

## **Camp Cooke Collection**

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Collection of fragmentary maintenance records for several units that trained at Camp Cooke CA during 1942-43. Includes collective and individual vehicle maintenance records, accident reports, stock cards, etc. for 1942-43.

**Armored Fighting Vehicles -- Tanks -- Sherman (M4 Series)**

**United States, Army -- Camps and Forts - Camp Cooke CA**

**United States, Army -- Armored Divisions -- 5<sup>th</sup> Armored Division**

**United States, Army -- Armored Divisions -- 6<sup>th</sup> Armored Division**

**United States, Army -- Armored Regiments -- 68th Armored Regiment**

**United States, Army -- Armored Regiments -- 69th Armored Regiment**

**United States, Army -- Armored Regiments -- 81st Armored Regiment**

**United States, Army -- Engineer Battalions -- 25th Engineer Battalion**

**United States, Army -- Ordnance Battalions -- 199th Ordnance Battalion**

**United States, Army -- Ordnance Companies -- 341st Ordnance Motor Transport Co.**

**United States, Army -- Ordnance Regiments - 58<sup>th</sup> Ordnance Regiment (Q)**

**United States, Army -- Reconnaissance Battalions -- 85th Reconnaissance Battalion**

**United States, Army -- Signal Corps -- 145th Signal Company**

**United States, Army -- Tank Battalions -- 708th Tank Battalion**

**Vehicle Maintenance**

**Vehicles, Military -- Motorcycle -- Harley-Davidson**

**World War, 1939-1945**

### **Box 1**

#### **FOLDER**

- 1 Accession documents for the collection
- 2 General Maintenance Records for 341<sup>st</sup> Motor Transport Co. 1942
  - a. Handwritten note concerning repair of vehicle W-240284
  - b. Printed Form; Unit Exchange, with 199<sup>th</sup> Ordnance Battalion Motor Book,
  - c. Printed Sheet; Weekly Checks, ca1942
  - d. Handwritten sheet; 6000 Miles Checking, (list of vehicle USA #s)
  - e. Handwritten sheet; New Oil Filter Cartridges (list of vehicle USA #s)
  - f. Handwritten sheet; Radiator Cleaned & Flushed
  - g. Handwritten sheet; Federal Tractors, (list of vehicles USA #s)
  - h. Handwritten sheet; New Series oil in, (list of vehicle USA #s)
  - i. Handwritten sheet; New Grease, (list of vehicle USA #s)
  - j. Handwritten sheet; no title (list of vehicle USA #s and mechanic's names)
- 3 Oil Change Records, September 1942 to January 1943 by type of oil, date and USA number (8 handwritten pages)

- 4 Printed Memorandum; Operation and Maintenance Memorandum No. 26, HQ Armored Force, Fort Knox KY, 10 June 1943, includes instructions for marking of combat vehicles, four sheets, eight pages
  
- 5 Maintenance Records for M4A1 Medium Tank USA W-3015488, G Company, 81<sup>st</sup> Armored Regiment, G Company 69<sup>th</sup> Armored Regiment, 708<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion, 1943
  - a. Mimeographed Form; AF Form M#3, Daily Operation Report, for March 1943
  - b. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for April 1943
  - c. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for May 1943
  - d. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for June 1943
  - e. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for July 1943
  - f. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for August 1943
  - g. Mimeographed Form; AF Form M#3, Daily Operation Report, for September 1943
  - h. Printed Form; WD AGO Form 462, Preventative Maintenance Service and Technical Inspection Work Sheet for Full-Track and Tank-like Wheeled Vehicles, 13 October 1943, 708<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion
  
- 6 Maintenance and other records for M4A1 Medium Tank USA W-3015490, H Company, 69<sup>th</sup> Armored Regiment, H Company, 81<sup>st</sup> Armored Regiment, 708<sup>th</sup> Tank Battalion, 1943
  - a. Mimeographed form; no title – inspection form for On Vehicle Material List for tanks shipped from Richmond Tank Depot (three copies) no date
  - b. Mimeographed form; WD QMC Form #260, Technical Inspection Report of Motor Vehicles, 1 March 1943
  - c. Mimeographed Form; AF Form M#3, Daily Operation Report, for March 1943
  - d. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for April 1943
  - e. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for May 1943
  - f. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for June 1943
  - g. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for July 1943
  - h. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for August 1943
  - i. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for September 1943
  - j. Mimeographed Form; Vehicle Operation Report, for October 1943
  - k. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 28 April 1943
  - l. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 29 April 1943
  - m. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 11 May 1943
  - n. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 13 May 1943

- o. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 18 May 1943
- p. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 21 May 1943
- q. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 24 May 1943
- r. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 10 June 1943
- s. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 8 July 1943
- t. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 15 July 1943
- u. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 15 July 1943
- v. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 17 August 1943
- w. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 24 August 1943
- x. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 25 August 1943
- y. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 29 August 1943
- z. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 31 August 1943
- aa. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 1 September 1943
- bb. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 2 September 1943
- cc. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 7 September 1943
- dd. Mimeographed Form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> AD, 9 September 1943
- ee. Mimeographed Form; Job Order Request, 14 May 1943
- ff. Mimeographed Form; Job Order Request, 1 July 1943 (2 copies)
- gg. Mimeographed Form; Job Order Request, 29 July 1943 (2 copies)
- hh. Mimeographed Form; Job Order Request, 4 August 1943 (2 copies)
- ii. Handwritten Sheet; no title – Daily Record, C Company, 708<sup>th</sup> Tank Bn, September 1943

7 Maintenance and other records for M4A1 Medium Tank USA W-3015527,  
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## Box 2

### FOLDER

- 1 Miscellaneous Papers and Forms
  - a. Printed Form; WD QMC Form 423, Stock Record Card, (Blank) (two copies)
  - b. Printed Form; WD QMC Form 423, Stock Record Card – completed with information on various parts – six cards total (b1-b6)
  - c. Mimeographed Form; Signature Card for Supplies, HQ Service Command Unit #1908, Director of Supply & Services, Camp Cooke CA, 25 June 1943 (filled out) two copies
  - d. Printed Form; Delivery Order and Receipt, for gasoline, 1 September 1943
  - e. Printed Form; Delivery Order and Receipt, for gasoline, 19 September 1943
  - f. Paper Tag filled out in pencil for PVT Carl H Russell, 850<sup>th</sup> Ordnance Depot Co., Camp Cooke CA ca1943
- 2 Folder with example form; Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, M7 105MM Howitzer Carriage and Med Tank M4A1, HQ 6<sup>th</sup> Armored Division, ca1943
- 3 Folder Marked 199<sup>th</sup> Ord Battalion containing filled out mimeographed forms, Monthly Vehicle Record, 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, 58<sup>th</sup> Ordnance Regiment (HM) (Q), twenty-one sheets
- 4 Mimeographed Forms ca1943
  - a. 1000 Mile Maintenance Check, Motorcycle-HD Solo WLA and XA Models, Mtl 5546, completed forms for different motorcycles USA 610613, 610615, 610617, 610621 (Five total)
  - b. Inspection and Maintenance Check List, HQ Co. 5<sup>th</sup> Armored Division Trains, WVD 2915, completed forms for various vehicles by USA # (two total)
  - c. Inspection and Maintenance Check List, 5<sup>th</sup> Armored Division, completed forms for various vehicle by USA# (twelve total)
- 5 Folder marked 341<sup>st</sup> Ordnance Motor Transport Co. containing filled out mimeographed forms, Monthly Vehicle Record, 3<sup>rd</sup> Battalion, 58<sup>th</sup> Ordnance Regiment (HM) (Q), twelve sheets
- 6 Mimeographed Memorandum; Motor Parts – Unit Exchange, Motor Parts Warehouse, 341<sup>st</sup> Ordnance Motor Transport Company (Q), Camp Cooke CA, 16 November 1942. Three sheets, four pages Multiple copies – two complete, two incomplete
- 7 Mimeographed Memorandum; Motor Parts – Unit Exchange, Motor Parts Warehouse, 341<sup>st</sup> Ordnance Motor Transport Company (Q), Camp Cooke CA, 10 February 1943. Six sheets, eight pages

- 8 Mimeographed Sheets; Lubrication School Examination, Camp Cooke, CA ca1943,
  - a. Completed test
  - b. Blank Test sheets (five copies)
- 9 Blank Forms
  - a. WD QMC Form 504, Parts Requisition, revised 27 January 1941 (old form 238)
  - b. WD QMC Form 260, Technical Inspection Report of Motor Vehicles, 16 October 1939
  - c. Guard Roster (mimeographed local form), ca1942, six copies
- 10 Miscellaneous Mimeographed Forms
  - a. Daily Check Sheet 1<sup>st</sup> Echelon, M7 105MM Howitzer and Med. Tank M4A1, completed for M4A1 USA XXXX510, 7 September 1943
  - b. Job Order Request, AF Form M-4, completed for a Motorcycle USA W-610617, 29 June 1942
  - c. Motor Vehicle Operation & Maintenance, Company I, 58<sup>th</sup> QM Regiment (M), undated, completed for vehicle USA 004255
- 11 Folder marked American Bosch Fuel Injector Maintenance Information, E.H. Moyer, Auto Tech Adv., 2<sup>nd</sup> HQ Spec Troops, II Armored Corps
  - a. American Bosch Service Letter, No. D3, American Bosch Corporation, 27 June 1940, Accumulation of Fuel Oil in the Cam Shaft Compartment of APE Pumps, two sheets, two pages
  - b. Letter; International Harvester Sales Department, SUBJ: Bosch Injection Pump Service Tools, 29 April 1942, includes schematic drawings of 10 tools used to repair Bosch Injection Pumps, sixteen pages
  - c. Pamphlet; American Bosch Fuel Injection Equipment for Diesel Powered Tractors-Engines, Tractors – Power Units, ca1940, thirty-two pages
- 12 Miscellaneous Materials
  - a. Printed Pamphlet; Catalog F: IS-GS, Routine Installation and Service Instructions, Engine Driven Single Voltage Generators and Control Boxes or Panels, Eclipse Aviation, Bendix, NJ, Form 626, revised February 1940, seven pages
  - b. Printed Pamphlet; Instruction Sheet for Microphone T-30-Q, Western Electric Co., Army Air Forces Technical Order 08-10-118, 1942
- 13 Mimeographed Sheets; Driver's Inspection Check List, 5<sup>th</sup> Armored Division, ca1942, one sheet, two pages, eight copies

## 14 Miscellaneous Materials

- a. Hershey Bar Wrapper (torn) two examples
- b. Domino Match box
- c. Independence Safety Match box
- d. American Airlines baggage claim tag, August 1940
- e. Beech-Nut Brand Chewing Gum wrapper (ca1941)