

Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection.

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Collection Summary

Title: Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection.

Span Dates: 1942-1945

Call No.: 5721.S7 coll Swazuk

Extent: 2 maps

Extent: 7 pieces (documents, letters, and photographs)

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Geography amp; Map Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

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Summary: Paul Swazuk served as a corporal in the 82nd Airborne Division during World War II. He participated in the D-Day parachute operations in Normandy, France, glider landings in Holland during Operation Market Garden, and fought in the Battle of the Bulge. His unit liberated a concentration camp, and after the war, he served in the American sector of occupied Berlin. The collection consists of two papers, a photo, and biographical information.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People

Swazuk, Paul.

Organizations

United States. Army.

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Subjects

World War, 1939-1945--Maps.

Form/Genre

Maps.

Provenance

The materials were donated to the Geography amp; Map Division by William J. Swazuk in 2018.

Processing History

The collection was arranged and described by Ryan Moore in 2018.

Copyright Status

The status of copyright of the Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection is open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Geography & Map Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection, Geography & Map Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of two maps and documents that explain Paul Swazuk's role in the World War II European campaign as a paratrooper.

Arrangement of the Collection

The collection is organized into a single series

- [Series I](#) Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection

Description of Series

Container

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Container List

Container	Contents
	Paul Swazuk World War II map and papers collection
ITEM 1	France Scale 1:100,000 Cherbourg-Valognes 1942 Sheet 6E Map is water damaged
ITEM 2	Holland 1:100,000 S.Hertogenbosch 1943 Third Edition Sheet 5
ITEM 3	Biographical documents 1945 Short autobiography Obituary
ITEM 4	Photograph of Paul Swazuk 1943 Copy of photograph