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# Summary Information

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Biographical Note

Capt. David L. Elliot was born in Randolph County, North Carolina in 1835. Eventually Elliot moved to Salamonie Township, Huntington County, Indiana in 1844. With the outbreak of Civil War, Elliott enlisted into the Union Army on April 18, 1861, and re-enlisted in August 1862. Elliot served in Indiana Company E. 75th Regiment, under Capt. David Wall. After the war, Elliot married Martha Morrison in 1865. The couple had three children: George, Rufus, and Milton.

Scope and Contents

The collection contains Civil War materials of David L. Elliot. Included are family correspondence, discharge papers, family photos, bible, receipts, distribution rolls, certificates, ribbons of reunions, political campaign badges, and a Civil War diary (1864–1865). The collection also contains a history of the Battle of Chickamauga by Capt. J.C. McElroy.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from Walter Elliot on 1974/05/15.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing and finding aid completed by Brent Abercrombie during September 2010. EAD finding aid completed by Bethany Fiechter on 2018/04/05.

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• United States. Army. Indiana Infantry Regiment, 75th (1862-1865).

Geographic Name(s)

• Indiana--History--Civil War, 1861-1865.
• United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Personal narratives

Subject(s)

• Military paraphernalia
• Military parks
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