



*Archival and Manuscript Collections Finding Aid*

**ACCESSION No.:** HRHS - 135

**COLLECTION TITLE:** Richard (Dick) and Doris Coffman Collection

**DATES:** 1917 - 1919

**SIZE:** 1 folder

**DONOR:** Richard (Dick) and Doris Coffman

**PROCESSED:** Processed 12/10/2014

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE:**

The 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry, 29<sup>th</sup> Division, was organized during WW1. The 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry Band was mustered on June 23, 1916 and served on the Mexican border until March 2, 1917. The band arrived in France in June 1918 and remained there until May 28, 1919.

**SCOPE AND CONTENT:**

This collection contains a photograph and newspaper clippings relating to the 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry Band, along with a pamphlet about the 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry 29<sup>th</sup> Division. See also museum artifacts 13.14.01 (a. jacket. b. pants) and 13.14.02 (VFW hat) also donated to the museum.

**COLLECTION INVENTORY:**

Booklet "A Brief History of 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry 29<sup>th</sup> Division"

Photograph, 116<sup>th</sup> Infantry Band, May 1919.

Newspaper clippings with the article "Dayton Band Vets".

DNR newspaper clipping from 1/12/1978 with the following articles: "Company C Traces Roots"; and "Company Becomes National Guard" and "Band puts Dayton on Map".

**ARRANGEMENT:**

1 folder of 1.