# GEORGE H. HOPKINS MATERIALS, CA. 1945–1946

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### **COLLECTION INFORMATION**

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5 folders

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ca.1945-1946

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## **BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

George H. Hopkins was born on October 11, 1905, in Illinois. During World War II, he served as a clerk at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, from 1945 to 1946. He died in December 1973 in Indianapolis, IN.

Sources:

Ancestry.com

Materials from the collection

#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection contains eight papers and one pamphlet related to George Hopkins' service in World War II from January 1945 to July 1946. Hopkins worked as a clerk for the Ordnance Department at Camp Atterbury, Indiana. Two memoranda from the Army Service Forces show that Hopkins satisfactorily completed job relations training for which he received a record of training and two certificates. He earned an efficiency rating of "very good" which entitled him to a promotion and pay raise. His last day of active duty was June 30, 1946, and his position was subsequently terminated. Hopkins received a pamphlet published by the War Department entitled "To Civilians Leaving the War Department" which addresses such issues as reduction in force regulations, lump-sum leave payments, retirement refunds, and social security taxation.

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