

Canadian War Museum Finding Aid
Hubbell Family Collection
Accession number 20070019-xx

Dates: 1914-1917.

Extent: 146 items of correspondence.

Biographical Sketch: Major Earl Davies Hubbell (1885-1919), a medical officer in civilian life, enlisted on 23 September 1914 in the Canadian Expeditionary Force (CEF), and served with the Canadian Army Medical Corps (CAMC) overseas. On 3 December 1917 he was promoted from Captain to Major. He returned to Canada at the end of 1918, and moved to Winnipeg to set up a practice. He died in 1919 and is buried in Thamesville, Ontario.

Language: textual material in the fond is in English.

Scope and Content: Letters and post cards written to members of the Hubbell family who owned a hardware business in Thamesville. The authors were men from Thamesville who were serving with the Canadian Expeditionary Force (CEF) in England, France and/or Belgium, and who had received parcels and tobacco from the Hubbell family. Most correspondence was addressed to JO Hubbell.

Many letters were written by Lieutenant (later Captain) ED Hubbell. George Stonefish, was a sniper.

Postcards with messages are included with the letters.

Arrangement: This finding aid has been arranged numerically by file number. All material can be found under call number 58B 6 5.17.

Detailed Listing:

58B 6 5.17

File number	Contents
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Undated, Ed Watts [recipient not noted], Christmas card.• Undated, newspaper clipping, flood in Salisbury.• Undated, Monfort Baelde to Dr. E Hubbell, postcard.• Undated, John Wyatt to Orval Hubbell, postcard.• Undated, Ed [Watts?] to JO Hubbell, postcard.• Undated, [sender not noted] to Orville Hubbell, postcard.• Undated, address of Sig. George Trafford.• 12 July [year not noted], J Tully to Mrs. E Hubbell.• 5 July [year not noted], ED H[ubbell].• Undated, newspaper clipping of two cartoons.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Undated, A Cochran to JO Hubbell, field service postcard. • Undated, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • Undated, Ernest Wright to Orville Hubbell.
2	<p>1914</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Salisbury Plain, 25 October 1914, ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, postcard. • Ottawa, 27 October 1914, Mrs. DJ Johnson to ES Hubbell & Sons. • November 1914, [unknown sender] to Mrs. ES Hubbell, letter card. • Bustard Camp, 9 November 1914, Lt ED Hubbell to ES Hubbell & Sons. • Salisbury Plain, 18 November 1914, Lt ED Hubbell to ES Hubbell & Sons. • Salisbury Plain, 25 November 1914, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • [December] 1914, [ED Hubbell] to JO Hubbell, postcard. • Salisbury Plain, 27 December 1914, ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell.
3	<p>January – June 1915</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 January 1915, ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, postcard. • 1 January 1915, ED Hubbell to Mrs. JO Hubbell. • Salisbury Plain, 6 January 1915, [E.D. Hubbell] to Orville Hubbell (last part of letter missing). • Salisbury Plain, 17 January 1915, ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • West Sanding, 21 January 1915, Lt JA Farrell to O Hubbell. • London, 22 January 1915, ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • Bustard Camp, 27 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to Mrs. ES Hubbell (mother). • Salisbury Plain, 7 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • Avonmouth, 8 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to William Jackman. • France, 15 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to the Hubbell family. • France, 23 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to Mrs. Hubbell. • 26 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to Orville Hubbell. • 28 February 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, field service postcard. • 1 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 4 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 13 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 27 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 April 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 17 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 21 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 29 March 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 3 April 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 13 April 1915, Lt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 17 April 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell [Lt Hubbell promoted] • Belgium, 21 April 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 28 April 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell, re his mount of 2nd Ypres. • 3 May 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell, field service postcard. • 7 May 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 9 May 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 1 June 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 22 May 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 20 June 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell. • 25 June 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell, field service postcard. • Liverpool, 26 June 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to GC Hubbell.
4	<p>July – December 1915</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • [July] 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, postcard. • 6 July 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, field service postcard. • 8 July 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, field service postcard. • 8 July 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to OR Davies. • 12 July 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 14 July 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 16 July 1915, Catharine Duncan to Mrs. ES Hubbell, postcard. • 6 August 1915, Capt. ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 18 August 1915, George Stonefish to WR Davies. • 18 Aug 1915, Jim Craick to WR Davies. • September 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 12 September 1915, Capt. E.D. Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 21 September 1915, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • 25 September 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to Mrs. ES Hubbell, field service postcard. • 25 September 1915, Capt. ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • [October 1915], The Graphic to JO Hubbell. • 8 October 1915, The Graphic to ES Hubbell & Sons.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • [October 1915], Capt ED Hubbell to Mrs. ES Hubbell. • 27 October 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 27 October 1915, George Stonefish to unknown recipient (first page missing). • 30 October 1915, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • [October] 1915, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell (page 1 missing). • 7 November 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 18 November 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to Mrs. Orville Hubbell, field service postcard. • London, Ont., 29 November 1915, John [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell. • 2 December 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 29 December 1915, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell.
5	<p>January – June 1916</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 January 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to Mrs. Orville Hubbell. • 10 January 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to Mrs. Orville Hubbell. • 19 January 1916, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • Edinburgh, 20 January 1916, James McManus to KO Hubbell. • 30 January 1916, Earnest J Wright, receipt for tobacco. • 14 February 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • Belgium, 15 February 1916, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • 22 March 1916, George Stonefish, receipt for tobacco. • Belgium, 24 March 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 8 April 1916, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • 18 April 1916, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • 20 April 1916, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • Belgium, 29 April 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 24 May 1916, J Westwood to JO Hubbell, postcard. • Belgium, 25 May 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • Belgium, 8 June 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 2 June 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, sending shoulder badge. • 13 June 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell.
6	<p>July – December 1916</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Belgium, 27 July 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, ignore stories about General Mercer. • [August] 1916, Pte E Walkinghood, receipt for tobacco. • 1 August 1916, Eddie Walls to Mrs. ES Hubbell, postcard. • Shorncliffe, 25 August 1916, Rev J Tully to JO Hubbell. • 27 August 1916, Pte N Dowd to JO Hubbell. • 1916, pamphlets containing patriotic songs and hymns.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • [November] 1916, Sphere and Tatler Ltd., to JO Hubbell, receipt. • Shorncliffe, 27 November 1916, Ernest Wright to JO Hubbell. • 27 November 1916, Rev J Tully to JO Hubbell. • 13 November 1916, translation of German document. • December 1916, Pte AJ Green, Christmas card. • December 1916, G Trafford, Christmas card. • 4 December 1916, Archie Cochran, Christmas card (AN 20070019-033). • [December] 1916, Foxcroft, postcard. • 3 December 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, field service postcard. • 3 December 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, to Adjutant, 8th Battalion re James Craik. • 11 December 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 21 December 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • 31 December 1916, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, cable.
7	<p>1917</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9 January 1917, George Trafford to JO Hubbell. • 23 January 1917, John R Kinniburgh to JO Hubbell. • 22 March 1917, George Stonefish to JO Hubbell. • May 1917, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell. • Bramshott, 14 May 1917, Alex [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell. • Bramshott, 14 May 1917, Alex to JO Hubbell, postcard. • 29 May 1917, John Wyatt to JO Hubbell. • 29 May 1917, John Wyatt to JO Hubbell. • 3 June 1917, JH Payne to JO Hubbell. • 9 June 1917, John Glasson to JO Hubbell. • 20 June 1917, Park Auldys Davidson to JO Hubbell, postcard. • 23 June 1917, RK Carswell to JO Hubbell. • 17 July 1917, Judge [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell. • 26 July 1917, JE Savage to JO Hubbell. • 16 July 1917, WJ Riseam to JO Hubbell, postcard. • 29 July 1917, Wilfrid Mick to JO Hubbell. • 30 September 1917, Cochran to JO Hubbell. • 13 August 1917, David Sherman to JO Hubbell. • 26 August 1917, WH [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell. • Petawawa, 3 September 1917, Rooster Trudell to JO Hubbell. • 6 September 1917, W McKenzie to JO Hubbell, receipt for tobacco.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 9 September 1917, HJ Turnbull to JO Hubbell.• 13 September 1917, Alex to JO Hubbell.• [October] 1917, Rick [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell, postcard.• 3 October 1917, Judge [full name not noted] to JO Hubbell, postcard.• Epsom, 6 October 1917, Andy Germain to JO Hubbell.• 12 October 1917, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell.• 30 October 1917, Capt ED Hubbell to JO Hubbell, postcard.

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