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## Harding, A. H., Letters MS 412

### Overview of the Collection

<b>Title</b>	The A. H. Harding Letters
<b>Collection Number</b>	MS 412
<b>Creator</b>	A. H. Harding; Timothy Emert; Judith A. Carroll
<b>Dates</b>	1928 - 1945
<b>Quantity</b>	1 Linear foot
<b>Summary</b>	Correspondence, primarily from World War II, of A. H. Harding, with some letters containing newspaper clippings, photographs, programs, medals, currency and other miscellaneous materials.
<b>Repository</b>	Pittsburg State University, Leonard Axe Library, Special Collections & University Archives 1701 S. Broadway Pittsburg, Kansas 66762 (620) 235-4883 speccol@pittstate.edu
<b>Access Restrictions</b>	There are no restrictions and the collection is open for research. Researchers must use the collection in accordance with the policies of the Special Collections & University Archives, Leonard H. Axe Library, Pittsburg State University
<b>Languages</b>	English, French, German, Luxembourgish

**Biographical Note** Algie Hampton Harding was born on January 9, 1909 in Keytesville, Missouri to Al and Jennie Harding. He graduated from Brunswick, Missouri High School. He received a bachelor's degree from Central College of Fayette, Missouri, and then attended the University of Missouri. On January 21, 1942 Harding married Mary Frances Hobbs of Independence, Kansas. Harding attended Officers' Candidate School at Fort Sill, Oklahoma and was commissioned as a first lieutenant. Harding served in the 8<sup>th</sup> Infantry Division in Europe during World War II and was discharged from service in January 1946. Harding practiced law until he passed away in November, 1969. Mary F. Harding passed away in May of 1998.

This collection of primary and secondary resources and is divided into the following correspondence series:

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1. 1928 – 1939 Correspondence
2. 1940 – 1941 Correspondence
3. 1942 Correspondence
4. 1943 Correspondence
5. 1944 Correspondence
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#### **Series 7: Undated / Miscellaneous**

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