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INTRODUCTION
The papers in this collection are old research files of Reggie Smith. Margaret Grandle, who was a charter member of the General Russel Post No. 144, Grand Army of the Republic, is the subject of the main file. The collection consists of clippings, biographical information, correspondences, programs, documents, and publications.

DONOR INFORMATION
All of the papers were donated by Reggie Smith. The papers relating to Margaret Grandle and her activities in the Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic were donated in 1999. The rest of the papers were donated at a later time.

BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH
Reggie Smith is the head of the Pittsburg chapter of the Kansas Commission of Veteran’s Affairs. He is also an avid researcher. In this collection, the papers focus around people, battles, and organizations that are connected to the American Civil War and westward expansion.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE
The materials are arranged into three series: Research Files, Research Correspondence, and Publications. The Research Files series contains clippings, interviews, biographical information, correspondences, programs, documents, published papers, and maps. The Research Correspondence series consists of correspondences from other researchers and from archives, historical societies, and libraries. The Publications series consists of programs, reports, and papers.

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