JOHN EDWARD COLETTO COLLECTION, 1941

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 2 folders

COLLECTION DATES: 1941

PROVENANCE: John Edward Coletto, Ft. Myers, Florida, 8 August 1991

RESTRICTIONS: None

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ALTERNATE FORMATS: None

OTHER FINDING AIDS: None

RELATED HOLDINGS: None

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HISTORICAL SKETCH

John Edward Coletto served in the 139th Field Artillery Band, 38th Division, Camp Shelby, Mississippi during World War II. During this time, he wrote a newspaper column entitled "Shelby Shorts" to update civilians on the camp's happenings. Coletto was from Crawfordsville, Indiana.

Source: Information from collection.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection, filling two folders, consists of a World War II scrapbook started by Coletto's girlfriend and completed by his mother. Included are newspaper clippings regarding Camp Shelby activities and events of the War. Also included is a rendition of Stephen Foster's "Old Folks at Home" scored by Coletto for a string quartet for the 139th Field Artillery Band.

FOLDER LISTING

FOLDER CONTENTS

- 1. Quartet Rendition of Stephen Foster's "Old Folks at Home", 1941; Football Program, 1944; Scrapbook pages
- 2. Scrapbook Pages

CATALOGING INFORMATION

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- 2. Click on the "Basic Search" icon.
- 3. Select "Call Number" from the "Search In:" box.
- 4. Search for the collection by its basic call number (in this case, SC 2315).
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