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Unit Date

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Mixed Materials

BW 30 (box)

Container

1 (folder)

Language

English

Extent

0.03 Cubic Feet 1 folder 1 photo album

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Good.

Repository

Albert and Shirley Small Special Collections Library

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Biographical / Historical

Fallschirmjager were the paratroop branch of the German Luftwaffe before and during World War II. They were the first German paratroopers to be committed in large-scale airborne operations.

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Comprises a photographic record of Wehrmacht Gebirgsjagerregiment (German Army Mountain Troops) and Luftwaffe Fallschirmjager training in and around the Berchtesgaden and Obersalzburg area in Bavaria prior to the second World War.

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