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**Unit ID**

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**Unit Date**

1941-1995

**Mixed Materials**

MS0532 (box)

**Language**

English .

**Creator**

Conner, Albert Z., Jr., 1943-2016

**Extent**

5.5 cubic feet 5 boxes

**Physical Location**

Manuscripts stacks

**Repository**

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## Administrative Information

**Conditions Governing Access**

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# Biographical / Historical

Under the auspices of the Alumni Association, alumnus Albert Z. Conner, Jr. (VMI Class of 1966) solicited information from VMI alumni about their service in the military. He called this effort the "VMI at War Project." Conner compiled the submitted documents and subsequently donated the collection to the VMI Archives.

## Scope and Contents

This collection contains autobiographical and biographical information about the military service of alumni veterans of World War II through the first Gulf War. The alumni responses range in length from short summaries to longer narrative descriptions detailing their service. Some files contain related photographs and documents.

## Keywords

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
Korean War, 1950-1953—Personal narratives, American  
Vietnam War, 1961-1975—Personal narratives, American  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives  
World War, 1939-1945  
Korean War (1950-1953)  
Vietnam War (1961-1975)  
Persian Gulf War, 1991—Personal narratives  
Persian Gulf War (1991)

## Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically by VMI class and then alphabetically by last name within each class.

# Description of Subordinate Components

### Project files, VMI Class of 1916-1929

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4811

**Language** English.

#### Keywords

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

### Guy H. Drewry, Sr. military service information

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4686

**Unit Date** 1917-1946

**Language** English.

**Creator** Drewry, Guy H., Sr., Brigadier General (Guy Humphrey), 1894-1973

#### Scope and Contents

Biographical essay documenting military career of Brigadier General Guy H. Drewry, VMI Class of 1916. The essay covers the period of 1917 to 1946.

#### Keywords

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1916

United States -- Army -- Ordnance and ordnance stores

United States. Army—Officers—Biography  
World War, 1914-1918—Personal narratives, American

### **Septimus B. Sightler, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4687

**Language** English.

**Creator** Sightler, Septimus B., Jr. (Septimus Bonham), 1905-?

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file contains a summary of Septimus B. Sightler, Jr.'s (VMI Class of 1926) active duty service from World War II through 1960.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1926  
United States. Army—Officers—Biography  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

### **J. Clifford Miller, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4688

**Language** English.

**Creator** Miller, J. Clifford, Jr. (John Clifford), 1908-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1928  
United States. Army—Officers—Biography

### **George P. Frazer military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4689

**Language** English.

**Creator** Frazer, George P. (George Preston)

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file covers George P. Frazer's (VMI Class of 1929) service with the 2nd Armored Division during World War II.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1929  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives  
United States. -- Army. -- Armored Division, 2nd

### **Tazewell F. Thompson military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4690

**Language** English.

**Creator** Thompson, Tazewell F. (Tazewell Franklin), 1907-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1929  
United States. -- Army. -- Infantry Division, 29th

### **Project files, VMI Class of 1930**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4824

**Language** English.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1930  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**DuRoc J. Batte military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4705

**Language** English.

**Creator** Batte, DuRoc J. (DuRoc Jones)

**Biographical / Historical**

DuRoc Jones Batte (VMI Class of 1930) served during World War II with the 1253d Engineer Combat Battalion.

**Scope and Contents**

This file contains original documents dating from the World War II service of DuRoc G. Batte, including: Commendations Photographs Personnel material Certificates "Synopsis of Orientation Talk to Newly Arrived Units in United Kingdom", 1944

**Keywords**

Military engineering

United States.Army—Corps of Engineers

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1930

Photographs

Certificates

**James S. Gilliam, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4691

**Language** English.

**Creator** Gilliam, James S., Jr. (James Skelton), 1913-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1930

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Charles D. Larus III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4692

**Language** English.

**Creator** Larus, Charles D., III (Charles Dunning)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1930

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1931**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4825

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1931

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Walter D. Hankins military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4693

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hankins, Walter D., Dr.

**Scope and Contents**

This file includes an article written by Walter D. Hankins III about the 142nd General Hospital in Calcutta, India (1945-1946).

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1931

China-Burma-India Theater

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Publications

World War, 1939-1945  
United States. Army

**Ernest L. Laughorn military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4694

**Language** English.

**Creator** Laughorn, Ernest L. (Ernest Lynwood)

**Biographical / Historical**

No military duty. Ernest L. Laughorn served as a civilian in a munitions plant during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1931

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945

**Edward R. Massie, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4695

**Language** English.

**Creator** Massie, Edward R., Jr. (Edward Rodney)

**Biographical / Historical**

Edward R. Massie (VMI Class of 1931) saw stateside duty during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1931

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945

**Project files, VMI Class of 1932**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4826

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Braxton M. Cutchin, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4696

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cutchin, Braxton M., Jr. (Braxton Murray)

**Biographical / Historical**

Braxton Murray Cutchin, Jr. served as a United States Army ordnance officer during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932

United States -- Army -- Ordnance and ordnance stores

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John M. Fain military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4697

**Language** English.

**Creator** Fain, John M. (John Mills), 1910-?

**Biographical / Historical**

During World War II John Mills Fain served in the United States Army Air Forces as a 5th crash boat rescue service in the Pacific Theater.

**Keywords**

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Pacific Ocean

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Air Force, 5th  
Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **J. Murray Kidd military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4698

**Language** English.

**Creator** Kidd, J. Murray (Jackson Murray), 1911-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Robert J. Manning military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4699

**Language** English.

**Creator** Manning, Robert J. (Robert Jack), 1910-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **L. Pascal Roberts III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4700

**Language** English.

**Creator** Roberts, L. Pascal, III (Leonard Pascal), 1911-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1932

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Project files, VMI Class of 1933**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4827

**Language** English.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Simeon O. Coxe, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4701

**Language** English.

**Creator** Coxe, Simeon O., Jr. (Simeon Oliver), 1910-1999

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II Simeon Oliver Coxe, Jr. served with the 1332nd Engineer General Services Regiment in England. He then had duty in Pacific Theater with 5202nd Engineer Construction Brigade Headquarters.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file includes original documents (declassified 2015) concerning Operation Olympic, which was part of the planned invasion of Japan in 1945. Included is information about planning for construction projects, primarily air fields.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933

Military engineering

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Allied Occupation of Japan (1945-1952)

Operation Olympic (1945)

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George B. Hightower military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4702

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hightower, George B. (George Bedney), 1911-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

George Bedney Hightower (VMI Class of 1933) served in World War II with the famed Flying Tigers. The First American Volunteer Group (AVG) of the Chinese Air Force in 1941-1942 was nicknamed the Flying Tigers and was composed of pilots from the United States Army Air Corps, Navy, and Marine Corps. This group was recruited under presidential authority and commanded by Claire Lee Chennault. The shark-faced nose art of the Flying Tigers remains among the most recognizable image of any individual combat aircraft or combat unit of World War II.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file contains photocopies of George B. Hightower's World War II papers, including: His diary (dated January 22-May 10, 1945) written while he was Commanding Officer Forward Echelon, 68th Composite Wing Headquarters, 14th Army Air Forces, China Military orders Commendations Correspondence Photographs Printed material

#### **Keywords**

14th Air Force Association (U.S.). -- Flying Tigers

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

China. -- Kong jun. -- American Volunteer Group

China-Burma-India Theater

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Air Force, 14th

Diaries

China -- History -- Republic, 1912-1949.

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Chennault, Claire Lee, 1893-1958

#### **Diary photocopy**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5798

**Unit Date** 1945 January 22-May 10

**Creator** Hightower, George B. (George Bedney), 1911-?

#### **Keywords**

Diaries

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

China -- History -- Republic, 1912-1949.

### **Louis B. Jones military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4703

**Language** English.

**Creator** Jones, Louis B. (Louis Bernard), 1910-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II Louis B. Jones served as an officer with the United States Army 2nd Training Regiment.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **John Lansdale, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4704

**Language** English.

**Creator** Lansdale, John, Jr., 1912-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

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John Landsdale, Jr. graduated from VMI in 1933. He was called to active duty in 1941 and ordered to G-2, War Department General staff. In 1944 was transferred to the Manhattan Engineer district where he was in command of intelligence and security for the Atomic Bomb Project. Landsdale initiated the Alsos Mission that located and investigated the German atomic bomb project.

### **Scope and Contents**

This file contains one bound typescript titled "John Landsdale, Jr. Military Service," written by Landsdale in 1997. It includes extensive information about his association with the United States Atomic Bomb Project.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives  
United States. -- War Department. -- Alsos Mission  
Manhattan Project (U.S.)  
Military intelligence  
Nuclear weapons  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
Groves, Leslie R., 1896-1970

### **John T. Meek military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4706

**Language** English.

**Creator** Meek, John T. (John Thomas), 1912-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II John T. Meek served at Ladd Field in Fairbanks, Alaska.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Wayne C. Weaver military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4707

**Language** English.

**Creator** Weaver, Wayne C. (Wayne Clyde), 1911-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, Wayne Clyde Weaver was a civilian engineer who built munitions plants for the DuPont Company.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1933  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Project files, VMI Class of 1934**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4828

**Language** English.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1934  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George E. Bain military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4708

**Language** English.

**Creator** Bain, George E. (George Edgar)

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, George Edgar Bain was an operations and training officer, Europe, Headquarters 95th Armored Field Artillery Battalion.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1934

### **Charles P. Lathrop III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4709

**Language** English.

**Creator** Lathrop, Charles P., III (Charles Pickett), 1914-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, Charles Pickett Lathrop (1914-?) was a Lieutenant Colonel, United States Army, 6th Field Artillery Battalion.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file consists of typescript memoirs titled "History of the 6th Field Artillery on Fiji."

#### **Keywords**

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

United States. -- Army. -- Field Artillery, 6th

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1934

World War, 1939-1945—Pacific

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Memoirs

### **Eugene B. Pendleton, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4710

**Unit Date** 1994

**Language** English.

**Creator** Pendleton, Eugene B., Jr. (Eugene Barbour), 1913-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

Eugene Barbour Pendleton (1913-?) was an officer in the United States Navy during World War II.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file consists of one audiotape titled "Career in Navy, 1942," which was recorded in 1994.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1934

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Operation Overlord

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements**

Recorded on a cassette audiotape. This item has not yet been digitized or transcribed.

### **John D. Todd, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4711

**Language** English.

**Creator** Todd, John D., Jr. (John Dickerson), 1912-?

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file consists of a one page handwritten summary of John D. Todd, Jr.'s service in the United States Army Quartermaster Corps during World War II.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1934

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

### **Project files, VMI Class of 1935**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4829

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Thomas St. John Arnold military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4712

**Language** English.

**Creator** Arnold, Thomas St. John, 1913-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John W. Childress military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4713

**Language** English.

**Creator** Childress, John W. (John Walter)

**Biographical / Historical**

John Walter Childress served with the 177th Field Artillery Battalion during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**W. Clary Holt military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4714

**Language** English.

**Creator** Holt, W. Clary (Winfield Clary), 1913-2003

**Biographical / Historical**

Winfield Clary Holt (1913-2003) served in the United States Army as a: Colonel Staff Officer, Operations Division, War Department General Staff Executive Officer at the Allied Translator and Interpreter Service (ATIS) G-2 General Headquarters, Southwest Pacific Area in Brisbane, Australia Holt was an attorney in his civilian life.

**Scope and Contents**

This file contains a typescript (approximately 30 pages) of a detailed autobiographical essay about Winfield C. Holt's service during World War II with the Allied Translator and Interpreter Service (ATIS) under the command of Colonel Sidney Mashbir.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

World War, 1939-1945—Pacific

Allied Forces. -- South West Pacific Area. -- Allied Translator and Interpreter Section

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

United States. Army—Officers

Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959

Mashbir, Sidney F. (Sidney Forrester), 1891-1973

MacArthur, Douglas, 1880-1964

**James C. Meem II military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4715

**Language** English.

**Creator** Meem, James C., II (James Cowan), 1912-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Joseph C. Parker military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4716

**Language** English.

**Creator** Parker, Joseph C. (Joseph Corbin), 1914-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Leonard M. Todd military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4717

**Language** English.

**Creator** Todd, Leonard M. (Leonard McManus), 1914-?

**Biographical / Historical**

Leonard McManus Todd was a United States Naval officer during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

United States. Navy—Officers

**Carter S. Vaden military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4718

**Language** English.

**Creator** Vaden, Carter S. (Carter Spottswood), ?-1944

**Biographical / Historical**

Carter Spottswood Vaden was killed in action on March 10, 1944 on Los Negros Island in the Southwest Pacific.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1935

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1936**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4830

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**George M. Brooke, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4719

**Language** English.

**Creator** Brooke, George M., Jr. (George Mercer), 1914-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Daniel R. Conte military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4720

**Language** English.

**Creator** Conte, Daniel R. (Daniel Rocco)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Gardner F. Goodwyn, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4721

**Language** English.

**Creator** Goodwyn, Gardner F., Jr. (Gardner Foster), 1914-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Charles D. Stegman military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4722

**Language** English.

**Creator** Stegman, Charles D. (Charles Donald), 1915-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John Tyler, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4723

**Language** English.

**Creator** Tyler, John, Jr., 1914-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Archie H. Witt, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4724

**Language** English.

**Creator** Witt, Archie H., Jr. (Archie Hanna), 1914-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1936

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1937**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4831

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Donald E. Callar military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4725

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Callar, Donald E. (Donald Evans)

**John L. Couper military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4726

**Language** English.

**Creator** Couper, John L. (John Lee), 1916-2000

**Related Materials**

John L. Couper collection (MS 0486)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Claude W. White military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4728

**Language** English.

**Creator** White, Claude W. (Claude Wilson), 1915-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Luther R. Williams military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4741

**Language** English.

**Creator** Williams, Luther R. (Luther Rawls), 1917-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James W. Wilson military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4765

**Language** English.

**Creator** Wilson, James W. (James Walton), 1915-?

**Biographical / Historical**

James Walton Wilson was a chemical engineer at Union Carbide.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William H. Zimmerman military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4742

**Language** English.

**Creator** Zimmerman, William H. (William Hugh), 1915-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1937

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1938**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4832

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Matthew R. Beebe military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4729

**Language** English.

**Creator** Beebe, Matthew R. (Matthew Roger)

**Creator** McCarthy, Frank, 1912-1986

**Keywords**

Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959

### **Lanier D. Buford military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4730

**Language** English.

**Creator** Buford, Lanier D. (Lanier Dunn)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Gilbert E. Butler military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4731

**Language** English.

**Creator** Butler, Gilbert E. (Gilbert Eugene), 1915-?

**Scope and Contents**

This file contains a summary (two pages) of Gilbert E. Butler's service as a transport, escort and combat pilot during World War II. He flew 52 combat missions in Sardinia, Sicily, and Italy, and became Commanding Officer of the 27th Squadron, 1st Fighter Group.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

Air pilots, Military

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Fighter Squadron, 27th

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Fighter Group, 1st

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Military service summary**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5799

**Unit Date** 1998 February 2

**Creator** Butler, Gilbert E. (Gilbert Eugene), 1915-?

**Scope and Contents**

A summary (two pages) of Gilbert E. Butler's service as a transport, escort and combat pilot during World War II.

**Keywords**

Air pilots, Military

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Fighter Group, 1st

United States. -- Army Air Forces. -- Fighter Squadron, 27th

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

### **A. M. Randolph Charrington, Jr.**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4732

**Language** English.

**Creator** Charrington, A. M. Randolph, Jr. (Arthur Mowbray Randolph)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Charles R. Clark, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4733

**Language** English.

**Creator** Clark, Charles R., Jr. (Charles Robert)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Leonard C. Doughty, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4734

**Language** English.

**Creator** Doughty, Leonard C., Jr. (Leonard Crawley), 1917-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Harrison Hubard military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4735

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hubard, Harrison, 1917-2008

#### **Biographical / Historical**

Harrison Hubard (1917-2008) was a World War II veteran, electrical engineer, and power company executive.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file contains an account of Harrison Hubard's service as a Ground Liaison Officer (GLO) with the 2689th Ground Liaison Detachment (15th Army Group). He served in North Africa, and Ital, and participated in the Rome, Arno, Northern Appenines, and Po Valley campaigns.

#### **Keywords**

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

#### **Military service summary**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5803

**Unit Date** 1941-1945

#### **Scope and Contents**

A summary of Harrison Hubard's (1917-2008) World War II service as a Ground Liaison Officer (GLO) with the 2689th Ground Liaison Detachment, 15th Army Group.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945

United States. Army

Hubard, Harrison, 1917-2008

### **Levin W. Lane IV military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4736

**Language** English.

**Creator** Lane, Levin W., IV (Levin Winder)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Jess A. Powell, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4737

**Language** English.

**Creator** Powell, Jess A., Jr. (Jess Averette)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John A. Shanklin, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4738

**Language** English.

**Biographical / Historical**

John A. Shanklin was killed in action on April 8, 1945 in Germany.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Shanklin, John A., Jr., ?-1945

**A. Royall Turpin, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4739

**Language** English.

**Creator** Turpin, A. Royall, Jr. (Augustine Royall), 1917-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1938

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1939**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4833

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**H. Paul Bigler military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4743

**Language** English.

**Creator** Bigler, H. Paul (Harman Paul)

**Biographical / Historical**

Harman Paul Bigler served as a Field Artillery Officer in China during World War II and the Korean War.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

China-Burma-India Theater

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William F. Brand, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4744

**Language** English.

**Creator** Brand, William F., Jr. (William Fitzgerald)

**Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, William Fitzgerald Brand, Jr. served in Central Europe with the 16th Field Artillery Battalion. He also participated in the Battle of the Bulge.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Europe

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Ilbert D. Brayshaw military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4745

**Language** English.

**Creator** Brayshaw, Ilbert D. (Ilbert DeLacy)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Claud P. Brownley III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4746

**Language** English.

**Creator** Brownley, Claud P., III (Claud Peterson)

**Biographical / Historical**

Claud Peterson Brownley III served in World War II with the United States Army, 9th Division in North Africa and Europe.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

United States. -- Army. -- Infantry Division, 9th

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert W. Buskirk, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4747

**Language** English.

**Creator** Buskirk, Robert W. (Robert Ward)

**Scope and Contents**

This file contains a brief summary of Robert Ward Buskirk, Jr.'s World War II service.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John P. Dorrier military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4748

**Language** English.

**Creator** Dorrier, John P. (John Pitts), 1917-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Harry S. Garman, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4749

**Language** English.

**Creator** Garman, Harry S., Jr. (Harry Skillern)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William H. Hastings, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4750

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hastings, William H., Jr. (William Henry), 1917-?

**Scope and Contents**

During World War II, William Henry Hastings, Jr. served with the United States Army, 3rd Infantry Division in the Pacific.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939  
United States. -- Army. -- Infantry Division, 32nd  
World War, 1939-1945—Pacific  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**O. Halsey Hill military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4751

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hill, O. Halsey (Ogden Halsey), 1916-?

**Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, Ogden Halsey Hill (1916-?) served with the United States Army, Company A, 350th Infantry Regiment in North Africa and Italy.

**Scope and Contents**

This file contains a detailed account of O. Halsey Hill's service in North Africa and Italy during World War II, as well as original military orders, citations, and other documents dating from his service (bulk 1942-1945). The file also includes coverage of battles in the North Apennines, Italy (1944).

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939  
World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Italy  
United States.Army—Infantry Regiment, 350th  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives  
Memoirs  
Telegrams  
World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Africa  
Orders (military records)

**Military service summary**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5800

**Unit Date** 1998 January 29

**Creator** Hill, O. Halsey (Ogden Halsey), 1916-?

**Scope and Contents**

A summary of O. Halsey Hill's military service during World War II.

**Keywords**

Memoirs  
United States.Army—Infantry Regiment, 350th  
Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Italy  
World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Africa  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

**Telegram from James A. Ulio to Archibald G. Hill**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5801

**Unit Date** circa 1944

**Scope and Contents**

This telegram informs Archibald G. Hill that his son, O. Halsey Hill was wounded in Italy on September 26.

**Keywords**

Telegrams  
Correspondence  
World War, 1939-1945  
Hill, O. Halsey (Ogden Halsey), 1916-?

**Fontaine G. Jarman, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4752

**Language** English.

**Creator** Jarman, Fontaine G., Jr. (Fontaine Graham), 1918-?

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John J. Johnson military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4753

**Language** English.

**Creator** Johnson, John J. (John Janney), 1918-?

**Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, John Janney Johnson (1918-?) served in the United States Army as an aerial reconnaissance observer and photographer, 33rd Division, in the Philippines (Luzon).

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

United States. -- Army. -- Division, 33rd

World War, 1939-1945—Pacific

Aerial reconnaissance

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James S. Magoffin military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4755

**Language** English.

**Creator** Magoffin, James S. (James Shelby), 1917-?

**Biographical / Historical**

James Shelby Magoffin (1917-?) was a United States Army Air Forces flying trainer during World War II.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

United States.—Army Air Forces

**Ira N. Saxe military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4756

**Language** English.

**Creator** Saxe, Ira N. (Ira Nelson), 1918-?

**Biographical / Historical**

Ira Nelson Saxe (1918-?) served in the United States Army Signal Corps during World War II (1941-1946).

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Richard D. Strickler military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4759

**Language** English.

**Creator** Strickler, Richard D. (Richard Donald), 1915-1977

**Biographical / Historical**

Richard Donald Strickler (1915-1977) was a United States Marine Corps officer for 26 years. During World War II he served in the Pacific Theater with the 2nd Marine Brigade. During the Korean War he served with the 7th Marines.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
United States. Marine Corps—Officers

### **William A. Tidwell, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4761

**Language** English.

**Creator** Tidwell, William A., Jr. (William Albert), 1918-?

#### **Biographical / Historical**

William Albert Tidwell, Jr. (1918-?) was with the United States Army Intelligence during World War II and then became a Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) officer. During the Vietnam War he was "loaned to the US [United States] Army and served as Chief of Reconnaissance and Photo Intelligence for J-2 US Military Assistance Command, Vietnam (MACV)."

#### **Scope and Contents**

This file includes a detailed Vietnam War memoir typescript (102 pages) titled "Yankee Bravo."

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Vietnam War (1961-1975)

Military intelligence

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Memoirs

Vietnam War, 1961-1975—Personal narratives, American

### **Joseph P. Vecchiarelli military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4762

**Language** English.

**Creator** Vecchiarelli, Joseph P. (Joseph Phillip), 1917-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George G. Weston military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4763

**Language** English.

**Creator** Weston, George G. (George Grattan), 1916-?

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Edward B. Williams military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4764

**Language** English.

**Creator** Williams, Edward B. (Edward Burwell)

#### **Biographical / Historical**

Edward Burwell Williams served during World War II with the 246th Coast Artillery Regiment and the 1176th Engineering Construction Group in the Pacific Theater.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1939

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Project files, VMI Class of 1940**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4812

**Language** English.

#### **Scope and Contents**

This series contains project files for alumni from the VMI Class of 1940. Military service primarily dates

This series contains project files for alumni from the VMI Class of 1940. Military service primarily dates from World War II.

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Reid S. Aaron military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4766

**Language** English.

### **Biographical / Historical**

Reid S. Aaron was a Japanese prisoner of war and was killed in action while being moved from the Philippines on February 15, 1944.

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
Prisoners of war  
Aaron, Reid S., ?-1944

### **William K. Adams military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4767

**Language** English.

**Creator** Adams, William K. (William Kent)

### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, William Kent Adams served in the United States Army, 9th Infantry Division, 84th Field Artillery Battalion.

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
United States. -- Army. -- Infantry Division, 9th  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George V. Atkison, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4768

**Language** English.

**Creator** Atkison, George V., Jr. (George Vinson), 1917-?

### **Biographical / Historical**

George Vinson Atkison, Jr. (1917-?) was a civilian chemist with the DuPont explosives department, Hanford Engineering Laboratory.

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Donald M. Badgley military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4769

**Language** English.

**Creator** Badgley, Donald M. (Donald Mitchell)

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Robert G. Bailey military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4770

**Language** English.

### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

virginia military institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
Bailey, Robert G. (Robert Gordon)

**William F. Baldwin, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4771

**Language** English.

**Creator** Baldwin, William F., Jr. (William Frazier)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Flournoy H. Barksdale military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4772

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Barksdale, Flournoy H. (Flournoy Haymes)

**Robert H. Barnes, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4773

**Language** English.

**source** Barnes, Robert H., Jr. (Robert Hardy)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Barnes, Robert H., Jr. (Robert Hardy)

**Charles Beach, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4774

**Language** English.

**Creator** Beach, Charles, Jr.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

United States. -- Army. -- Mountain Division, 10th

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Douglas D. Bigbie military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4775

**Language** English.

**Creator** Bigbie, Douglas D. (Douglas Dillard)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Bruce S. Branson, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4776

**Language** English.

**Creator** Branson, Bruce S., Jr. (Bruce Stringfellow)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Earl I. Brown II military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4777

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John M. Camp, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4778

**Language** English.

**Creator** Camp, John M., Jr. (John Madison)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James R. Carter, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4779

**Language** English.

**Creator** Carter, James R., Jr. (James Roy)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Philip G. Chapman military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4780

**Language** English.

**Creator** Chapman, Philip G., ?-1945

**Biographical / Historical**

Philip G. Chapman was killed in action on March 25, 1945.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James H. Cheek, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4781

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cheek, James H., Jr. (James Howe)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Paul E. Cline military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4782

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cline, Paul E. (Paul Ellis)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Paul B. Coldiron military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4783

**Language** English.

**Creator** Coldiron, Paul B. (Paul Brown)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John D. Cook military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4784

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cook, John D. (John Douglas)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William J. Cowart military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4786

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cowart, William J. (William John)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Fred C. Culpepper, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4787

**Language** English.

**Creator** Culpepper, Fred C., Jr. (Fred Carroll)

**Keywords**

United States. -- Army. -- Airborne Division, 101st

World War, 1939-1945 -- Campaigns -- France -- Normandy

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William H. U. Darden military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4788

**Language** English.

**Creator** Darden, William H. U., ?-1943

**Biographical / Historical**

William H. U. Darden served in the United States Army Air Corps during World War II and was killed in action on December 6, 1943.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert H. Deaderick military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4789

**Language** English.

**Creator** Deaderick, Robert H. (Robert Hardin)

**Keywords**

United States. -- Army. -- Armored Division, 7th

World War, 1939-1945 -- Campaigns -- France -- Normandy

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Dewitt C. Dominick III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4790

**Language** English.

**Creator** Dominick, Dewitt C., III (Dewitt Clinton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Thomas N. Downing military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4791

**Language** English.

**Creator** Downing, Thomas N. (Thomas Nelms)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Walter A. Edens military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4792

**Language** English.

**Creator** Edens, Walter A. (Walter Alexander)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Rufus P. Ellett, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4793

**Language** English.

**Creator** Ellett, Rufus P. (Rufus Purdum)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Andrew G. Fallat, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4794

**Language** English.

**Creator** Fallat, Andrew G. (Andrew George)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Charles J. Faulkner IV military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4795

**Language** English.

**Creator** Faulkner, Charles J., IV, ?-1944

**Biographical / Historical**

Charles J. Faulkner IV served in the United States Army Air Force during World War II and was killed in action on November 1, 1944.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Alfred R. Flinn, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4796

**Language** English.

**Creator** Flinn, Alfred R., Jr. (Alfred Richard)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Daniel F. Flowers military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4797

**Language** English.

**Creator** Flowers, Daniel F. (Daniel Fort)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Fred F. Flowers military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4798

**Language** English.

**Creator** Flowers, Fred F. (Fred Fort)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Matt Friedlander military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4799

**Language** English.

**Creator** Friedlander, Matt

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Walter B. Garland, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4800

**Language** English.

**Creator** Garland, Walter B., Jr. (Walter Buhrman)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Samuel G. Gary, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4801

**Language** English.

**Creator** Gary, Samuel G., Jr. (Samuel Graham)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**B. McCluer Gilliam military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4802

**Language** English.

**Creator** Gilliam, B. McCluer (Bates McCluer)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

virginia military institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **William C. Glover military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4803

**Language** English.

**Creator** Glover, William C. (William Charles)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Eugene B. Gray military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4804

**Language** English.

**Creator** Gray, Eugene B. (Eugene Briggs)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Walter Greenwood, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4805

**Language** English.

**Creator** Greenwood, Walter, Jr.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Wayland S. Griffith, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4806

**Language** English.

**Creator** Griffith, Wayland S., Jr. (Wayland Sears)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **William E. Hall, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4807

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hall, William E., Jr. (William Ellison)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Elmer H. Hammer, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4808

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hammer, Elmer H., Jr. (Elmer Heath)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George B. J. Handy military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4809

**Language** English.

**Creator** Handy, George B. J., ?-1942

#### **Biographical / Historical**

George B.J. Handy served in the United States Army during World War II and was killed in action on January 23, 1942.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Marshall B. Hardy, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4810

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hardy, Marshall B., Jr. (Marshall Burwell), 1918-2010

#### **Biographical / Historical**

Marshall Burwell Hardy, Jr. (1918-2010) began active duty in December 1940 and was assigned to the United States Army, 1st Armored Division. He served four years, with 250 days in combat, in campaigns in North Africa and Italy. In 1945 he taught gunnery at the Armored School, Ft. Knox, Kentucky.

#### **Keywords**

United States. -- Army. -- Armored Division, 1st

Anzio, Battle of (Italy : 1944)

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Italy

Kasserine Pass, Battle of (Tunisia : 1943)

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Memoirs

#### **Military service summary**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/5802

**Creator** Hardy, Marshall B., Jr. (Marshall Burwell), 1918-2010

#### **Scope and Contents**

A summary of Marshall B. Hardy, Jr.'s military service during World War II.

#### **Keywords**

Memoirs

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

Anzio, Battle of (Italy : 1944)

Kasserine Pass, Battle of (Tunisia : 1943)

United States. -- Army. -- Armored Division, 1st

World War, 1939-1945—Campaigns—Italy

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

### **Joseph D. Harris military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4813

**Language** English.

**Creator** Harris, Joseph D., ?-1944

#### **Biographical / Historical**

Joseph D. Harris served in the United States Army during World War II and died on February 5, 1944 from wounds received in action in Italy.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John E. Harter, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4814

**Language** English.

**Creator** Harter, John E., Jr. (John Edwin)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Ben Harvey, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4815

**Language** English.

**Creator** Harvey, Ben, Jr.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William H. Harvey military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4816

**Language** English.

**Creator** Harvey, William H. (William Hamilton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Douglas H. Hatfield military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4817

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hatfield, Douglas H. (Douglas Hampton), ?-1951

**Biographical / Historical**

Douglas Hampton Hatfield served as a United States Army Commander, 91st Squadron, 19th Bomber Group during the Korean War. He was killed in action on April 12, 1951.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Dale H. Heely military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4818

**Language** English.

**Creator** Heely, Dale H. (Dale Hortsman)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Joseph C. Hiett military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4819

**Language** English.

**Creator** Hiett, Joseph C. (Joseph Criswell)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Donald E. Hillman military service information****Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4820**Language** English.**Creator** Hillman, Donald E. (Donald Edison), 1918-2012**Biographical / Historical**

The following is from Donald Edison Hillman's (1918-2012) obituary that was published in the Seattle Times (dated March 24, 2012): "Donald E. Hillman was a highly decorated U.S. Army pilot, an ace fighter who had shot down five enemy airplanes during World War II. He flew 145 missions in 10 months, then was taken prisoner by the Nazis in 1944 after bailing out of a flaming airplane at 12,000 feet. Mr. Hillman twice escaped from German prison camps — the second time with the help of a German officer with whom he would later develop an extraordinary friendship. Mr. Hillman's wartime exploits landed him on the front pages of newspapers in Seattle, and on the cover of Life magazine [December 9, 1946] — a bona fide war hero who was fast running out of cloth on which to pin his service medals."

**Scope and Contents**

The file consists of detailed World War II memoirs [unpublished] that include discussion of bombing missions and Donald E. Hillman's time as a prisoner of war.

**Keywords**

Air pilots, Military

Prisoners of war

United States.—Army Air Forces

World War, 1939-1945—Personal narratives

Military operations, Aerial -- American

Bomber pilots

Stalag Luft III

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

World War, 1939-1945

Memoirs

**Charles M. Hoge military service information****Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4821**Language** English.**Creator** Hoge, Charles M. (Charles Mason)**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Frank W. Hoover, Jr. military service information****Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4822**Language** English.**Creator** Hoover, Frank W. (Frank Willard)**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Nelson H. Hotchkiss military service information****Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4823**Language** English.**Creator** Hotchkiss, Nelson H. (Nelson Hill)**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Gordon C. Irwin military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4834

**Language** English.

**Creator** Irwin, Gordon C. (Gordon Cogswell)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Allen R. K. Keesee military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4835

**Language** English.

**Creator** Keesee, Allen R. K. (Allen Randolph K.)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John F. Larrick military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4836

**Language** English.

**Creator** Larrick, John F. (John Frederick)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Chun Lau military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4837

**Language** English.

**Creator** Lau, Chun

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Malcolm B. MacKinnon military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4838

**Language** English.

**Creator** MacKinnon, Malcolm B. (Malcolm Blanchar), ?-1944

**Biographical / Historical**

Malcolm Blanchar MacKinnon served in the Army Air Force during World War II. He was declared missing in action on June 11, 1943, over the North Seas, and he was declared dead on June 12, 1944.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William F. Mandt III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4839

**Language** English.

**Creator** Mandt, William F. (William Frederick)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Frederic D. Marshall military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4840

**Language** English.

**Creator** Marshall, Frederic D. (Frederic Devereux)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Lester D. Matter, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4841

**Language** English.

**Creator** Matter, Lester D., Jr. (Lester Donald)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Phillip B. May military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4842

**Language** English.

**Creator** May, Phillip B. (Phillip Blenner)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Fred C. McCall military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4843

**Language** English.

**Creator** McCall, Fred C. (Fred Carlton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**George G. McCann, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4844

**Language** English.

**Creator** McCann, George G., Jr. (George Grandstaff)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Jearl S. McCracken military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4845

**Language** English.

**Creator** McCracken, Jearl S. (Jearl Swain)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Douglas G. McMillin military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4846

**Language** English.

**Creator** McMillin, Douglas G. (Douglas Garvin), ?-1944

**Biographical / Historical**

Douglas Garvin McMillin served in the United States Army Air Force during World War II as a navigator on

Douglas Garvin McMillin served in the United States Army Air Force during World War II as a navigator on a B-24 Liberator. He was declared missing in action in the South Pacific while attacking a Japanese convoy, and was declared killed in action on July 5, 1944.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert A. Merchant, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4847

**Language** English.

**Creator** Merchant, Robert A., Jr. (Robert Allen)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Crosby P. Miller military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4848

**Language** English.

**Creator** Miller, Crosby P. (Crosby Park)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Earle W. Mitchell military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4849

**Language** English.

**Creator** Mitchell, Earle W. (Earle Watson)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Thomas Moncure military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4850

**Language** English.

**Creator** Moncure, Thomas

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Marion R. Morrisett military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4851

**Language** English.

**Creator** Morrisett, Marion R. (Marion Roberts)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James M. Moser, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4852

**Language** English.

**Creator** Moser, James M., Jr. (James Madison)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Edwin O'Connor, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4854

**Language** English.

**Creator** O'Connor, Edwin, Jr.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Clarence M. Oakey, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4853

**Language** English.

**Creator** Oakey, Clarence M., Jr. (Clarence Milton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Thomas R. Opie military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4855

**Language** English.

**Creator** Opie, Thomas R. (Thomas Ranson), ?-1944

**Biographical / Historical**

Thomas Ranson Opie served in the United States Army Air Force during World War II and was killed in a plane crash on November 10, 1944.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Julian E. Pitman, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4856

**Language** English.

**Creator** Pitman, Julian E., Jr. (Julian Edward)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Raymond G. Pollard, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4857

**Language** English.

**Creator** Pollard, Raymond G., Jr. (Raymond George)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Eliot P. Y. Powell military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4858

**Language** English.

**Creator** Powell, Eliot P. Y. (Eliot Pierre Y.)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Sol W. Rawls, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4859

**Language** English.

**Creator** Rawls, Sol W., Jr. (Sol Waite)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Marshall M. Reynolds military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4860

**Language** English.

**Creator** Reynolds, Marshall M. (Marshall McCormick)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert B. Ritchie military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4861

**Language** English.

**Creator** Ritchie, Robert B. (Robert Brooke)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Henry L. Rucker military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4862

**Language** English.

**Creator** Rucker, Henry L. (Henry Latham)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Ferdinand T. Schneider military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4863

**Language** English.

**Creator** Schneider, Ferdinand T. (Ferdinand Turton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Ralph B. Sessoms, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4864

**Language** English.

**Creator** Sessoms, Ralph B, Jr. (Ralph Bayard)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Horace F. Sharp, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4865

**Language** English.

**Creator** Sharp, Horace F., Jr. (Horace Franklin)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

virginia military institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Robert N. Shiverts military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4866

**Language** English.

**Creator** Shiverts, Robert N. (Robert Nelson)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Paul C. Shu military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4867

**Language** English.

**Creator** Shu, Paul C. (Paul Clifford)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **George H. Simpson military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4868

**Language** English.

**Creator** Simpson, George H. (George Herbert)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **James A. Smith III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4869

**Language** English.

**Creator** Smith, James A., ?-1943

#### **Biographical / Historical**

James A. Smith III was killed in action on November 5th, 1943.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

World War, 1939-1945

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

United States. Navy

### **Thomas E. Snyder military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4870

**Language** English.

**Creator** Snyder, Thomas E. (Thomas Earl)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Frederick H. Stevens military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4871

**Language** English.

**Creator** Stevens, Frederick H. (Frederick Howell)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John R. Talbott, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4872

**Language** English.

**Creator** Talbott, John R., Jr. (John Richardson)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John S. Taylor military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4873

**Language** English.

**Creator** Taylor, John S. (John Stafford)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Vester J. Thompson, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4874

**Language** English.

**Creator** Thompson, Vester J., Jr. (Vester Jay)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Clarence S. Towles, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4875

**Language** English.

**Creator** Towles, Clarence S., Jr. (Clarence Spottswood)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Andrew L. Turner, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4876

**Language** English.

**Creator** Turner, Andrew L., Jr. (Andrew Lucius)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James F. Turner military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4877

**Language** English.

**Creator** Turner, James F. (James Foster)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Donald G. Van Horn military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4878

**Language** English.

**Creator** Van Horn, Donald G. (Donald Getzinger)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Sydney A. Vincent, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4879

**Language** English.

**Creator** Vincent, Sydney A., Jr. (Sydney Archibald), ?-1944

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, Sydney Archibald Vincent, Jr. served with the 803rd Tank Destroyer Battalion, 29th "Blue and Gray" Infantry Division. He was killed in the Battle of St. Lo (France) on July 19, 1944.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
World War, 1939-1945

### **Linwood Vinson, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4880

**Language** English.

**Creator** Vinson, Linwood, Jr., ?-1943

#### **Biographical / Historical**

During World War II, Linwood Winson, Jr. served in the United States Army. He died on December 23, 1943 at Camp Ibis, California.

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography  
World War, 1939-1945  
United States. Army

### **Gordon W. Walker military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4881

**Language** English.

**Creator** Walker, Gordon W. (Gordon Willis)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Richard F. Welton III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4882

**Language** English.

**Creator** Welton, Richard F., III (Richard Franklin)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

### **Robert H. White military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4883

**Language** English.

**Creator** White, Robert H. (Robert Hugh)

#### **Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940  
Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Donald H. Wills military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4884

**Language** English.

**Creator** Wills, Donald H. (Donald Herbert)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1940

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1941**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4885

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Carter W. Beamer military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4886

**Language** English.

**Creator** Beamer, Carter W. (Carter Wilson)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Fletcher C. Booker, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4887

**Language** English.

**Creator** Booker, Fletcher C., Jr. (Fletcher Clement)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Guy H. Drewry, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4888

**Language** English.

**Creator** Drewry, Guy H., Jr. (Guy Humphrey)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert C. Maling military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4889

**Language** English.

**Creator** Maling, Robert C. (Robert Clark)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Dandridge W. Marston military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4890

**Language** English.

**Creator** Marston, Dandridge W. (Dandridge Wesley)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William R. Maxson military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4891

**Language** English.

**Creator** Maxson, William R. (William Raymond)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John L. Pitts III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4892

**Language** English.

**Creator** Pitts, John L., III (John Lee)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Stuart M. Seaton military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4893

**Language** English.

**Creator** Seaton, Stuart M. (Stuart Manly)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert L. Spear military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4894

**Language** English.

**Creator** Spear, Robert L. (Robert Lawrence)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Edward A. Stumpf III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4895

**Language** English.

**Creator** Stumpf, Edward A., III (Edward Adam)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Warren T. White, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4896

**Language** English.

**Creator** White, Warren T., Jr. (Warren Thomas)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1941

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Project files, VMI Class of 1942**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4897

**Language** English.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Robert T. Bland, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4898

**Language** English.

**Creator** Bland, Robert T., Jr. (Robert Tyler)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Paul C. Cabell military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4899

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cabell, Paul C. (Paul Carrington)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Daniel D. Cameron military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4900

**Language** English.

**Creator** Cameron, Daniel D. (Daniel David)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Charles C. Chewning military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4901

**Language** English.

**Creator** Chewning, Charles C. (Charles Carpenter)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John A. B. Dillard, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4902

**Language** English.

**Creator** Dillard, John A. B., Jr. (John Albert Broadus), 1919-1970

**Biographical / Historical**

Major General John Albert Broadus Dillard, Jr. (1919-1970) commanded the United States Army Corps of Engineers during the Vietnam War, and was killed when his helicopter was downed by enemy fire near Pleiku, Vietnam on May 12, 1970.

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

United States. Army—Officers

Vietnam War (1961-1975)

**Joseph S. Drewry, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4903

**Language** English.

**Creator** Drewry, Joseph S., Jr. (Joseph Samuel)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**William S. Edwards III military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4904

**Language** English.

**Creator** Edwards, William S., III (William Sterling)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Thomas R. Jones, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4905

**Language** English.

**Creator** Jones, Thomas R., Jr. (Thomas Ralph)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**John A. Jordan, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4906

**Language** English.

**Creator** Jordan, John A., Jr. (John Alexander)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Ernest L. Keppel military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4907

**Language** English.

**Creator** Keppel, Ernest L. (Ernest Ludwig)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**James R. Major military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4908

**Language** English.

**Creator** Major, J. Russell (James Russell), 1921-1998

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

Virginia Military Institute—Alumni—Biography

**Claree S. Mullen, Jr. military service information**

**Unit ID** /repositories/3/archival\_objects/4909

**Language** English.

**Creator** Mullen, Claree S., Jr. (Claree Sutton)

**Keywords**

Virginia Military Institute—Class of 1942

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**Joseph Mullen, Jr. military service information**

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**Louis V.L. Naisawald military service information**

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**Harry J. Siebert military service information**

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**DeMelt E. Walker military service information**

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**Creator** Walker, DeMelt E. (DeMelt Eugene)

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**Alexander H. Williams, Jr. military service information**

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**John M. Wray, Jr. military service information**

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**Charles M. Young, Jr. military service information**

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