



Archival and Manuscript Collections Finding Aid

ACCESSION No.: HRHS-69

COLLECTION TITLE: Lester Baugher Collection

DATES: 1919

SIZE: 1 (one) folder

DONOR: Janet and Earl Downs, 12/9/2002

PROCESSED: Processed 07/09/2013 by K. Craun and L. Adams

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: Lester Baugher served in WWI as Hdq. Detach 5th Grand Div. and in June, 1919 was located in Brest, France. He was born in Rockingham County on March 19, 1895 and died January 28, 1987 in Pennsville NJ. Mr. Baugher was one of the first Rockingham County citizens to enlist in the Army during World War I.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: Letter and card from Lester Baugher while stationed in France during WWI. Included is a photograph postcard of Lester Baugher describing his clothes as a work uniform and heavy hobnail shoes.

COLLECTION INVENTORY:

Mother's Day card

Letter (2 pages) written by Lester Baugher during WWI, June 4, 1919, Brest France.

Photograph postcard of Lester Baugher and unknown soldier (3½ x 5 ½). Copy of this same postcard (but with writing) is housed in the photograph collection as photo #1513, Accession No. 94.16.16a.

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