

EVANSVILLE WORLD WAR II SCRAPBOOK, 1941-1946

Collection #
SC 2503

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USER INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 folder

COLLECTION DATES: 1941-1946

PROVENANCE: Mary A. Zint, Evansville, IN, 25 August 1995

RESTRICTIONS: None

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ALTERNATE FORMATS: None

OTHER FINDING AIDS: None

RELATED HOLDINGS: See card catalog under World War, 1939-1945

ACCESSION NUMBER: 95.0616

HISTORICAL SKETCH

At the beginning of World War II, between the outbreak of war in 1939 and the attack on Pearl Harbor in December 1941, many young men from the United States who wanted to get involved joined the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Some of these came from Evansville.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

This collection, filling one folder, contains pages of a scrapbook of clippings and other material about men from Evansville, Indiana, who served in World War II, mainly in the Royal Canadian Air Force. Most of the pages are about individual Evansville men.

The scrapbook also has other material tipped in. This includes a 1942 holiday greeting from the Earl of Athlone and the Princess Royal, three photographs of depth charges being dropped on a Nazi submarine off the Canadian coast, and a photograph of an unidentified bomber.

CATALOGUING INFORMATION

MAIN ENTRY: Evansville (Ind.) World War II scrapbook, 1941-1946

SUBJECT ENTRIES: Canada. Royal Canadian Air Force

Soldiers--Indiana--Evansville

World War, 1939-1945--Indiana--Evansville--Personal narratives

World War, 1939-1945--Canada

Anti-submarine warfare--Photographs

Evansville (Ind.)

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