

Theodore C. Cazeau Grand Army of the Republic Collection

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Summary Information

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| Repository | Special Collections, St. John Fisher College |
| Creator | Cazeau, Theodore Charles, 1875-1934 |
| Title | Theodore C. Cazeau Grand Army of the Republic Collection |
| Date [bulk] | Bulk, 1917-1934 |
| Date [inclusive] | 1863-1935 |
| Extent | 31.85 Cubic feet (49 boxes, 2 oversize) |
| Location | Special Collections Room, Lavery Library, Upper Level |
| Language | English |
| Abstract | This collection measures 31.85 cubic feet and documents the activities of Theodore C. Cazeau and his involvement with the Grand Army of the Republic and later, the Sons of Union Veterans organizations, for which he was elected national commander-in-chief in 1929. The collection, which spans the years 1863 to 1935, includes correspondence, photographic material, printed material, manuscripts, clippings, textiles, and artifacts. |

Citation

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Biographical Note

Theodore Charles Cazeau (1875-1934) was born in Rochester to Ella and Theodore H. Cazeau, a Civil War veteran whose stories from his service in the NY 8th Calvary Regiment piqued the interest of young Theodore and spurred a life devoted to remembering the sacrifices of area soldiers who fought for the Union. After graduating from the Rochester Free Academy, Cazeau became the confidential secretary to Captain Henry Lomb. Cazeau was appointed vice chairman of the Memorial Day Flower Committee, which was responsible for placing flowers on the grave of every soldier in Monroe County. Thus began Cazeau's lifelong effort to document not only the gravesites of the soldiers and the lives of the surviving veterans, but to also record the details of their service. An insurance man by day, Cazeau devoted an enormous amount of his money and time to the continued recognition of these men, eventually helping to organize and becoming the commander of the Captain Henry Lomb Camp. In 1918, he was elected the commander of the State of New York Sons of Union Veterans, and in 1929 was made the commander of the national Sons of Union Veterans (SUV), an organization that served as an extension of the Grand Army of the Republic (GAR), a fraternal group for veterans of the Civil War. His community involvement extended to the Monroe Commandery of Knights Templar and the Lions Club, for which he served as president. Cazeau also served as president of the SUV's National Patriotic Instructors' Association, and the GAR's Eighth New York Calvary Association. During his tenure as the president of the Standard Bearers' Association, Cazeau was instrumental in establishing the Transfer of the Flags ceremonies in Rochester-area schools, and led a yearly trip--at his own expense--wherein he accompanied a group of young standard bearers to Gettysburg, where his own father had fought and been wounded. Cazeau's passion culminated in his success in bringing the national GAR encampment to Rochester in 1934. The rigors of his efforts may have precipitated his death later that year when he succumbed to a streptococcal infection. Theodore C. Cazeau died at age 59, leaving behind wife Genevieve Hart Cazeau, and two daughters, Genevieve and Hortense.

Scope and Contents Note

The Theodore C. Cazeau Grand Army of the Republic Collection comprises correspondence, subject files, graphic material, textiles, and artifacts documenting Cazeau's involvement with the Grand Army of the Republic and its successor organization, the Sons of Union Veterans. Of special note are the local Civil War soldier service documents and record books, which record important biographical information of soldiers from local regimental companies. Also to be noted are the record books of various GAR and SUV camps and posts, which document the activities of these organizations. The collection also features a wide array of encampment and reunion ribbons and medals.

Arrangement

The collection is organized into 13 series: Series 1: Correspondence, 1912-1935; Series 2: Personal papers, ca. 1920s-1930s; Series 3: Subject files, 1863-1935, n.d.; Series 4: Soldier biographies, ca. 1920s-1930s; Series 5: Soldier burials, ca. 1920s-1930s; Series 6: Record books, 1863-1927, n.d.; Series 7: Memorial Day History manuscripts, 1868-1906; Series 8: Graphic materials, ca. 1860s-1930s, n.d.; Series 9: Printed materials, 1863-1935, n.d.; Series 10: Textiles, 1907, n.d.; Series 11: Artifacts, 1860s-1931, n.d.; Series 12: Binder and scrapbook contents, 1900-1934; Series 13: Cazeau family materials, 1925-1929. Series 1: Correspondence, is divided into two subseries: Subseries 1: New York State; and Subseries 2: Non-New York State. Series 6: Record Books, is divided into seven subseries: Subseries 1: O'Rorke Camp No. 60; Subseries 2: E. G. Marshall Post No. 397; Subseries 3: George H. Thomas Post No. 4; Subseries 4: C. J. Powers Post #391; Subseries 5: Thomas Farr Post No. 275; Subseries 6: Miscellaneous descriptive books; and Subseries 7: Miscellaneous. Series 8: Graphic materials, is divided into three subseries: Subseries 1: Photographs; Subseries 2: Negatives; Subseries 3: Lantern slides. Series 12, Binders and scrapbooks, is divided into two subseries: Subseries 1: Binder contents; and Subseries 2: Scrapbook clippings.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Special Collections, Lavery Library

Conditions Governing Access

There are no intellectual restrictions regarding access to this collection; Physical access by appointment only.

Conditions Governing Use

Permission to publish, reproduce, distribute, or use in any current or future manifestations must be obtained in writing from St. John Fisher College Lavery Library.

Custodial History

The custodial history is largely unknown. According to an article in the March 5, 1979, issue of the Rochester (N.Y.) Times-Union, the collection passed to a relative upon Cazeau's death in 1934. Prior to that relative's death, John Westerberg of the Yankee Peddler Bookshop was summoned to the house to collect the materials, which he sold to Bob Gullo, director of Lavery Library.

Processing Information

Processed by consulting archivist Cheri Crist, May 2014. This project was made possible by a grant from the Documentary Heritage Program of the New York State Archives, a program of the State Education Department. The provenance of this collection was compromised by the integration of general GAR-related materials over the years. Previous attempts to organize some of Cazeau's material are evident; however, these attempts further disrupted the original order and provenance of the collection. Every attempt was made to segregate materials from the Cazeau collection from the general GAR collection. Where original order was evident--Cazeau organized one box of correspondence by state, and some materials were found in folders with subjects provided by Cazeau--this order was maintained. Loose material was integrated into the existing order as appropriate.

A large amount of newspaper clippings dating from the 1920s and 1930s were reformatted onto acid-free paper. Other fragile items, such as telegrams, letters, and manuscript materials, that were in danger of becoming illegible due to fading and general deterioration, were also reformatted. Nine photographs were identified and recommended for conservation. Issues of The Banner (1929-1934) should be digitized due to their brittleness.

Related Materials

Related Materials

St. John Fisher also holds an unprocessed collection of miscellaneous Grand Army of the Republic materials, including pamphlets, encampment programs, books, textiles, and ephemera.

Separated Materials

The following titles were removed from the collection and cataloged at an unknown date.

Proceedings of the National Encampment of Grand Army of the Republic. (1900-1913) E462.1 .A17
Journal of the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic. (1915-1949) E462.1 .A17
Abstract of General Orders and Proceedings of the Annual Encampment, Department of New York, Grand Army of the Republic. (1914-1930) E462.1 .N6

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Grand Army of the Republic--Department of New York.
- Grand Army of the Republic.
- Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War--Department of New York.
- Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War. Auxiliary.
- Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War.

Geographic Name(s)

- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Archival resources

Personal Name(s)

- Brown, George, 1844-1940
- Hard, James A., 1941-1953
- Lilly, Henry, 1841-1942
- Lomb, Henry, Capt., 1828-1908
- Pierce, Samuel C., 1839-1931

Subject(s)

- Grand Army of the Republic--History.
- Grand Army of the Republic. National Encampment
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Cemeteries
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Collectibles--Handbooks, manuals, etc.
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Military personnel--Union
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Regimental histories--New York (State)
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Veterans--Biography
- United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Veterans--Union
- Veterans--New York (State)
- Woman's Relief Corps (U.S.)

Bibliography

“T. C. Cazeau Dies, Victim of Infection.” Rochester Democrat & Chronicle, December 24, 1934.

New York History: Quarterly Journal of the New York State Historical Association (vol. XVI, No. 2, April 1935), p. 197, "Theodore C. Cazeau," Cooperstown, N.Y. [etc.]: New York State Historical Association.

Correspondence,

Collection Inventory

Correspondence, 1912-1935, n.d. 2.5 Cubic feet (3 boxes)

Series Description

Series 1, Correspondence, contains documents regarding Cazeau's involvement with a variety of GAR and SUV New York activities; New York State encampments; Memorial Day planning and planning of other celebrations; the 1934 GAR Rochester encampment; the Slater Bill; and other topics pertinent to military history. Important correspondents include: Ulysses S. Grant III; Albert W. Beaven, President, Rochester Colgate Divinity School; George Eastman, Founder, Eastman Kodak Company; Herbert Eisenhart, President, Bausch & Lomb; Frank Ernest Gannett, Founder, Gannett Company; Carl Lomb, Board member, Bausch & Lomb; James Lucius Whitley, United States House of Representatives N.Y. 38th District; and Rochester mayors Percival D. Oviatt, Charles Stanton, and Clarence D. Van Zandt. The series is further divided into two subseries: Subseries 1, New York State; and Subseries 2, Non-New York State.

New York State, 1912-1935, n.d.

| | Box | Folder |
|----------------|------------|---------------|
| New York, 1912 | 1 | 1 |
| New York, 1913 | 1 | 2 |
| New York, 1914 | 1 | 3 |
| New York, 1916 | 1 | 4 |

New York State,

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|---------------------------|---|----|
| New York, 1917 | 1 | 5 |
| New York, Jan-May 1918 | 1 | 6 |
| New York, June-Dec 1918 | 1 | 7 |
| New York, 1924-1927 | 1 | 8 |
| New York, 1928 | 1 | 9 |
| New York (Thompson), 1929 | 1 | 10 |
| New York, Jan-Aug 1929 | 1 | 11 |
| New York, Sept-Oct 1929 | 1 | 12 |
| New York, Nov-Dec 1929 | 1 | 13 |
| New York, Jan-Feb 1930 | 1 | 14 |
| New York, March-May 1930 | 1 | 15 |
| New York, June-Dec 1930 | 1 | 16 |
| New York, 1931 | 1 | 17 |
| New York, 1932 | 1 | 18 |

New York State,

| | | |
|--|---|----|
| New York, 1933 | 1 | 19 |
| New York, 1934 | 1 | 20 |
| New York, 1935 | 1 | 21 |
| New York, n.d. | 1 | 22 |
| New York (Lomb Camp 25th Anniversary), 1934 | 1 | 23 |
| New York (Mayoral), 1926-1931 | 1 | 24 |
| New York (Transfer of Flags), 1933-1934 | 1 | 25 |
| New York (Memorial Day), 1930-1933 | 1 | 26 |
| New York (Memorial Day), 1934, n.d. | 1 | 27 |
| New York (Lincoln celebrations), 1934 | 2 | 1 |
| New York (Slater Bill #331), 1931 | 2 | 2 |
| New York (Burial Flags), 1931-1932 | 2 | 3 |
| New York (13th N.Y. Volunteer Regiment), 1925-1931 | 2 | 4 |
| New York (GAR Rochester encampment), 1933-1934 | 2 | 5 |

Non-New York State,

| | | |
|--|------------|---------------|
| New York (Lomb Memorial), 1931-1932 | 2 | 6 |
| New York (U.S. Flag Association), 1933 | 2 | 7 |
| New York (Encampment proceedings appeal), 1934 | 2 | 8 |
| New York (Non-Cazeau), n.d. | 2 | 9 |
| New York (Cazeau letterhead), n.d. | 2 | 10 |
| New York (Condolences), 1934-1935 | 2 | 11 |
| Non-New York State, 1918-1934 (Bulk, 1929-1930) | | |
| | Box | Folder |
| Alabama, 1929-1930 | 3 | 1 |
| Arkansas, 1929 | 3 | 2 |
| California, 1929-1930 | 3 | 3 |
| Colorado, 1930 | 3 | 4 |
| Connecticut, 1929-1930 | 3 | 5 |
| Delaware, 1930 | 3 | 6 |

Non-New York State,

| | | |
|---------------------------------|---|----|
| District of Columbia, 1929-1930 | 3 | 7 |
| Florida, 1929-1930 | 3 | 8 |
| Georgia, 1929 | 3 | 9 |
| Illinois, 1929-1930 | 3 | 10 |
| Indiana, 1929-1930 | 3 | 11 |
| Iowa, 1929-1930 | 3 | 12 |
| Kansas, 1929-1930 | 3 | 13 |
| Kentucky, 1929 | 3 | 14 |
| Maine, 1929-1930 | 3 | 15 |
| Maryland, 1929-1930 | 3 | 16 |
| Massachusetts, 1928-1930 | 3 | 17 |
| Michigan, 1929-1930 | 3 | 18 |
| Minnesota, 1929 | 3 | 19 |
| Mississippi, 1929 | 3 | 20 |

Non-New York State,

| | | |
|--|---|----|
| Missouri, 1929-1930 | 3 | 21 |
| Nebraska, 1929-1930 | 3 | 22 |
| New Hampshire, 1929-1930 | 3 | 23 |
| New Jersey, 1918-1930 | 3 | 24 |
| North Carolina, 1929 | 3 | 25 |
| North Dakota, 1929-1934 | 3 | 26 |
| Ohio, 1929-1931 | 3 | 27 |
| Oregon, 1929-1930 | 3 | 28 |
| Pennsylvania, 1930 | 3 | 29 |
| Pennsylvania (Horace H. Hammer), 1929-1930 | 3 | 30 |
| Pennsylvania (Horace H. Hammer), 1930-1931 | 3 | 31 |
| Rhode Island, 1929-1930 | 3 | 32 |
| Tennessee, 1929 | 3 | 33 |
| Texas, 1930 | 3 | 34 |

Personal Papers,

| | | |
|-----------------------|---|----|
| Vermont, 1929-1930 | 3 | 35 |
| Virginia, 1929-1931 | 3 | 36 |
| Washington, 1929-1930 | 3 | 37 |
| Wisconsin, 1929-1930 | 3 | 38 |

Personal Papers, ca. 1920s-1930s 0.45 Cubic feet (1 box)

Series Description

Series 2, Personal Papers, comprises material related to Cazeau's insurance business, various genealogies, an address book, and miscellaneous documents, receipts, pamphlets, and maps.

| | Box | Folder |
|---------------|------------|---------------|
| Genealogy | 4 | 1 |
| Insurance | 4 | 2 |
| Miscellaneous | 4 | 3 |
| Miscellaneous | 4 | 4 |
| Address book | 4 | 5 |

Subject Files, 1863-1935, n.d. 0.45 Cubic feet (1 box)

Soldier Biographies,**Series Description**

Series 3, Subject files, represent Cazeau's own research files, for which original order and file titles were retained. The series consists of typed and handwritten notes, pamphlets, and miscellaneous documents on the following subjects: confederates; standard bearers; Sons of Union Veterans; Soldiers' and Sailors' monument; Henry Lomb Camp #100; George H. Thomas Post; and Mother's Day.

| | Box | Folder |
|--|------------|------------------|
| Confederates, 1930-1932, n.d. | 5 | 1 |
| Standard bearers, 1890-1933 | 5 | 2 |
| Standard bearers' trip, 1863, 1931, n.d. | 5 | 3 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, n.d. | 5 | 4 |
| Soldiers and Sailors Monument, 1892, 1908 | 5 | 5 |
| Henry Lomb Camp #100, 1909-1933 | 5 | 6 |
| George H. Thomas Post, 1882-1923 | 5 | 7 |
| George H. Thomas Post, 1889, 1908-1928 | 5 | 8 |
| Miscellaneous camps and posts, 1934-1935, n.d. | 5 | 9 |
| Mother's Day, 1933, n.d. | 5 | 10 |
| Soldier Biographies, ca. 1920s-1930s 1.0 Cubic feet (1 box) | | Box 6 |

Soldier Biographies,

Series Description

Series 4, Soldier Biographies, consists of information gathered and compiled by Cazeau on approximately 100 local soldiers, including date and place of birth; places of residence; military record; period of service; engagements; medals; date of death; place of burial; and next of kin. Some files contain more information than others. Although some files indicate inclusion of a picture, these were missing from a number of the envelopes. Where pictures were included, they were sleeved and left with the biographical folder for that soldier. Some of the missing pictures may be in Series 8, Subseries 1: Photographs--Soldiers and veterans. Biographical information on prominent local soldiers such as George Brown, James A. Hard, Henry Lilly, Henry Lomb, and Samuel C. Pierce are included.

| | Box | Folder |
|---------------------|------------|---------------|
| Allen, Frank B. | 6 | 1 |
| Bach, Frederick | 6 | 2 |
| Bauer, Joseph | 6 | 3 |
| Benton, Charles E. | 6 | 4 |
| Bissell, Frank | 6 | 5 |
| Bohannon, John | 6 | 6 |
| Bradstreet, Foster | 6 | 7 |
| Brainard, Calvin A. | 6 | 8 |
| Brandow, Robert M. | 6 | 9 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|------------------------|---|----|
| Brandt, Mason J. | 6 | 10 |
| Brown, George | 6 | 11 |
| Buck, Charles | 6 | 12 |
| Buck, Charles E. | 6 | 13 |
| Burchill, Thomas A. | 6 | 14 |
| Casey, Ruebin | 6 | 15 |
| Chambers, Charles S. | 6 | 16 |
| Chatfield, Isaac H. | 6 | 17 |
| Cole, Herman | 6 | 18 |
| Cook, Isaac | 6 | 19 |
| Cornes, James P. | 6 | 20 |
| Cramond, George Thomas | 6 | 21 |
| Davenport, Edwin | 6 | 22 |
| Downing, Thomas G. | 6 | 23 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|--------------------------|---|----|
| Dumond, Frank | 6 | 24 |
| Dusenbury, Eli R. | 6 | 25 |
| Eighme, George H. | 6 | 26 |
| Einsfield, George | 6 | 27 |
| Fay, Frank A. | 6 | 28 |
| Fellows, Dr. James A. | 6 | 29 |
| Foster, Rev. Almon James | 6 | 30 |
| Fowler, Albert R. | 6 | 31 |
| Glasgow, William | 6 | 32 |
| Grawbarger, Henry M. | 6 | 33 |
| Hard, James Albert | 6 | 34 |
| Hill, Augustus A. | 6 | 35 |
| Hollin, William | 6 | 36 |
| Holt, George R. | 6 | 37 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|----|
| Houghton, Charles H. | 6 | 38 |
| Hudson, Carlin W. | 6 | 39 |
| Hutchinson, Chester | 6 | 40 |
| Johnson, Theodore | 6 | 41 |
| Klem, Anthony F. | 6 | 42 |
| Krill, Hiram | 6 | 43 |
| Lamerts, Ezra | 6 | 44 |
| Leet, Charles M. | 6 | 45 |
| Lilly, Henry | 6 | 46 |
| Lilly, Henry (scrapbook contents) | 6 | 47 |
| Little, Dr. David | 6 | 48 |
| Lomb, Henry | 6 | 49 |
| Lozier, Charles D. | 6 | 50 |
| Lyddon, William H. | 6 | 51 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|-----------------------|---|----|
| Lyke, Alfred E. | 6 | 52 |
| Mackey, Linus S. | 6 | 53 |
| Mate, Fred W. | 6 | 54 |
| Merret, Sylvester | 6 | 55 |
| Mills, George H. | 6 | 56 |
| Mockford, William S. | 6 | 57 |
| Myers, Joseph | 6 | 58 |
| Newell, Herbert C. | 6 | 59 |
| Newton, Arthur M. | 6 | 60 |
| Payne, Erwin C. | 6 | 61 |
| Peck, Charles T. | 6 | 62 |
| Pierce, Samuel Chase | 6 | 63 |
| Potter, Henry C. | 6 | 64 |
| Reibling, Augustus J. | 6 | 65 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|--------------------|---|----|
| Richards, William | 6 | 66 |
| Roe, John A. | 6 | 67 |
| Sauer, Henry G. | 6 | 68 |
| Schlegel, John | 6 | 69 |
| Sill, Matthew H. | 6 | 70 |
| Smith, Edward B. | 6 | 71 |
| Smith, Joseph | 6 | 72 |
| Stettner, Sigmund | 6 | 73 |
| Sullivan, James | 6 | 74 |
| Tring, William H. | 6 | 75 |
| Van Alstyne, Frank | 6 | 76 |
| Vincent, Frank J. | 6 | 77 |
| Waddell, Horace | 6 | 78 |
| Ward, Willard A. | 6 | 79 |

Soldier Biographies,

| | | |
|-------------------------|---|----|
| Warfield, Richard Henry | 6 | 80 |
| Warn, Gilbert Samuel | 6 | 81 |
| Warren, Charles | 6 | 82 |
| Weaver, Lucius E. | 6 | 83 |
| Weigel, Joseph R. | 6 | 84 |
| Welch, James | 6 | 85 |
| Wesley, William H. | 6 | 86 |
| Whiteford, James | 6 | 87 |
| Whiting, John C. | 6 | 88 |
| Whittle, Dr. John A. | 6 | 89 |
| Wildey, Edward C. | 6 | 90 |
| Wiltsie, George B. | 6 | 91 |
| Winans, Ira | 6 | 92 |
| Withey, Lisle J. | 6 | 93 |

Soldier Burials,

| | | |
|---------------------|---|----|
| Wrenn, Frederick J. | 6 | 94 |
| Wusnick, Charles J. | 6 | 95 |
| Yamatas, Zenanas | 6 | 96 |
| Zieres, Norman G. | 6 | 97 |
| Miscellaneous | 6 | 98 |

Soldier Burials, ca. 1920s-1930s 5.0 Cubic feet (7 boxes)**Series Description**

Series 5, Soldier Burials, consists of burial rosters; notes; correspondence; ledgers; and other documents recording the names, wars served in, regiments, ranks, periods of service, and final resting places of local Civil War soldiers in city and county cemeteries. Includes information on early Rochester burials, cemeteries, and a small amount of information on burial sites of Revolutionary War soldiers. Information on headstones is also included.

| | Box | Folder |
|-------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Cemeteries, Holy Family | 7 | 1 |
| Cemeteries, Henrietta | 7 | 2 |
| Cemeteries, Irondequoit | 7 | 3 |
| Cemeteries, Perinton | 7 | 4 |

Soldier Burials,

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---|------------|
| Cemeteries, White Haven | 7 | 5 |
| Corrections | 7 | 6 |
| Headstones | 7 | 7 |
| Miscellaneous | 7 | 8 |
| Early deaths and cemeteries | 7 | 9 |
| Revolutionary War | 7 | 10 |
| Cemeteries, Brighton | 8 | 1 |
| Cemeteries, Chili | 8 | 2 |
| Cemeteries, Mt. Hope | 8 | 3 |
| | | Box |
| Ledger, Mt. Hope, Riverside | | 9 |
| Ledger, Holy Sepulchre | | 10 |
| Ledger, City cemeteries | | 11 |
| Ledger, Monroe County cemeteries | | 12 |

Record Books,

13

Ledger, Brighton

Record Books, 1863-1927, n.d. 7.85 Cubic feet (17 boxes)**Series Description**

This series includes various types of record books, including minute books, cash books, and descriptive books, for area posts and camps, as well as several GAR record books. Of special note are the descriptive books, in which information on each soldier's service in the unit is recorded, and the personal war sketches, which are sources of rich narrative information on soldiers who were members of various local posts. This series is further divided into seven subseries: Subseries 1: O'Rorke Camp No. 60; Subseries 2: E. G. Marshall Post No. 397; Subseries 3: George H. Thomas Post No. 4; Subseries 4: C. J. Powers Post #391; Subseries 5: Thomas Farr Post No. 275; Subseries 6: Miscellaneous descriptive books; and Subseries 7: Miscellaneous.

O'Rorke Camp No. 60**Box**

Minute book, 1904-1906

14

Minute book, 1906-1909

14

Minute book, 1910-1912

14

Descriptive book, n.d.

14

Descriptive book, n.d.

14

E. G. Marshall Post No. 397**Box**

Cash book, 1883-1885

15

Minute book, 1895-1897

15

Cash book, 1896-1897

15

Ledger, 1889-1895

16

Minute book, 1898-1907

17

Cash book, 1898-1900

18

Descriptive book, n.d.

18

George H. Thomas Post No. 4**Box**

Ledger, 1875-1894

19

Cash book, 1912-1927

19

Descriptive book, n.d.

19

Ledger, n.d.

19

C. J. Powers Post #391

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| C. J. Powers Post #391 | |
| | Box |
| Quartermaster's book, 1910-1924 | 20 |
| Thomas Farr Post No. 275 | |
| | Box |
| Minute book, 1882-1923 | 21 |
| Miscellaneous descriptive books | |
| | Box |
| Cady Post No. 236, n.d. | 22 |
| John H. Martindale Post No. 270, n.d. | 22 |
| Francis E. Pierce Post No. 455, n.d. | 22 |
| I. F. Quimby Post No. 409, n.d. | 22 |
| Peissner Post, n.d. | 22 |
| Miscellaneous | |
| | Box |

Miscellaneous

| | |
|---|----|
| Military Service Enrollment book, Perinton, N.Y., ca. 1863 | 23 |
| Name book (unknown organization), 1908 | 23 |
| Cash books (unknown organization), 1901-1905; 1905-1909 | 24 |
| Ledger (unknown organization), 1901-1905 | 24 |
| Capt. Henry Lomb Camp No. 100 cash book, 1919-1927 | 25 |
| Remains removed from Westside Burying Ground to Mt. Hope Cemetery record book, n.d. | 25 |
| Daughters of the American Revolution, Irondequoit chapter record book, n.d. | 25 |
| Headquarters of N.Y. GAR/Lewis Gates Post No. 369 "Black Book," 1882-1886, 1931 | 26 |
| GAR Room Committee minute books, 1915-1926 | 26 |
| Personal War Sketches of the Members of Peissner Post No. 106 of Rochester, 1890 | 27 |
| Personal War Sketches of the Members of George H. Thomas Post No. 4 of Rochester, 1890 | 28 |
| Personal War Sketches of the Members of Charles J. Powers Post No. 391 of Rochester, 1890 | 29 |
| Personal War Sketches of the Members of E. A. Slocum Post No. 211 of Fairport, 1890 | 30 |

Memorial Day History Manuscripts,

Memorial Day History Manuscripts, 1868-1906; 1868-1887; 1907-1913 2.0 Cubic feet (2 boxes)**Series Description**

This series consists of bound carbon copies of typewritten year-by-year histories of Rochester-area Memorial (or Decoration) Day activities and celebrations by various local posts and camps.

| | Box | Folder |
|-----------|------------|---------------|
| 1868-1870 | 31 | 1 |
| 1871-1873 | 31 | 2 |
| 1874-1877 | 31 | 3 |
| 1878-1881 | 31 | 4 |
| 1882-1885 | 31 | 5 |
| 1886-1889 | 31 | 6 |
| 1880-1892 | 31 | 7 |
| 1893-1896 | 31 | 8 |
| 1897-1899 | 32 | 1 |
| 1900-1902 | 32 | 2 |

Graphic Materials,

| | | |
|-----------|----|---|
| 1903-1904 | 32 | 3 |
| 1905 | 32 | 4 |
| 1906 | 32 | 5 |

Box

Memorial Day History 1868-1887 Proceedings, Rochester, New York 32

Memorial Day History 1907 Proceedings, Rochester, New York 32

Graphic Materials, 1860s-1930s, n.d. 0.8 Cubic feet (3 boxes, 3 OS folders)

Series Description

The Graphic Materials series includes both standard and large-format photographs, negatives, and lantern slides. Subjects include Flower Committee activities; Memorial Day celebrations; soldiers and veterans; parades; cemeteries; portraits of Cazeau; photographs of Cazeau with others; and photographs of Cazeau's wife and daughters. The series has been divided into Subseries 1, Photographs; Subseries 2, Negatives; and Subseries 3, Lantern Slides.

Photographs

| | Box | Folder |
|--------------|------------|---------------|
| Memorial Day | 33 | 1 |
| Cemeteries | 33 | 2 |

Negatives

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| Soldiers and veterans | 33 | 3 |
| Parades | 33 | 4 |
| Theodore C. Cazeau | 33 | 5 |
| Cazeau and others | 33 | 6 |
| Genevieve and Hortense Cazeau | 33 | 7 |
| Standard bearers' trip | 33 | 8 |
| Miscellaneous | 34 | 1 |
| Miscellaneous | 34 | 2 |
| Duplicates | 34 | 3 |
| | Box | Box |
| Oversize photos of various regimental reunions, soldiers, and unidentified events. ca.1880s-1920s 3 folders | OS1 | OS2 |
| Negatives | Box | Folder |
| | 34 | 4 |
| Lantern Slides 49 lantern slides | | Box |
| | | 35 |
| Printed Materials, 1863-1935, n.d. 3.3 Cubic feet (4 boxes) | | |

Printed Materials,

Series Description

The Printed Materials series consists of certificates; GAR rosters; encampment journals and programs; Sons of Union Veterans proceedings; encampment rolls and officers' reports; New York State regiment and post histories; Army of the Potomac and Sons of the American Revolution materials; material related to GAR and SUV auxiliary associations the Ladies' Auxiliary to SUV, GAR and Women's Relief Corp.; Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the U.S., NYS Commandery materials; programs, pamphlets, and information on various masonic organizations; GAR blue books; and several of Cazeau's personal books.

| | Box | Folder |
|---|------------|---------------|
| Grand Army of the Republic, 1883-1897 | 36 | 1 |
| Grand Army of the Republic, 1906-1914 | 36 | 2 |
| Grand Army of the Republic, 1915-1917 | 36 | 3 |
| Grand Army of the Republic, 1919-1927 | 36 | 4 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, 1904-1919 | 36 | 5 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, 1920-1923 | 36 | 6 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, 1924-1929 | 36 | 7 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, 1930 | 36 | 8 |
| Sons of Union Veterans, 1931-1933, n.d. | 36 | 9 |

Printed Materials,

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| Grand Army of the Republic, 1928-1930 | 37 | 1 |
| Grand Army of the Republic, 1931-1934, n.d. | 37 | 2 |
| Army of the Potomac, 1863, 1908 | 37 | 3 |
| Sons of the American Revolution, 1911-1931 | 37 | 3 |
| Ladies' Auxiliary to SUV, GAR, 1929-1930 | 37 | 4 |
| Woman's Relief Corp., 1930 | 37 | 5 |
| Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the U.S., NYS Commandery memorial programs, 1898-1903 | 37 | 5 |
| Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the U.S., NYS Commandery, 1888-1927 | 37 | 6 |
| New York State regiment and post histories, 1889-1930 | 37 | 7 |
| Masonic organizations, 1882-1932 | 37 | 8 |
| Lions Club, 1929-1932 | 37 | 8 |
| Washington's Birthday, 1919-1935 | 37 | 9 |
| American Flag, 1895-1925, n.d. | 37 | 9 |

Printed Materials,

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|---|------------|---------------|
| Periodicals | 38 | 1 |
| Miscellaneous | 38 | 2 |
| Miscellaneous | 38 | 3 |
| Miscellaneous | 38 | 4 |
| | Box | Volume |
| Manual of Patriotism, 1904 | 38 | 1 |
| L'aisle du Bon-Pasteur de Québec, 1896 | 38 | 2 |
| Grand Army Blue Book, 1886 | 38 | 3 |
| Grand Army Blue Book, 1895 | 38 | 4 |
| Grand Army Blue Book, 1902 | 38 | 5 |
| Grand Army Blue Book, 1912 | 38 | 6 |
| New York State Report of the Adjutant General vol. 1, 1901 | 38 | 7 |
| New York State Report of the Adjutant General vol. 3, 1901 | 38 | 8 |
| | Box | Box |
| Various GAR-related certificates, manuscripts, and periodicals. ca. 1880s-1920s | OS1 | OS2 |

Textiles,

Box

The Banner: Official Organ, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War (Dwight, Illinois), 1928-1935

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Textiles, 1907, n.d. 2.0 Cubic feet (1 box)

Box

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Series Description

The Textiles series includes two GAR veterans' flags; 2 small cotton U.S. flags; 2 silk U.S. flags; and one 6'x10' flag presented to Captain Henry Lomb by the E. G. Marshall Women's Relief Corp #27.

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Artifacts, 1860s-1931, n.d. 2.0 Cubic feet (2 boxes)

Series Description

The Artifacts series consists of reunion medals and ribbons from various military encampments and reunions, as well as masonic and lodge ribbons, pin-back buttons, uniform buttons, and several belt buckles. Also included is a plaque, a gavel, a collection of brass buttons, and a belt coin changer.

Box

Military encampment and reunion medals and ribbons, masonic and lodge ribbons, belt buckles, bullets, pins, uniform buttons.

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Plaster plaque presented to the GAR at the Iowa Encampment; gavel inscribed to Commander-in-Chief Theodore C. Cazeau; collection of state-themed uniform buttons; 1923 Johnson Fare Box Belt Coin Changer

42

Binders and Scrapbooks,**Binders and Scrapbooks, 1900-1934 2.6 Cubic feet (4 boxes)****Series Description**

This series contains the contents of 3-ring binders compiled by Cazeau according to subject, including standard bearers, transfer of flags, various posts and camps, the GAR, and Lincoln's birthday celebrations, among others. Cazeau's arrangement was retained. Materials include clippings, correspondence, pamphlets, manuscripts, and some photographs. The contents of several scrapbooks compiled by Cazeau on local and national GAR activities and veterans had become disassembled and were loose and in poor condition. These were photocopied onto acid-free paper. This series has been divided into Subseries 1, Binder Contents; and Subseries 2, Scrapbook Clippings.

Binder contents

| | Box | Folder |
|-----------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Washington Bicentennial | 43 | 1 |
| Washington Bicentennial | 43 | 2 |
| Washington Bicentennial | 43 | 3 |
| Washington Bicentennial | 43 | 4 |
| Washington Bicentennial | 43 | 5 |
| GAR Convention in Rochester | 43 | 6 |
| Grand Army of the Republic | 43 | 7 |

Binder contents

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|----------------------------|----|----|
| Grand Army of the Republic | 43 | 8 |
| Grand Army of the Republic | 43 | 9 |
| Grand Army of the Republic | 43 | 10 |
| Lincoln's Birthday | 43 | 11 |
| Lincoln's Birthday | 43 | 12 |
| Lincoln's Birthday | 43 | 13 |
| Lincoln's Birthday | 43 | 14 |
| Lincoln's Birthday | 43 | 15 |
| Addresses | 43 | 16 |
| Addresses | 43 | 17 |
| Standard bearers | 44 | 1 |
| Standard bearers | 44 | 2 |
| Transfer of Flags | 44 | 3 |
| Transfer of Flags | 44 | 4 |

Binder contents

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|---------------------------------|----|----|
| Flag—13th NY Volunteer Regiment | 44 | 5 |
| Flag—13th NY Volunteer Regiment | 44 | 6 |
| Flag—13th NY Volunteer Regiment | 44 | 7 |
| Memorial Day | 44 | 8 |
| Memorial Day | 44 | 9 |
| Memorial Day | 44 | 10 |
| George H. Thomas Post | 44 | 11 |
| George H. Thomas Post | 44 | 12 |
| Henry Lomb Post | 44 | 13 |
| Henry Lomb Post | 44 | 14 |
| Henry Lomb Post | 44 | 15 |
| Regiments—Pensions Blue & Gray | 44 | 16 |
| Regiments—Pensions Blue & Gray | 44 | 17 |
| Miscellaneous | 45 | 1 |

Scrapbook clippings

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|--|------------|---------------|
| Miscellaneous | 45 | 2 |
| Miscellaneous | 45 | 3 |
| Miscellaneous | 45 | 4 |
| Miscellaneous | 45 | 5 |
| Scrapbook clippings | | |
| | Box | Folder |
| Miscellaneous | 46 | 1 |
| Miscellaneous | 46 | 2 |
| Miscellaneous | 46 | 3 |
| Cazeau Family, 1925-1929 1.25 Cubic feet (3 boxes) | | |
| Series Description | | |
| The Cazeau Family series contains the scrapbooks of daughters Genevieve and Hortense; Genevieve's correspondence, and notes and pamphlets from her Home Economics coursework; and Hortense's 1925 West High School yearbook. | | |
| | | Box |
| West High School yearbook, 1925 | | 47 |
| | Box | Folder |

Cazeau Family,

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| Correspondence, 1929 | 47 | 1 |
| Home Economics coursework, n.d. | 47 | 2 |
| | | Box |
| Scrapbook, Genevieve I. Cazeau, 1927 | | 48 |
| Scrapbook, Hortense Cazeau, 1928 | | 49 |