Title: Otjen, Christian J. Collection

Reference Code: Mss-2183

Inclusive Dates: 1919 – 1993

Quantity: 1.23 cu. ft. total

Location: RC13, Sh. 002 & 010 (0.4 cu. ft.) RC14, Sh. 001-003 (0.8 cu. ft.) Sm Mss (000.03 cu. ft.) OS SM "O" (1 item)

Abstract: Christian J. Otjen was born on December 25, 1892, the son of Congressman Theobald Otjen, who represented Milwaukee for six terms. Christian graduated from the University of Wisconsin in 1914 and then studied law at UW, graduating in 2016. He joined his father's law firm in Milwaukee before he served in World War I. He also served during World War II as commanding officer of District No. 3 of the 6th Service Command, U.S. Army Service Forces. Otjen passed away on July 16, 1950.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of a biography of Christian Otjen, a testimonial banquet program, photo album and scrapbooks of photos, clippings and editions of the Camp Grant, Illinois, newspaper.

Access and Use: No restrictions

Language: English

Notes: The collection was donated by Carl Otjen, December 1993, and processed by Steve Daily, Dec. 10, 1994.

Arrangement:

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COLLECTION MATERIAL	LOCATION
Biography entitled "A.E.F. Experiences of Christian J. Otjen", testimonial	Sm Mss
banquet program, and wartime clipping	
SCRAPBOOKS	
#1. Bound editions of the Camp Grant, Illinois "Sentinel" paper, 1941-42	RC13, Sh. 002
#2. Photo album of Camp Grant, Illinois	RC13, Sh. 010
#3. Clippings and pictures of Camp Grant, 1941	RC14, Sh. 001-003
#4. Clippings and pictures of Camp Grant, 1941	RC14, Sh. 001-003
#5. Misc. clippings and pictures, 1942	RC14, Sh. 001-003
#6. Misc. clippings and pictures, 1942-43	RC14, Sh. 001-003
OVERSIZE ITEM	
American Junior Naval and Marine Scout certificate, 1919	OS SM "O"