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Collection Description

Biographical Note
William G. Baugh (Nov. ? 1847- ) enlisted in the United State Army early in 1864 at the age of 17 with the idea of becoming a "drummer." He served as a private in Company I, 76th Ohio Infantry Regiment. He was, apparently, from Massillon, Ohio.

Scope and Content Note
Typescript copies of 26 letters written by Baugh to his parents (1864-1865). Baugh describes the activities of his regiment during Sherman's March to the Sea, including the burning of Columbia, South Carolina, and the capture of Savannah, Georgia. Many of the letters were written during the Atlanta Campaign.

Finding Aid Note
Chronological analysis is available in casefile.
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