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Summary:

Title: Earl F. Dickinson Papers

Span Dates: 1942-2009

Creator: Various

Repository: Marshall University Special Collections, Morrow Library (Huntington, WV)

Processed by: Elizabeth James, 2019

Accession Number: 2018/05.0846

Date Completed: December, 2019

Access to Collection: Open

Extent: 0.5 feet

Donor: Jack Dickinson

Search terms:

World War II

Photographs

Combat photographs

Military records

Biographical Notes:

Earl Franklin "Booger" Dickinson (June 27, 1921-September 27, 1975) was born in Princeton, West Virginia. A United States Marine Corps Sergeant in World War II, he served in the Pacific Theater of Operations.

Scope and Content:

This collection contains photographs and papers related to Earl F. Dickinson's personal life and time in the United States Marine Corps (USMC). The bulk of the collection relates to Dickinson's service in WWII and includes combat photographs, portraits and group photos, certificates, and military records. Personal materials include a 1938 Marshall Commencement booklet, family photographs, a birth and death certificate, newspaper clippings, and a brief personal recollections about Dickinson. Also included are artifacts such as USMC pins and a stone taken from Mount Suribachi.

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Container	Contents
Box 1	
Item	Rock/brick with note on it stating, "Iwo Jima Day – 19-Feb-45 Mount Suribachi Taken – 24-Feb-45"
Folder 1	Military Records - Dickinson
Folder 2	Personal
Folder 3	Battle Photos