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Allan, Glenn, Scrapbook, MS 310

Glenn Allan Scrapbook

Collection Number	MS 310
Title	The Glenn Allan Scrapbook
Repository	Pittsburg State University, Special Collections & University Archives, Pittsburg, Kansas 1701 S. Broadway Pittsburg, Kansas 66762 (620) 235-4883 speccoll@pittstate.edu
Dates	1944-1946
Collection Size	.4 linear foot
Creator	Hermeone Allan
Scope and Content	A scrapbook of Mr. Glenn Allan's World War II years training in the United States, and service in Guam and Saipan. Newspapers (<i>Wichita Eagle</i>) from May and August 1945 dealing with the surrender of Germany and the bombing and surrender of Japan.
Access Restrictions	This collection is open for access. Researchers must use the collection in accordance with the policies of the Special Collections & University Archives, Leonard H. Axe Library, Pittsburg State University
Languages	English
Biographical Note	Floyd Glenn Allan (1918-2007) was born in Wichita, Kansas. He grew up in Hutchison, Kansas and Neosho, Missouri. Prior to the war he worked as a sheet metal worker for Beechcraft in Wichita. He joined the United States Army Air Force in 1944 and trained in the United States before being assigned a post in Guam and Saipan, where he was a member of the 500 th Bomb Group of the 881 st Air Crew (AKA "Rogers Crew"), flying B-29 bombers. He flew in eight missions over Japan. After the war, Allan married Hermeone Gherke in 1946 but they divorced several years later. In 1949 Allan married Dorothy Lee Chitwood. Both he and Dorothy passed away in Pittsburg, Kansas in 2007.

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Processing Note

Collection processed in November 2020

Series:

Scrapbook 1944-1946

Wichita Eagle Newspapers 1945

Content Description

One scrapbook with military classification documents, induction and assignment military documents; newspaper clippings; photographs; correspondence and post cards; diary entries; and maps. Covers the years 1944-1946. *Wichita Eagle* newspapers and one *El Paso Times* newspaper that cover the surrenders of Germany and Japan, as well as some pages taken out of various *Newsweek* issues dealing with the war.