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S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler Sr. Collection

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Biographical Note

S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler was born on January 17, 1917 in Detroit, Michigan.

He was inducted into Military Service in November of 1943 and began his training at Camp Blanding, Florida in 1944. Fackler was sent to Europe as a replacement into the 7th Armored Division in Metz, France. He went into Company A of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion's 3rd Platoon machine gun squad. He served in the Battle of the Bulge and was wounded by a 20mm High Explosive shell. Upon his discharge he was awarded the Combat Infantry Badge, Silver Star, Bronze Star, Presidential Unit Citation, the Belgian Fourregere, Purple Heart and three European Theatre of Operations stars.

He was soon sent home and returned to his trade as a Commercial Painting General Foreman. After his retirement, Fackler became active in his church and took the position of National Secretary (later Chaplain and President) of the 7th Armored Division Association where he remained for over twenty years.

On August 21, 2009 at the age of 92, S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler Sr. died in Punta Gorda, Florida.

Scope and Content of the Collection

Arrangement

The collection arrived in no particular order. PMML staff has arranged its papers, documents, photographs and objects into ten series. These series are:

Series One: S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler, Sr.

This series contains papers related to S. Sgt. Fackler's military service in WWII with the 7th Armored Division "Lucky Seventh", his personal life, photos, newspaper articles, military papers related to George D. Bell (1918), military papers related to Ralph E. McCubbin (friend of the Facklers), and Roger Koops's booklet on the 104th Infantry Division "Timberwolves" (friend of Glenn Fackler).

Series Two: M. Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson (first cousin of Glenn Fackler)

This series contains papers, newsletters, newspaper articles, copies of photographs, citations for medals, correspondence with military/Whitehouse officials concerning the request of the Congressional Medal of Honor (pursued by Mary Chilson (wife), children and Glenn Fackler) and newspaper article about Matt Urban and Audie Murphy (most decorated WWII vets and Medal of Honor recipients).

Series Three: WWII Arts and Culture

This series contains playbills, poems, reenactment programs and comics relating to and from WWII.

Series Four: U.S. Presidents of WWII

This series contains souvenirs from the Franklin D. Roosevelt's Little Whitehouse and Museum and the Dwight D. Eisenhower Library in Kansas.

Series Five: Commemorative Magazines

This series contains magazines of the 50th Anniversary of WWII and Fort Knox.

Series Six: Photographs

This series contains photographs from both during WWII and after.

Series Seven: 7th Armored Division “Lucky Seventh”

This series contains papers on the history of the 7th Armored Division, After Action Reports, papers relating to Cpt. John E. Irland and Vincent Lodato (both 7th AD), and European Cemetery Registration of the 7th AD.

Series Eight: 38th Armored Infantry Battalion/7th Armored Division

This series contains papers obtained by Wesley Johnston (son of Walter G. Johnston, Jr. AT/B/38 AIB) and sent to Glenn Fackler about the 7th AD Unit History, records from Ft. Benning, GA, Operation Instructions, Staff Journals, Morning Reports, After Action Reports, Combat Interviews, and death records of men from the 38th/AT/B.

Series Nine: US Army Armor School/Battle of St. Vith

This series contains papers on the Battle of St. Vith.

Series Ten: Cemeteries and Memorials

This series contains papers, booklets, correspondence, and photos of European cemeteries and memorials.

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Separations

Item Number	Description	Date	Location
800111351	German Standard Iron Cross of Honor Medal with ribbons, 1914-1918		
800111352	8 Large US Army, Class "A", Brass Eagle dress coat buttons		

- 800111353 15 small US Army, Class "A", Brass Eagle dress coat buttons
- 800111354 small ruptured duck pin
- 800111355 red, gold, black ribbon
- 800111356 unknown branch/rank insignia patch
- 800111357 Poster: *7th Armored Division "Lucky Seventh"*
- 800111358 Poster: *7th Armored Division "Lucky Seventh"*
- 800111359 Poster: *Heraldry of the 7th Armored Division*
- 800111360 Poster: *Heraldry of the 7th Armored Division*
- 800111361 Poster: 50th Anniversary of D-Day, 1994
- 800111362 Poster: 7th Armored Division "The Box Score" reproduction
- 800111363 Poster: 7th Armored Division "The Box Score"
- 800111364 Calendar: WWII Commemorative ARMY Calendar, 1992
- 800111365 Calendar: WWII 1996
- 800111366 Calendar: Gardens of Peace, 2002
- 800111367 Newspaper: "48th Armored Infantry Regiment" The Outpost, June 10, 1942
- 800111368 Newspaper article: "7th Tankmen Claim Fastest Sweep of War" Reprinted from The Stars and Stripes, Nov 6, 1944
- 800111369 Newspaper: *"Why this Dead Hero Should Get the Medal of Honor" Parade, Detroit Free Press, March 25, 1979*
- 800111370 Newspaper: "WWII Vet will rejoin Romans on anniversary" The Oakland Press, May

10, 1984

- 800111371 Newspaper: (article) "Super sleuth \$10 bill helps solve a WWII puzzle" *Farmington Observer*, January 1986
- 800111372 Newspaper: The Turret, Fort Knox: The Hoe of Armor and Calvary, July 5, 1990
- 800111373 Newspaper: The Stars and Stripes, December 1991
- 800111374 Newspaper: The Stars and Stripes, October 1993
- 800111375 Newspaper: The Stars and Stripes, October 1993
- 800111376 Newspaper: The Stars and Stripes, December 1993
- 800111377 Newspaper: Remembering World War II, Daily Mountain Eagle, September 1995
- 800111378 Newspaper: The Stars and Stripes, July 1998
- 800111379 Laminate-newspaper article: Charlotte Sun, January 2002
- 800111380 Laminate-poster: The Armour of God
- 800111381 Map: National Geographic Institute, "Sankt Vith" 56-56A
- 800111382 Map: National Geographic Institute, "Esneux St Vith" 116
- 800111383 Map: "Battle of Normandy, June-August 1944" 102
- 800111384 Maps: Eleven War Maps (reproduction of booklet)
- 800111385 T-Shirt: Fort Polk Louisiana 50th Anniversary
- 800111386 Flag: Fort Polk Louisiana 50th Anniversary

- 800111387 Flag: International Military Vehicle Collectors Weekend
- 800111388 License Plate: 7th AD "Lucky Seventh" Association
- 800111389 Patch: 7th AD "Lucky Seventh" Association
- 800111390 CD: *Tribute To Our Troops, Last Chance Stampede 2004*
- 800111391 VHS: Frank Capra's *Why We Fight*
- 800111392 VHS: *Do You Remember: Netherlands American Cemetery and Memorial, Margraten*
- 800111393 VHS: *The Home Front 1940-1941 Volume 1*
- 800111394 VHS: *The Home Front 1944-1945 Volume 2*
- 800111395 Book: *Service Prayer Book*
- 800111396 Book: *For Victorious Living: For Men of the U.S. Army, Navy and Marine Corps*
- 800111397 Book: *Strength For Service to God and Country*
- 800111398 Book: *Strength For Service to God and Country, Daily Devotional Messages for Those in the Service of Others*
- 800111399 Trophy: 7th AD Association in Memory of John F. Reeke, Jr. & John H. Belt
- 800111400 Casette: Funeral Service for Gen. Eisenhower in Washington D.C., March 31, 1969
- 800111401 U.S. Army Flag Kit Canvas holder-Feb 1918, Russell

800111159	Black and white and sepia reproduction of photo taken at Detroit, Michigan, June or July 1945 at the home of Tec/Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson and S/Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler's Aunt and Uncle. Right to left: Tec/Sgt. Chilson; his brother in the Navy, Bill Chilson; S/Sgt. Fackler; their Aunt Mrs. Nellie Potts; Frank Chilson (Llewellyn and Bill's Father). (Taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	1945	Photographs Collection
800111160	Henri Chapelle American Military Cemetery near Liege, Belgium. Memorial Day Ceremony 23 May 1998. Left to right-1st person Patrick Hubai, Superintendent of Cemetery; 2nd person James Begg, President of American Overseas Veterans Association of Belgium; 4th person Alan Blinken American Ambassador to Belgium; 6th person Lt. Gen. Byron US Marine Corps	1998	Photographs Collection
800111161	Henri Chapelle American Military Cemetery near Liege, Belgium. Memorial Day Ceremony 23 May 1998. Bill Sheridan with two US Marines. (Taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1998	Photographs Collection
800111162	Cemetery at Chateau Thierry, France 31 May 1998. Wreath placed in memory of the troops of the Lucky Seventh. (Taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1998	Photographs Collection
800111163	Cemetery at Chateau Thierry, France 31 May 1998. Wreath placed in memory of the troops of the Lucky Seventh. (Taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1998	Photographs Collection
800111164	Cemetery at Chateau Thierry, France 31 May 1998. Photo of the second ribbon with words "WWII Aug 27, 1944." (Taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1998	Photographs Collection
800111165	two photographs of 7th Annual Induction Ceremony, Veteran's Plaza-Ohio State, May 5, 2006, Ohio Military Hall of Fame (left to right: James Hooten, Marilyn	2006	Photographs Collection

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Glenn Fackler

800111166	photograph in Fere en Tardenois, France of William J. Sheridan with soldiers of the US 1st Armored Division, May 30, 1999. (taken from Box 2, Folder 19)	1999	Photographs Collection
800111167	two photographs with caption-Two members of the French-American Ancient Combatants Association, 55th Anniversary Commemorative Liberation Ceremony, Rambouillet, France, August 19, 1999 (taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1999	Photographs Collection
800111168	scanned copy of Glenn Fackler's cousin Llewellyn Chilson's bust at Washington State Soldiers Home at Orting, Wash (taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111169	Photograph of Col. Daniel S. Stevenson presents Commendation Medal to M/Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson, 30 June 64 (taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	1964	Photographs Collection
800111170	photograph "The Biggest Award of All" 12 Dec 1946 (taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	1946	Photographs Collection
800111171	photograph "T/Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson" Loudonville, OH, 27 Apr 1947 (Taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	1947	Photographs Collection
800111172	photograph of T/Sgt. Llewellyn Chilson, shown at the speakers platform, 27 Apr 1947 (taken from Box 1, Folder 5)	1947	Photographs Collection
800111173	photograph of Madame Elizabeth Gozzo (President of the Association) at the 5th Infantry Division Memorial ceremony in Corny, France 12 September 1999 (taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1999	Photographs Collection
800111174	photograph of ceremony at the 5th Infantry Division Memorial, Corny, France, 12 September 1999 (taken from Box 2, Folder 20)	1999	Photographs Collection

800111175	photograph of Col. Willoughby cutting his cake	1972	Photographs Collection
800111176	photograph of Col. Willoughby's cake	1972	Photographs Collection
800111177	photograph of Col. Willoughby and his secretary Ruth Hines with scrapbook	1972	Photographs Collection
800111178	photograph of Col. Willoughby and his secretary Ruth Hines with portable bar caddy	1972	Photographs Collection
800111179	photograph of Col. Willoughby receiving plaque from Col. Beaty	1972	Photographs Collection
800111180	photograph of Col. Wendall Prince presenting a miniature tank to Col. Willoughby	1972	Photographs Collection
800111181	photograph of Col. Willoughby and Col. Beaty admiring a photo of Willoughby home in Ft. Knox, KY	1972	Photographs Collection
800111182	photograph of Col. Willoughby's gifts from retirement party	1972	Photographs Collection
800111183	photograph of helicopters flying above tanks	1972	Photographs Collection
800111184	photograph of tank with helicopter in the background	1972	Photographs Collection
800111185	photograph of four men in a 6-wheel Hustler vehicle	1972	Photographs Collection
800111186	photograph of Gen. James H. Polk (Ret) President of US Armor Association at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection
800111187	photograph of left to right: unknown man and MG William R. Desobry , Commanding General, US Army Armor School and Fort Knox	1972	Photographs Collection
800111188	photograph of unknown man (with glasses) at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection

800111189	photograph of unknown man at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection
800111190	photograph of William R. Desobry, Commanding General, US Armor School and Fort Knox	1972	Photographs Collection
800111191	photograph of 12 unknown men	1972	Photographs Collection
800111192	photograph of unknown man (wearing white uniform) at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection
800111193	photograph of three unknown men (two in white uniforms, one in suit)	1972	Photographs Collection
800111194	photograph of Starr, Orr, and Desobry	1972	Photographs Collection
800111195	photograph of two unknown men and William R. Desobry with bleachers in the background	1972	Photographs Collection
800111196	photograph of four unknown men and William R. Desobry talking	1972	Photographs Collection
800111197	photograph of Gen. James H. Polk (Ret) President of US Armor Association talking to unknown man	1972	Photographs Collection
800111198	photograph of Mr. Jim Cook, President of Cavalry Armor Foundation and three unknown men talking	1972	Photographs Collection
800111199	photograph of five unknown men walking across lawn in front of tanks with building in the background	1972	Photographs Collection
800111200	photograph of five unknown men walking across lawn in front of tanks	1972	Photographs Collection
800111201	photograph of groundbreaking ceremony of new Patton Museum near NCO club	1972	Photographs Collection
800111202	photograph of left to right: MG William R. Desobry, Commanding General, US Army Armor School and Fort Knox and Mr. Jim Cook, President of Cavalry Armor	1972	Photographs Collection

	Foundation		
800111203	photograph of Mr. Jim cook, President of Cavalry Armor Foundation at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection
800111204	photograph of left to right: Gen. James H. Polk (ret.); MG William R. Desobry, Commanding General, US Army Armor School and Fort Knox; and Mr. Jim Cook, President of Cavalry Armor Foundation holding shovel breaking ground for new Patton Museum	1972	Photographs Collection
800111205	photograph of left to right: MG William R. Desobry, Commanding General, US Army Armor School and Fort Knox; Gen. James H. Polk (Ret.) and Mr. Jim Cook, President of Cavalry Armor Foundation breaking ground for new Patton Museum, holding shovel	1972	Photographs Collection
800111206	photograph of MG William R. Desobry at the lectern	1972	Photographs Collection
800111207	photograph of left to right: MG William R. Desobry; Gen. James H. Polk (Ret.) and Mr. Jim Cook (holding shovel) breaking ground for new Patton Museum	1972	Photographs Collection
800111208	photograph of left to right: Gen. James H. Polk (ret.); MG William R. Desobry, Commanding General, US Army Armor School and Fort Knox; and Mr. Jim Cook, President of Cavalry Armor Foundation holding shovel breaking ground for new Patton Museum	1972	Photographs Collection
800111209	photograph of sign "Future Site Patton Museum Home of Cavalry-Armor"	1972	Photographs Collection
800111210	photograph of Lt. Col. Hugh A. Disharoon, medic, Camp Coxcomb, CA	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111211	photograph of Cpt. James A. Riley, Hqs. Comdt, Camp Coxcomb, CA	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111212	photograph of Inspector General Section,	1943	Photographs

	Camp Coxcomb, CA		Collection
800111213	photograph of Lt. "Bozo" Lasher-Hqs. North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111214	photograph of Major McCarthy, QMG Hqs North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111215	photograph of the J.A.G. Section, Camp Coxcomb, CA	1943	Photographs Collection
800111216	photograph of Lt. Fred Rivshun-The Impresario of 'Off Limits" takes the Generals car to Shreveport, North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111217	photograph of Lt. Carpenter Dr. Sr. Co. at Tucson, AZ	1943	Photographs Collection
800111218	Capt. Francis A. Brick-JAG Staff Off. North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111219	photograph of Lt. Jackson, A.D.C. Entraining Point-Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111220	photograph of Major Ron Block, Inspector General Section, 7th A.D.	1943	Photographs Collection
800111221	photograph of Major McCarthy at Tucson	1943	Photographs Collection
800111222	photograph of Major & Mrs. O'Bryant, Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111223	photograph of Pfc. Howard Lancaster Sv. Co. Driver in 1942 maneuvers, North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111224	photograph of Lt. Col. Boylan, 7th A.D., 87th	1945	Photographs Collection
800111225	photograph of Jack Griffith & O'Bryant "Somewhere in New Mexico"	1943	Photographs Collection
800111226	photograph of Jack Griffith & Family, Entraining Point, Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111227	photograph of Chaplain Keating looks out	1943	Photographs

	the vestibule, somewhere in Arizona		Collection
800111228	photograph of Griffith and kitchen car crew, Tucson	1943	Photographs Collection
800111229	photograph of Col. Gordon; Lt. Col. Griffith; Lt. Col. Gulmere, front of Hqs, North Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111230	photograph of Col. Winstead; Lt. Col. Amazeen; Col. Gordon, Entraining Point, Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111231	photograph of Stolen Steel Drums, 31st AR, Camp Coxcomb, "This was me of the famous "cases" the IG investigated in the desert. Col. Winstead used to get red in the face over the 'incident'."	1943	Photographs Collection
800111232	photograph of Lt. Col. & Mrs. Jack Griffith Entraining Point, Camp Polk	1943	Photographs Collection
800111233	"Remember Ardennes Dec. 1944" holiday card signed by Don Evans, Reconnaissance Company, Sixty-Six Armored Regiment	1999	Photographs Collection
800111234	reproduction of photograph of tank in St. Vith	1944	Photographs Collection
800111235	reproduction of photograph of two soldiers in fox hole, St. Vith	1944	Photographs Collection
800111236	reproduction of photograph of tank in St. Vith (464+)	1944	Photographs Collection
800111237	reproduction of photograph of two tanks in St. Vith	1944	Photographs Collection
800111238	photograph of people attending fire power display after dedication of St. Vith's Tank Range, Fort Knox, KY	1970	Photographs Collection
800111239	photograph of attendees of dedication of St. Vith Range	1970	Photographs Collection

800111240	photograph of attendees of dedication of St. Vith Range, Holding 7th A.D. flag (on right) is Herb Trapp and (on left) Irving Osias	1970	Photographs Collection
800111241	photograph of Mr. Norman Jones, President of the 7th Armored Association speaking at St. Vith's Tank Range	1970	Photographs Collection
800111242	photograph of Mr. Norman Jones, unveils the St. Vith's plaque at dedication	1970	Photographs Collection
800111243	photograph of Maj. Gen. James W. Sutherland, Jr., Post Commander reads dedication speech	1970	Photographs Collection
800111244	photograph of ship and crane on Rhine River in Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111245	photograph of crane on Rhine River, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111246	photograph of boat and hillside on Rhine River, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111247	photograph of boat and hillside on Rhine River, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111248	photograph from shore of boats on Rhine River, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111249	photograph of hillside and boat on Rhine River, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111250	photograph of two men in a fox hole	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111251	photograph of three men and a tank	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111252	photograph of man and tank	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111253	photograph of six men	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111254	photograph of two men and a "Schule" sign on the Rhine River, Germany	1945	Photographs Collection

800111255	photograph of two men and a "Halt" sign, Eileuberg, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111256	photograph of one man next to a phone booth with an American Flag, Eileuberg, Germany	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111257	copy of photograph of tank men with local women	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111258	photograph of Georgia Hammond and unknown man and unknown woman, seated	n.d.	Photographs Collection
800111259	photograph of Col. Willoughby unveiling plaque at St. Vith Range, presented by the 7th Armored Division Association, Fort Knox, KY	1971	Photographs Collection
800111260	photograph of Col. Willoughby at the plaque at St. Vith Range, Fort Knox, KY	1971	Photographs Collection
800111261	photograph of Glenn Fackler (second from right, bottom row) and unknown men from 7th A.D.	1971	Photographs Collection
800111262	photograph of Glenn Fackler (top left) with other unknown members of the 7th A.D.	1971	Photographs Collection
800111263	Glenn Fackler (second from right, top row) with other unknown members of the 7th A.D.	1971	Photographs Collection

Key Subjects

This collection is indexed under the following headings in the Library's online catalog. Researchers interested in materials about related topics, persons, or places should search the catalog using these subject headings.

Names

S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler, Sr.
M. Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson
Wesley Johnston
Lt. Col. William "Bill" Sheridan

Col. Willoughby

Subjects

Ardennes, Battle of the, 1944-1945
Medal of Honor
Seventh Armored Division Association (U.S.)
United States.-Army-Armored Division, 7th.
World War, 1939-1945-Campaigns-Belgium
World War, 1939-1945-Tank Warfare

Container List

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1	1		Series One: S. Sgt. Glenn R. Fackler, Sr.	
		800111001	Glenn R. Fackler, Sr. business card for Seventh Armored Division Association	n.d.
		800111002	Seventh Armored Division Association Life Member sticker	n.d.
		800111003	Thank You card from Mamie Dowd Eisenhower	1969
		800111004	short autobiography of Glenn R. Fackler, Sr.	n.d.
		800111005	short biography of Glenn R. Fackler, Sr., Secretary, Lucky Seventh	n.d.
		800111006	copies of photos of Glenn R. Fackler's military service	n.d.
		800111007	letter to Glenn Fackler from Norm Jones expressing gratitude of Glenn's good work and enclosed photos	1970
		800111008	sermon "Why Me Lord?" written by Glenn R. Fackler, Sr.	n.d.
		800111009	2 newspaper articles "Super sleuth \$10 bill helps solve a WWII puzzle"	1986

	Farmington Observer	
	2 copies of newspaper article "A Grateful Nation Remembers"	
	800111010 Northwest Gazette	1994
	800111011 copy of reunion program	1996
	800111012 Glenn R. Fackler, Sr. obituary (before death)	n.d.
	800111013 list of donation objects	n.d.
2	800111014 The Bridge Over the River Kwae: History of the Death Railway	1967
	800111015 War Department letter to J.W. Bell, father of George D. Bell	1918
	800111016 Headquarters Camp Mills, L.I., N.Y., Personnel Office June 8, 1919, Special Orders	1919
	800111017 Certified Copy, Honorable Discharge from the Army of the United States, George D. Bell	1922
	800111018 Certified Copy, Honorable Discharge letter	1950
	800111019 Office of Recorder of Guernsey County, OH, Certificate to copies	1950
3	800111020 copies of Report of Separation Honorable Discharge papers of Ralph E. McCubbin (friend of Facklers)	1945
	800111021 copy of registration for Nardin Park United Methodist Church, Commemorative Community Committee	n.d.
4	800111022 booklet <i>You Want War?? I'll Give You WAR!!</i> , 104th Infantry Division (Timberwolves) By Roger Koops	n.d.

**Series Two: Master Sergeant
Llewellyn M. Chilson (first cousin
of Glenn Fackler)**

5	800111023	The Story of Master Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson	1982
	800111024	copy of short biography of Chilson	n.d.
	800111025	copy of photographs of Fackler and Chilson family members	1945
	800111026	copy of description of photographs of Fackler and Chilson family members	1945
	800111027	copy of photograph of Llewellyn Chilson and Audie Murphy	n.d.
	800111028	copy of newspaper article "Akron War Hero"	n.d.
	800111029	copy of "The Biggest Award of All" caption for photograph	1946
	800111030	2 copies of photograph for "The Biggest Award of All"	1946
	800111031	copy of photograph of President Truman, Llewellyn Chilson, Mary Chilson and daughter Roberta	1946
	800111032	copy of photograph of Llewellyn Chilson, Mary Chilson, daughter, two (unknown) others	1946
	800111033	copy of newspaper article "War Hero Gets 7 Medals" Detroit News	1946
	800111034	copy of photograph caption "Former Infantryman Presented Seven Decorations"	1946
	800111035	copy of Citation for Distinguished Service Cross	1946
	800111036	copy of citation for Distinguished Service Cross, First Oak Leaf Cluster	1946

800111037	copy of citation for Distinguished Service Cross, Second Oak Leaf Cluster	1946
800111038	copy of citation for Bronze Star Medal	1946
800111039	copy of Citation for Silver Star, First Oak Leaf Cluster	1946
800111040	two copies of citation for the Legion of Merit	1946
800111041	copy of Citation for Silver Star	1946
800111042	2 copies of photograph caption for "Something New on the White House Table"	1946
800111043	2 copies of photograph "Something New on the White House Table"	1946
800111044	copy of newspaper comics "Armed Forces Firsts", The Pioneer	1962
800111045	copy of photograph T/Sgt. Llewellyn Chilson (Akron, Ohio)	1947
800111046	copy of photograph of T/Sgt. Llewellyn Chilson, Akron is shown on the speakers platform	1947
800111047	copy of newspaper article "War Hero Re-Enlists" The Lawton Constitution (January 16, 1959), Chilson men stamp on envelope (dated 1945)	1959, 1945
800111048	Copy of Frank W. Chilson return address stamp of Chilson men on envelope	n.d.
800111049	copy of Chilson men letterhead	n.d.
800111050	copy of newspaper article "Authorities Comb Plane Debris Where 22 Persons Died" Lawton Morning Press (page 1 of 2)	1961

800111051	copy of newspaper article "Authorities Comb Plane Debris Where 22 Persons Died" Lawton Morning Press (page 2 of 2)	1961
800111052	copy of newspaper article "Authorities Comb Plane Debris Where 22 Persons Died" Lawton morning Press	1961
800111053	copy of newspaper article "Most Decorated Soldier Back on Job After Crash"	1962
800111054	copy of newspaper article "Much-Decorated Soldier Back on Feet After Fiery Airplane Crash"	n.d.
800111055	two copies of newspaper article "Fightingest War Hero Comes home"	n.d.
800111056	copy or photograph of "Col. Daniel S. Stevenson Presents Commendation Medal to M/Sgt. Llewellyn M. Chilson"	1964
800111057	copy of newspaper article "Notoriety Nothing New to WWII Hero"	1978
800111058	copy of newspaper articles "Veteran's Day Observances Set", "M. Chilson Much Decorated War Veteran, Dies", "World War II Hero Will Lead Parade in Aub...(?)"	1981
800111059	copy of newspaper article "Akron War Hero Llewellyn Chilson dies at 61"	1981
800111060	copy of newspaper articles "Ohioan's Combat Career Reads Like Movie Script" and "War Hero's Brother Lives Here"	1981
800111061	copy of newspaper article "'One-man-army,' Chilson laid to rest" <i>The News Tribune</i> ,	1981
800111062	copy of article "Lest We Forget"	n.d.

800111063	copy of Matt Perkins (Chilson's grandson) wearing grandfather's medals	n.d.
800111064	copy of Matt Perkins (Chilson's grandson) wearing grandfather's medals	n.d.
800111065	copy of newspaper article "Statue Unveiled"	n.d.
800111066	copy of photograph "A soldier gets his d...(?)"	n.d.
800111067	copy of newspaper article "The Brass Arrives in Orting"	n.d.
800111068	letter to Glenn Fackler from Roberta "Robbie" Armstrong (Chilson) regarding gifts	2008
800111069	newspaper article "Chilson honored at dedication" <i>The News Tribune</i>	1983
800111070	copy of newspaper article "Chilson honored at dedication" <i>The News Tribune</i>	1983
800111071	copy of letter to F. N. Chilson (Llewellyn Chilson's father) from Douglas MacArthur expressing sympathy for son Alvin's death	1945
800111072	copy of article "Life had its ups and downs, says hero Chilson's widow"	n.d.
800111073	copy of newspaper article "Lest we forget"	n.d.
800111074	copy of poem "Soldier" and dedication of statue	n.d.
800111075	copy of article "NCO's honor one of their own" and "Quiet war hero's statue unveiled"	n.d.
800111076	copy of "Soldier" poem and photos of Chilson and family at memorial	

	ceremony	
	Ohio Military Hall of Fame 7th Annual Induction Ceremony program	2006
	newspaper article "Military hero receives deserved honor"	n.d.
6	copy of citation for Distinguished Service Cross	1946
	copy of citation for Distinguished Service Cross, First Oak Leaf Cluster	1946
	copy of citation for Distinguished Service Cross, Second Oak Leaf Cluster	1946
	copy of citation for Silver Star	1946
	copy of Citation for Silver Star, First Oak Leaf Cluster	1946
	copy of citation for Bronze Star Medal	1946
	copy of Citation for the Legion of Merit	1946
	Chilson's Newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 1	1985
	Chilson's Newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 2	1985
	Chilson's Newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 5	1985
	Chilson's Newsletter, Vol. 1, No. 7	1986
	"Thunderbird Legends," 45th Division News	n.d.
	copy of newspaper article "Thunderbird Legends"	n.d.
	copy of newspaper article "War Hero Gets 7 Medals" <i>Detroit News</i>	1946
	newspaper article "Military hero getting deserved honor"	2006
	copy of newspaper article "Military hero getting deserved honor"	2006

	800111095	copy of newspaper article "War Hero Re-enlists" <i>The Lawton Constitution</i>	1959
	800111096	copy of newspaper article "AMVETS Statue to W.W.II Hero Dedicated" <i>The National AMVET</i>	1983
	800111097	copy of Llewellyn Chilson's funeral program	1981
7	800111098	letter to William E. Potts (Chilson's Uncle) from George L. Ford expressing pleasure in their first meeting	1947
	800111099	copy of letter to William E. Potts (Chilson's Uncle) from George L. Ford expressing pleasure in their first meeting	1947
	800111100	letter to Glenn Fackler from Mary Chilson expressing interest in family history	1985
	800111101	letter to Mary Chilson from Glenn Fackler regarding pursuit of M. Sgt. Chilson's Medal of Honor	1985
	800111102	letter to Glenn Fackler from Mary Chilson expressing thanks and appreciation.	1985
	800111103	letter to President Reagan from Mary Chilson regarding Medal of Honor pursuit	1985
	800111104	letter from Glenn Fackler to (no name) regarding pursuit of Chilson's Medal of Honor	1985
	800111105	letter to Gen. Bill Knowlton from Glenn Fackler expressing interest in pursuing the Medal of Honor for M. Sgt. Chilson	1985
	800111106	letter to Dave Turner from Glenn Fackler regarding pursuit of M. Sgt.	1985

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800111107	letter to Glenn Fackler from Grayson F. Winterling regarding Chilson's Medal of Honor pursuit	1985
800111108	letter from Mary Chilson to Karl Bielenberg regarding Chilson Medal of Honor pursuit	1985
800111109	Letter to Mary Chilson from Karl Bielenberg regarding Chilson Medal of Honor pursuit	1985
800111110	letter to Mary Chilson from David R. Kinneer regarding correction of Llewellyn Chilson's military records, Medal of Honor pursuit	1990
800111111	copy of Memorandum of Consideration, Department of the Army, In the case of Llewellyn M. Chilson	1990
800111112	letter to Robin Armstrong (Chilson) from Glenn Fackler regarding U.S. postal stamp proposal	1999
800111113	letter to Glenn Fackler from U.S. Postal Service regarding commemorative stamp of Chilson	1999
800111114	U.S. Postal Service "Criteria Stamp Subject Selection"	n.d.
800111115	U.S. Postal Service "The Citizen's Stamp Advisory Committee"	n.d.
800111116	letter to Glenn Fackler from David Petree regarding reconsideration of Chilson's Medal of Honor	1999
800111117	copies of email correspondence between Glenn Fackler and Sandy Warren (author/contributor to Suite101.com) regarding story of the Chilson Medal of Honor pursuit.	2001

800111118	copy of email correspondence between Glenn Fackler and Roberta Armstrong (Chilson) regarding Chilson's medals for auction	2004
800111119	letter to Glenn Fackler from Roberta "Robbie" Armstrong (Chilson) regarding article (?)	n.d.
800111120	newspaper article "Stamp of a Hero" <i>Sun Herald</i>	1999
800111121	funeral program for Mary Holland Armstrong Chilson	1999
800111122	In Remembrance of Mary Chilson	1999
800111123	obituary for Mary Chilson	1999
800111124	letter to Robin Armstrong (Chilson) from Glenn Fackler regarding Sandy Warren's published article of the Chilson Medal of Honor	2002
800111125	copies of email correspondence between Clara Robinson/Glenn Fackler and Sandy Warren regarding story about Chilson's Medal of Honor	2001
800111126	copies of email correspondence between Clara Robinson/Glenn Fackler and Sandy Warren regarding story about Chilson's Medal of Honor	2001
800111127	copies of email correspondence between Sandy Warren and Clara Robinson regarding Chilson's Medal of Honor pursuit	2001
800111128	copy of photograph of Llewellyn Chilson and Audie Murphy	n.d.
800111129	copy of newspaper article "One-man Army" Akron Beacon Journal	2005
800111130	copy of article "George Company's Fighting Sergeant"	2006

		copy of newspaper article	
	800111131	"'Fightingest' war hero comes home"	n.d.
		copy of editorial opinions "Readers speak out about Luftwaffe story"	n.d.
	800111132		
	800111133	copy of newspaper article "Much-Decorated Soldier Back on Feet After Fiery Airplane Crash"	n.d.
		copy of photograph of Fackler and Chilson family members	1945
8	800111134		
	800111135	Medal of Honor Winner, Lt. Col. Matt Urban, pamphlet	n.d.
		newspaper article "A Veteran's Day Salute: 'I never tried to be a hero'"	
	800111136	<i>Detroit Free Press</i>	1988
9		Series Three: WWII Arts and Culture	
		copy of newspaper comic "Saving the memories" <i>The Stars and Stripes</i>	1998
	800111137		
	800111138	illustration "The Tanker"	n.d.
		program for "Dennison Canteen Day Re-enactment"	1976
	800111139		
	800111140	playbill for "Off Limits: A Musical Comedy in Fantasy"	n.d.
		poem "The Bonds of Battle" by Robin Fowler Hemphill	1994
	800111141		
	800111142	newspaper article "Berlin Airlift" Kaiserslautern American	1998
		copy of newspaper article "USAFE to fete Berlin Airlift"	n.d.
	800111143		
	800111144	three copies of poem "Belgium 1944-1945" by Rebecca Phillips	1994
		four pages of poem "The Man in the Glass" author unknown	n.d.
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**Series Four: U.S. Presidents of
WWII**

800111146	(2) souvenir postcards of President Franklin D. Roosevelt at the Little Whitehouse, Warm Springs Georgia	n.d.
800111147	(2) Souvenir postcards of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's Ford Convertible, Little Whitehouse, Warm Springs, Georgia	n.d.
800111148	Souvenir Tour Guide booklet of Franklin D. Roosevelt's Little Whitehouse and Museum	n.d.
800111149	Souvenir copy of "Remarks Prepared for Delivery: Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt, Madison Square Garden-New York, NY, November 5, 1932"	1932
800111150	souvenir photograph of Gen. Eisenhower addressing D-Day Troops	1944
800111151	Booklet of Dedication Ceremonies of Dwight D. Eisenhower Statue	n.d.

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**Series Five: Commemorative
Magazines**

800111152	<i>Fort Knox, The Home of Armor and Cavalry</i> , 50th Anniversary of the Armored Force,	1989-90
800111153	<i>World War II</i> magazine, "Battle of Britain," September 1990	1990
800111154	<i>World War II</i> magazine, "Mussolini's Bad Month," November 1990	1990
800111155	<i>World War II</i> magazine, "Java Sea Duel," January 1992	1992
800111156	<i>World War II</i> magazine, "Ceylon Strike," March 1992	1992
800111157	<i>World War II</i> magazine, "El Alamein Victory," September 1992	1992

800111158 *National AMVET*, commemorative issue, "The Day," Spring 1994 1994

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Series Seven: 7th Armored Division "Lucky Seventh"

800111264 copies of photographs of The Carentan Bypass; Company A engineers repair and widen...; 291st Engineer Combat Battalion Bailey Bridge n.d.

800111265 copy of letter to the 7th Armored Division from Maj. Gen. Walton H. Walker 1944

800111266 copy of "From the Beaches to the Baltic (The Story of the Seventh Armored Division)" n.d.

800111267 copy of "'Workshop'--The United States 7th Armored Division" n.d.

800111268 copy of "Seventh Armored Division: Sobriquet, 'The Ghost Treaders'" from Lt. Col. William J. Sheridan n.d.

800111269 copy of photograph of 7th Armored Division patch, 5th Infantry Division patch n.d.

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800111270 copy of Wesley Johnston's Introduction to the 7th Armored Division records copied from the National Archives 1995

800111271 7th Armored Division Combat Command R After Action Reports August 1944-June 1945 1944-1945

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800111272 copy of 7th Armored Division Personnel of WWII Interred Overseas n.d.

800111273 copy of 7th Armored Division Personnel of WWII Interred Overseas, (beginning with 33rd Engineer n.d.

	Battalion)	
	copy of 7th Armored Personnel from the 87th Cavalry Reconnaissance Squadron Mechanized Personnel	
800111274	Interred in Europe	n.d.
800111275	2 copies of (beginning with) 17th Tank Battalion	n.d.
800111276	copy of 7th Armored Division Personnel of WWII Interred overseas (beginning with Hopkins, PVT Walter S 23rd Infantry)	n.d.
800111277	2 copies of listings for Field Artillery Battalions, Starting with the 434th	n.d.
800111278	2 copies of Interred (beginning with 48th Infantry)	n.d.
800111279	3 copies of 7th Armored Division Personnel of WWII Interred Overseas (beginning with Arling, PVT Howard O, 38th Infantry)	n.d.
800111280	copy of Interred 38th Infantry (beginning with Klassen, PFC Francis A)	n.d.
800111281	copy of interred 23rd Infantry (beginning with Abraham, PFC John)	n.d.
800111282	7th Armored Division Men KIA in World War II (beginning with Anderson, Leonard C., Tec/5, 17th Tank)	n.d.
4	letter to Glenn Fackler from Lloyd C. Irland (son of Cpt. John E. Irland-7th AD)	
800111283		
800111284	scanned copy of journal entry from Cpt. John E. Irland from Halle, Germany.	1945
800111285	scanned copy of photograph of Battery B, 434th Armored Field	1945

		Artillery Battalion, June 19, 1945	
	800111286	scanned copy of photographs of John E. Irland	1943-1945
5	800111287	letter from Vince Lodato to Glenn Fackler about time with the 7th AD	1995
	800111288	copy of Vincent Lodato's autobiography about time in Mojave Desert in 1943	n.d.
6		Series Eight: 38th Armored Infantry Battalion/7th Armored Division	
	800111289	copy of Unit History of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) August 1944	1996
7	800111290	copy of "Restricted, Headquarters Thirty Eighth Armored Infantry Battalion, Fort Benning, Georgia, Special Orders 1.) 'Having been assigned to this Battalion, the following named officers are assigned as indicated:' from 1st Lt. Thomas E. Peterson, 38th Armd Inf Bn	1943
	800111291	copy of "Restricted, Headquarters Thirty Eighth Armored Infantry Battalion, Fort Benning, Georgia, Special Orders 1.)'The following named Enlisted Men are assigned to Co. "A""	1943
8	800111292	copy of Operation Instructions of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) October 1944-May 1945	1996
9	800111293	copy of Staff Journal of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) September-October 1944	1996

10	800111294	copy of S-2 Journal of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) Nov-Dec 44, Feb-May 45	1996
11	800111295	copy of S-3 Journal of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) 2 Nov-31 Dec 44, 1-11 Feb 45, 1 Mar-6 Apr 45, 9-Apr-31 May 45)	1996
12	800111296	letter from Wesley Johnston to Glenn Fackler regarding A/38 Morning Reports from December 1944-June 1945 and a list of 38 AIB deaths in Europe.	1997
13	800111297	copy of graph of A-38 AIB Total Present between Dec 1944-May 1945	n.d.
	800111298	copy of 38th Armored Infantry Battalion Deaths in Europe	n.d.
	800111299	copy of 38th Armored Infantry Battalion Deaths in Europe	1997
	800111300	copy of Name Index to A-38 Morning Reports: December 1944-June 1945	1997
	800111301	copy of Date Index to A-38 Morning Reports: December 1944-June 1945	1997
	800111302	copy of Known Errors in the Original A/38 AIB Morning Reports	n.d.
	800111303	copy of "Status of 38 AIB Morning Reports"	1997
	800111304	copy of A-38 Morning Reports "Record of Events"	1997
	800111305	copy of A-38 Company Location on Morning Reports	1997
14	800111306	copy of 7th Armored Division, 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, After Action Reports, Sept 1944-August 1945	n.d.

		copy of After Action Reports of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion (7th Armored Division) September 1944-August 1945	1996
15	800111307	letter to Glenn Fackler from Wesley Johnston regarding Combat Interviews and maps	1996
	800111308	copy of interview with Capt. Walter H. Asutry, CO	n.d.
	800111309	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Defense of St Vith, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" enlarged	n.d.
	800111310	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Defense of St Vith, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" actual	n.d.
	800111311	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Withdrawal from St Vith, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" enlarged	n.d.
	800111312	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Withdrawal from St Vith, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" actual	n.d.
	800111313	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Outposts at Krombach, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" enlarged	n.d.
	800111314	copy of map overlay of "Company A, 38th Armd Inf Bn, Outposts at Krombach, 1:25000 Sheet 5702" actual	n.d.
	800111315	copy of "Combat Interviews of the 38th Armored Infantry Battalion, 7th Armored Division, the St. Vith Salient, Dec. 17-21, 1944"	n.d.
16	800111316	letter to Gene Jones and Glenn Fackler from Wesley Johnston regarding three men in AT/B/38	1996
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	copy of photograph of Claud M. Ward of Telogia, FL "Berlin Bound" (AT/B/38)	n.d.
	copy of photograph of Walter Johnston, Irvin Byers, Peyton Mooneyham "Berlin Bound" (AT/B/38)	n.d.
17	Series Nine: US Army Armor School/Battle of St. Vith	
	copy of "The US Army Armor School's <i>The Battle at St. Vith, Belgium</i> "	1996
18	Series Ten: Cemeteries and Memorials	
	copy of "The Fatal Decisions: Eye Witness Account by 6 Topflight German Generals, The Ardennes" by General Hasso Von Manteuffel	n.d.
	<i>The Bulge Bugle Volume XII Number 2, The Ardennes Campaign, May 1993 "Why Don't We Learn From History?"</i>	1993
	<i>The Bulge Bugle Volume XXVI Number 1, The Ardennes Campaign, February 2007 "Tank Destroyers"</i>	2007
	newspaper article "Battle to Remember" <i>unknown publication</i>	1999
	set of eight "Battle of the Bulge" postcards	n.d.
	"The Battle of the Ardennes" 50th Anniversary program	1994
	Bastogne memorial booklet	n.d.
	"Circuit Historique" Remember the Ardennes	1994
	<i>INFO-CRIBA (La Bataille des Ardennes)</i>	2000

		"The Defense of St. Vith, Belgium" <i>The Armored School</i>	n.d.
19	800111330	2 copies of 7th Armored Division Tank Memorial in Veilsalm Belgium	
	800111331	postcards	1998
	800111332	copy of letter to Le Maire de Berry-au-Bac from Lt. Col. William J. Sheridan regarding French Memorials of the 7th Armored Division	1998
	800111333	copy of letter to General Knowlton from Lt. Col. William "Bill" Sheridan regarding Memorial Day ceremonies, and copy of enclosure regarding information about the "Lucky Seventh" being sent to mayors in Belgium and France	1998
	800111334	copy of letter to General Knowlton from Lt. Col. William "Bill" Sheridan regarding presence at Memorial Day ceremonies for the "Lucky Seventh"	1998
	800111335	copy of American Battle Monuments Commission, Henri-Chapelle AC-7th Armored DIV, Selected Burials	n.d.
	800111336	copy of American Battle Monuments Commission, Henri-Chapelle AC-82 Airborne Div, Selected Burials	n.d.
	800111337	copy of photograph of William Sheridan in Fere en Tardenois, France May 30, 1999	1999
20	800111338	copy American Battle Monuments Commission, Oise Aisne American Cemetery	1997
	800111339	copies of photographs of wreaths laid at Cemetery at Chateau Thierry, France, 31 May 1998	1998

	copies of photographs of participants in the ceremony at Henri Chapelle American Military Cemetery near Liege, Belgium, 23 May 1998	1998
	program for "American Memorial Day in France: Aisne-Marne American Cemetery"	1998
	copies of photographs of Ceremony at the 5th Infantry Division Memorial in Corny, France, Sept 12, 1999 (Madame Elizabeth Gozzo, ceremony wreaths)	1999
	program for "Chateau-Thierry Commemoration du 80e anniversaire de la deuxieme bataille de la Marne"	1998
	four copies of postcard/photo of The American Eagle Monument Rambouillet, France	n.d.
	Program for Franco-American Friendship Ceremonies celebrating the 55th Anniversary of the Liberation of Rambouillet	1999
	copy of two photographs with caption- Two members of the French-American Ancient Combatants Association, 55th Anniversary Commemorative Liberation Ceremony, Rambouillet, France, August 19, 1999	1999
	program for Bealleau Wood, The Second Battle of the Marne	1998
21	pamphlet for Overloon, Holland's greatest War Museum	n.d.
	copy of email to Glenn Fackler from Niek Hendrix regarding photos of Memorial Day 2005, Margraten Cemetery	2005

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Niek Hendrix regarding photos of
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