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RECORD GROUP 36
RECORD OF EX-SOLDIERS IN WORLD WAR I
TENNESSEE COUNTIES
1917-1919

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INTRODUCTION

Record Group 36, is an abstract of World War I service records compiled by Mrs. Rutledge Smith during the 1920s. She used Adjutant General, Provost Marshal and Secretary of Defense of Tennessee's records to create an abstract of approximately 130,000 Tennesseans who fought in the war. Information available in this record group includes age, place of birth, residence, enlistment and discharge dates, and unit in which the soldier served. The records are arranged by county, but not in alphabetical order. Within each county the entries are divided into eight categories: Ex-Servicemen; Wounded; Dead; Officers; Marines; Navy; Naval Officers; and Dishonorable Discharges. The county list on the spine of the volumes does not always match the order inside. The order of the original records located in Archives holdings reflect the contents section, however, the microfilm copy is alphabetical order, which is accurately reflected in the microfilm listing. A straight alphabetical listing for each county is also available in the reference section of the Tennessee Room in Public Services. Completed county indexes can be viewed on the TSLA webpage at:

<http://www.state.tn.us/sos/statelib/pubsvs/ww1intro.htm>

Please note that Record Group 36 is also included as part of Record Group 216 (although not physically a part), Tennessee National Guard, Adjutant General's Office, Military Records, in an effort to provide a comprehensive record of the Adjutant General's records. Reference to Record Group 36 appears in Record Group 216, in Series 6, Subseries 5.

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