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**LIEUTENANT JOSEPH E. MCCURDY
PHOTO ALBUM, 1914, 1916–1917**

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HISTORICAL / BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

During the Mexican Punitive Expedition Lieutenant Joseph Earl McCurdy served in Company A, of the 1st Indiana National Guard Infantry Regiment. According to census and draft registration records McCurdy (September 26, 1888–July 17, 1974) was born in Wanatah, LaPorte County, Indiana. His parents were a Mr. and Mrs. J.N. McCurdy.

McCurdy was married to a musician, Myrtle T. Center. She was born September 21, 1889 in Niles, Michigan. It is assumed that the couple lived in LaPorte, Indiana before McCurdy left for Texas. After McCurdy returned to LaPorte, Indiana, he worked as a traveling salesman for a paper company. Myrtle's mother, Mary Center lived with the couple as did her brother Harold Center.

Mexican Punitive Expedition:

In 1916 trouble escalated on the American/Mexican border when rival political factions struggled for control of Mexico. National Guard units of Texas, New Mexico, and Arizona were federalized to protect American border towns. Other state guards, including Indiana, were also called to active duty. They assembled at Fort Harrison for induction into federal service and began departing in July 1916. Indiana Governor Ralston appointed Lieutenant Colonel Edward M. Lewis, as brigade commander. Colonel Leslie R. Naftzger, commanded the First Regiment, Thomas R. Coulter commanded the Second Regiment, and Aubrey D. Kuhlman commanded of the Third Regiment.

After traveling by train to camps in the Brownsville, Texas area the militiamen wrote home with tales of the snake and scorpion infested area and their work to make it livable. The units trained extensively during their time in Texas, culminating with 12 days of field maneuvers in November 1916 between Camp Llano Grande and Port Isabel. On November 24 the dispute was settled and the Hoosiers began returning to Fort Harrison in December 1916.

Sources:

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The photographs in the album follow Indiana National guardsman, Lieutenant Joseph E. McCurdy and the men of Company A, 1st Indiana National Guard Infantry during the Mexican Punitive Expedition. Most images are of the soldiers training in Texas and their last days there in February and March 1917. They show McCurdy and his fellow soldiers, some civilians visiting the soldiers in Texas, and local Mexican children and workers. Most locations and individuals are identified.

The photographs are pasted onto black paper album pages and are not arranged in strict chronological order. Scattered among the Texas images are the earliest military images showing recruits in Indiana in 1916. He also includes personal friends and family photographs near the end of the album, a photo of New Orleans, and the Alamo.

Each image in the album is described by the processors in this collection guide. The captions taken from the images are in quotation marks. The processor's descriptions and comments are in square brackets. Because of its fragile condition the photo album was dis-bound and placed in five folders. The pages are numbered in pencil on the black paper.

McCurdy's image appears several times in the collection. He identifies himself, his wife, his parents, and his mother-in-law in the photo where they are seeing him off to Mexico on June 26, 1916. It is a poignant image of a smiling soldier looking a bit nervous and a worried family. McCurdy identifies himself on the following pages: 1B, 7B, 17B, 20A, 22B, and 34B. Recognizing his image the processors were able to identify him in several other images and these are noted in the descriptions. His wife Myrtle also appears several times as does her mother Mary Center.

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[4 soldiers with stacked rifles, probably Ft. Harrison]

“June 1916”

[3 soldiers marching with rifles, probably Ft. Harrison]

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[Myrtle McCurdy in hat and fur coat]

[Myrtle McCurdy smiling in blouse and necklace]

“Aug. 31, 1916” [Mary Center and Myrtle McCurdy
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“1917”

[J.E. McCurdy in uniform holding camera and
smiling]

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