

C Alker, John H., James, and William, Papers, 1861-1864
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INTRODUCTION

The papers contain letters from three brothers to their parents and various siblings in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, describing everyday camp life for soldiers of the Army of the Potomac during the Civil War. Includes detailed accounts of picketing, troop movements, and guerrilla warfare. Also contains discharge papers of John Alker.

DONOR INFORMATION

The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Willard Gardner on 10 January 1990 (Accession No. 2769).

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