store owned by A.C. Weaver. The World War II ration stamps provide no exact date of use; however, they were issued to Earl C. Weaver. The tax receipts were written to Earl C. Weaver for the payments of state and county taxes. Miscellaneous certificates range from the 1926 purchase of a lot to the 1954 purchase of an electric blanket. The collection also consists of Earl C. Weaver's credentials certifying his identity as a Past Chancellor of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Indiana.

## **LIST OF SUB-GROUPS, SERIES, AND SUBSERIES**

- I. Correspondence**
- II. Ration stamps**
- III. Tax receipts**
- IV. Certificates**

## **INDEX TERMS**

World War, 1939-1945.  
World War II

## **CONTAINER LIST**

<b><u>Stack</u></b>			
<b><u>Location</u></b>	<b><u>Box</u></b>	<b><u>Folder(s)</u></b>	<b><u>Contents (with dates)</u></b>
D:6	RGDOC 348	1	Correspondence, 1944-1946
		2	Clippings, 1910-1940, undated
		3	World War II ration stamps, undated
		4	Tax receipts, 1912-1919
		5	Certificates, 1926-1954; Ephemera, undated