DESCRIPTION

A small collection of photographs of Edward Spaulding, his wife, family members, Fort Bidwell, California, Troop C, 2nd Cavalry at Fort Bidwell about 1884, and Fort McDowell officers quarters about 1886. There is one photograph of Edward Spaulding with General Nelson Miles and Colonel Lawton, ca. 1886.

1 box, 1 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Army officer; Edward J. Spaulding was born about 1836 in New York and in 1857, enlisted at Chicago, Illinois in the 2nd Dragoons. He served in the Civil War; was stationed at Fort Bidwell in northeastern California with Company C, 2nd Cavalry; and in 1886 was promoted to major, served in the 4th Cavalry and arrived in Arizona serving first at Fort Huachuca and then at Fort McDowell. He died in a shooting accident December 10, 1888.

ACQUISITION

Donated by Mary F. Griffin.

ACCESS

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PROCESSING

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