

LLOYD, CHARLES, JR., 1928-2005.

Charles Lloyd, Jr. papers, 1952-1954

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Descriptive Summary

Creator: Lloyd, Charles, Jr., 1928-2005.
Title: Charles Lloyd, Jr. papers, 1952-1954
Call Number: Manuscript Collection No. 1354
Extent: 1 linear foot (2 boxes)
Abstract: The Charles Lloyd, Jr. papers primarily consist of correspondence with some photographs and some ephemera relating to Lloyd's service in the Korean War.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

Administrative Information

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Processing

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Biographical Note

Corporal Charles "Charlie" Lloyd was born on August 5, 1928, in Bishopville, Lee County, South Carolina, the son of Enoch Boysie Lloyd (1876-1968) and Janie Murray (1881-1968), both natives of South Carolina. Enoch owned a small farm in Spring Hill, South Carolina. Charlie attended the Spring Hill Grammar School in Bishopville from 1934 to 1943.

Lloyd enlisted in the United States Army on November 14, 1952 and served until September 3, 1954 when he was honorably discharged with the rank of corporal. Military changes of address cards show that Lloyd was stationed in Kilmer, New Jersey; Tacoma Washington; Fort Dix, New Jersey; and San Francisco, California. Lloyd served in Korea from May 1953 until his discharge, including time as a guard at the Geje POW Camp in South Korea.

Iola Ernestine Thomas was Lloyd's wife and was born on March 12, 1922. She lived in different locations in New Jersey during Lloyd's time in the service. She died on October 1, 1996 in Madison, Florida, and is buried at Oak Ridge Cemetery. Later in life, Lloyd lived in Linden, New Jersey, as well as Hagerstown, Maryland. Charlie Lloyd died on November 15, 2005 in Linden, New Jersey, and is buried at the Graceland Cemetery, in Kenilworth, New Jersey.

Scope and Content Note

The Charles Lloyd, Jr. papers primarily consist of correspondence with some photographs and some ephemera. There are 210 letters, 422 manuscript pages, with original mailing envelopes, dated November 16, 1952 to August 17, 1954. All but one of the letters are written by Charlie Lloyd to Iola Ernestine Thomas. The one exception is a letter to Thomas from her sister, Audrey, dated 1950. Additionally, there are 109 black and white snapshot photographs and one negative, mostly of Charlie Lloyd in uniform with his friends or officers. The photographs were taken in both Korea and the United States. Finally, there are 37 pieces of print and manuscript ephemera, including three issues of *The Fire Ball*, a newspaper of the 40th United States Infantry Division, uniform patches, three driver's licenses, two military change of address cards, two unemployment benefits cards, one employment questionnaire and an Overall Cleaners and Launderers Local 69 pamphlet.

Arrangement Note

Arranged in alphabetical order by record type.

Container List

Box	Folder	Content
1	1	Correspondence, 1952
1	2	Correspondence, 1953 January-June
1	3	Correspondence, including photographs, 1953 July-September
1	4	Correspondence, 1953 October-November
1	5	Correspondence, including photographs, 1953 December
1	6	Correspondence, including photographs, 1954 January-February
2	1	Correspondence, including photographs, 1954 March-April
2	2	Correspondence, 1954 May-June
2	3	Correspondence, 1954 July-August
2	4	Ephemera, 1952-1953
2	5	Ephemera, 1953-1954
2	6	Photographs and patches, 1953-1954
