



## American Legion and Auxiliary of Corona Collection

c. 1893-1978

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### Inventory

Call Number	Folder	Description of Records	Leaves
M020/1	1	Finding Aid & Accession Records	28
<b>Series 1</b>		<b>Carleton Post 168</b>	
M020/1	2	Minutes Book for Carleton Post 168 - G.A.R. - May 27, 1893 to August 8, 1902	1 booklet
	3	Minutes Book for Carleton Post 168 - G.A.R. - October 20, 1902 to December 21, 1914	1 booklet
	4	Minutes Book for Carleton Post 168 - G.A.R. - January 18, 1915 to June 19, 1933	1 booklet
	5	Donation note for the Carleton Post's Minutes Books to American Legion Post 216 on December 8, 1966.	1
<b>Series 2</b>		<b>Reveille / W.H. Jameson Post 216</b>	
<b>Subseries 1: Administrative &amp; Financial Records</b>			
M020/1	6	American Legion Post 216 Charter dated December 11, 1923	1
	7	Extension Agreement from Citizens Bank dated 1936	21
		Full Reconveyance dated June 15, 1937	
		Articles of Incorporation dated November 4, 1948. Poor quality photocopy.	
		Certificate of Title to Lots 1, 2, 3 in Block 89 of South Riverside Townsite (copy) dated March 29, 1929.	
		Grant Deed Lots 1, 2, 3 in Block 89 of South Riverside Townsite (copy) dated May 8, 1951.	
American Legion Supplemental Charter dated September 11, 1969			

<b>Subseries 2: Membership Records</b>			
M020/1	8	Honor Roll: World War I and Spanish American War Veterans. Handwritten and transcribed copy.	41 leaves, 1 item
		Honor Roll: World War I and Spanish American War Veterans. Copies from a publication and typed notes.	
		Framed Honor Roll World War I, written on the back "April 6, 1917 to November 11, 1918, 1st guys killed from Corona."	
		Notes on two veterans not included in the original Honor Roll.	
		Notes about the deaths of the original Honor Roll members.	
		List of Civil War Veteran widows, Gold Star Mothers and Fathers, Spanish American War Veterans.	
		Reveille Post 216 Membership list circa January 26, 1955.	
		Reveille Post 216 Membership list circa February 16, 1955.	
<b>Subseries 3: Special Events and Programs</b>			
M020/1	9	Program from the Public Opening of the Memorial Hall on March 23, 1929	3 leaves, 8 booklets
		The Corona Rodeo program for March 23 & 24, 1935.	
		Program for a dinner in honor of Joseph S. Long dated April 4, 1938.	
		Certificate for the Annual Child Welfare Citation 1950-1951.	
		Notes about a program, the accompanying envelope had the following note, "First Prize - Class "B-2" W.H. Jameson Unit No. 216." There's no date or title for the program.	
<b>Subseries 4: Miscellaneous</b>			
M020/1	10	Flag Etiquette brochure, dated November 1947	2 leaves, 4 booklets
		"Let's Be Right on Flag Etiquette" brochure, January 1948	
		"Need a Lift? To Educational Opportunities" 10th Edition, Revised Fall 1960.	
		Flyer "Junior GI Bill," no date	
		American Legion brochure, "Policy on Education." No date	
		"Amazing Profits for those who know Old Money" brochure, 1932.	
11	Newspaper clippings, one from 1953 and the others are not dated	4	
<b>Series 3 Reveille / W.H. Jameson Post 216 American Legion Auxiliary</b>			
<b>Subseries 1: Administrative &amp; Financial Records</b>			
M020/2	12	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes April 20, 1924 - Dec. 15, 1924	27
	13	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 5, 1925 - Dec. 22, 1925	30
	14	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 12, 1926 - Dec. 28, 1926	22
	15	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 11, 1927 - Dec. 13, 1927	27
	16	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 10, 1928 - Nov. 27, 1928	34
	17	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 8, 1929 - Dec. 10, 1929	34
	18	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 14, 1930 - Dec. 10, 1930	31

	19	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 13, 1931 - Dec. 14, 1931	31
	20	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 12, 1932 - Dec. 27, 1932	26
	21	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 10, 1933 - Dec. 26, 1933	31
	22	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 8, 1934 - Dec. 11, 1934	31
	23	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 8, 1935 - Dec. 30, 1935	43
	24	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 14, 1936 - May 26, 1936	19
	25	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 9, 1936 - June 22, 1937	47
	26	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes July 13, 1937 - Dec. 10, 1937	28
	27	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Aug. 23, 1938 - Aug. 8, 1939	44
	28	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Aug. 22, 1939 - Jan. 8, 1940	18
	29	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 9, 1940 - Dec. 28, 1940	46
	30	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 14, 1941 - Dec. 27, 1941	43
	31	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 12, 1942 - Dec. 21, 1942	31
M020/3	32	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 3 1943 - Aug. 9, 1943	26
	33	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Aug. 24, 1943 - Dec. 4, 1944	35
	34	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Sep. 12, 1944 - Dec. 19, 1947	49
	35	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 9, 1945 - Dec. 11, 1945	40
	36	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes May 14, 1946 - Dec. 10, 1946	38
	37	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 9, 1946 - April 23, 1946	34
	38	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 14, 1947 - Dec. 9, 1947	40
	39	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 13, 1948 - Dec. 20, 1948	41
	40	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 3, 1949 - Sept. 13, 1949	33
	41	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 1948 - June 1952	70
	42	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Sept. 25, 1951- Dec. 11, 1951	15
	43	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 8, 1952 - Dec. 9, 1952	25
	44	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 9, 1953 - Dec. 8, 1953	29
	45	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 11, 1954 - Explorer Post 34, Boy Scouts of America	40

		Price list 1954	
		Constitution Signed March 1951	
		ABC's for Secretaries 1954-55	
		Memo to the Secretaries Jan. 25, 1954	
	46	List of Members 1955-56	36
		Letter Re- Reserve forces Act	
		American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 25, 1955 - Dec 13, 1955	
	47	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 3, 1956 - Dec. 11, 1956	32
	48	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 22, 1957 - June 25, 1958	42
	49	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes July 8, 1958 - May 26, 1959	23
	50	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 9, 1959 - May 24, 1960	24
M020/4	51	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 10, 1961- Dec. 13, 1960	24
	52	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 9, 1962 - Dec. 12, 1961	27
	53	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 12, 1962 - April 23, 1963	23
		Letter Re: Poppies Sale	
	54	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 11, 1963 - June 15, 1964	25
	55	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 22, 1964 - May 25, 1965	11
	56	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 22, 1964 - June , 1965	32
	57	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes April 27, 1965 - May 9, 1966	24
	58	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 28, 1966 - June 1, 1967	31
	59	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 12, 1967 - June 25, 1968	36
	60	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes July 1, 1968 - April 22, 1969	20
	61	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes May 13, 1969 - May 26, 1970	22
	62	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 1, 1970 - Dec. 8, 1970	10
	63	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes Jan. 12, 1971 - May 25, 1971	9
	64	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 3, 1971 - May 23, 1972	24
	65	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes July 13, 1971 - May 23, 1972	20
	66	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 5, 1972 - May 22, 1973	24
	67	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 13, 1972 - May 22, 1973	24

	68	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 12, 1973 - June 25, 1974	25
	69	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes July 9, 1974 - May 27, 1975	16
	70	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 10, 1975 - May 25, 1976	20
	71	American Legion Auxiliary # 216 Minutes June 8, 1976- June 14, 1977	22
M020/6	73	Annual Unit Activity Reports July 1, 1949 through June 30, 1952 and June 1, 1964 through May 31, 1972	27
		Blank Annual Unit Activity Reports	
	74	American Legion Auxiliary Constitution and By-Laws - Revised August 1949.	18 leaves, 2 booklets
		Parliamentary Points booklet, no date.	
		Initiation Ceremony script	
		President's Annual Report to Unit #216 for September 1944 - August 1945; August 1945 - August 1946; July 29, 1950; August 20, 1951.	
	75	Photocopy of a list of war bonds purchased by the Auxiliary in 1943 and 1944.	38
		Rental schedule for kitchen	
		Handwritten note about the scholarship fund	
		Biographical information about Jewel Hutchinson for the scholarship fund.	
		Criteria for the Jewel Hutchinson Memorial Scholarship for Corona Senior High School.	
		Cover sheet for Gloria Ruiz's scholarship application dated June 1, 1973.	
		Correspondence from Charles S. Terrill, Jr., Superintendent for the Corona Norco Unified School District - September 20, 1972.	
Bulletins and information from the American Legion Auxiliary about Education and Scholarship - handwritten date of September 9, 1975			
Information sheet about the Jewel Hutchinson Fund, February 1977.			
List of scholarship winners, 1969-1975.			
Cathy Koutroulis' scholarship paperwork and notes, June 10, 19745.			
Lora Rock's scholarship paperwork, June 16, 1975.			
Scholarship Financial Record, October 1968 - July 1972.			
<b>Subseries 2: Membership Records</b>			
M020/6	76	Applications for membership, 1924-1938	37
		Deceased members list, 1927-1948	
		Officers, Chairmen, District Officers 1944-1945	
		Members, Officers, District Officers, Chairmen 1945-1946	
		Officers, Chairmen, District Officers, Dept. Officers 1946-1947	
		Officers, District Officers, Dept. Officers 1947-1948	
		25th Anniversary Chairmen and Officers for Unit #216 1948-1949	

		Members, Officers, District Officers, Chairmen, Dept. Officers 1949-1950	
		Chairmen, Officers, District Officers 1950-1951	
		Officers and Chairmen 1951-1952	
		Nominating Committee Report, May 12, 1964	
	77	25th Anniversary (1948-1949) Yearbook, typed list of past Presidents of #216 American Legion Auxiliary.	9 leaves, 9 booklets
		1953-1954 Yearbook, typed list of hostesses for past Presidents Parties 1967	
		1954-1955 Yearbook	
		1955-1956 Yearbook	
		1959 Yearbook	
		1960-1961 Yearbook	
		1961-1962 Yearbook, photocopy of handwritten note about past quilting events.	
		1964-1965 Yearbook, handwritten notes about members and members' contact information, typed list of hostesses for past Presidents Parties.	
		1968-1969 Yearbook, handwritten notes about installation of members.	
<b>Subseries 3: Special Events and Programs</b>			
M020/6	78	Chaplain's note cards	19 leaves 2 booklets
		Memorial Day procedures	
		Convention Report, 1942 - handwritten	
		Report of Nominating Committee, Special Events 1946-1947	
		"Our Gang" 1951 booklet	
		Poppies order form, September 15, 1965	
<b>Subseries 4: Miscellaneous</b>			
M020/6	79	Business card for Frank Edward Bishop	18 leaves, 1 booklet, 1 item
		Handwritten notes	
		Correspondence and envelopes 1968, 1972	
		Small coffee filter with musical notes and yarn	
		American Legion Auxiliary Logo sticker	
		Community Songs sheet	
		National Citation for Meritorious Service, 1945	
		Credentials of Delegate for the 56th Annual Convention, June 26-29, 1975 for Helen Dillion.	
	81	Photocopies of photographs added to the Heritage Room Collection.	18
<b>Subseries 5: Publications and Newspaper Clippings</b>			
M020/6	80	<i>National News American Legion Auxiliary</i> October 1952 magazine	15 leaves, 1 booklet
		KNOW! Newsletter, November 1, 1968	
		Newspaper clippings, 1965, 1974, 1975, and no date.	

<b>Subseries 6: Auxiliary History</b>			
M020/5		History Corona, Calif. William H. Jameson Jr. Unit No. 216 American Legion Auxiliary 1953-1954	5 scrapbooks
		Publicity Record Book Reveille Unit No. 216, Corona American Legion Auxiliary, July 1, 1936 - June 30, 1937.	
		History Corona, Calif. W. H. Jameson Jr. Unit No. 216 American Legion Auxiliary 1948 - 1949	
		History Corona, Calif. W. H. Jameson Jr. Unit No. 216 American Legion Auxiliary 1941-1942	
		History Reveille Unit No. 216 American Legion Auxiliary Corona California, 1924 & 1934-1936.	
M020/4	72	Scrapbook of the American Legion Auxiliary - Jewel Hutchison Memorial Scholarship Fund and financial record for the fund.	72 leaves, 1 booklet

\*Call # is the Manuscript #/Box #



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**Item List of Relocated Oral History Interviews, Artifacts & Photographs**

New Location	ID Number	Description	Type
Box 144, G101, F-3	AAA.1191	A dark blue, American Legion Auxiliary hat.	ARTIFACT
Box 34, G101, E-3	AAA.0162	The gavel that was used for the opening and the closing of meetings of the William H. Jameson, Jr., Unit 216, American Legion Auxiliary, Corona 1924-1978.	ARTIFACT
Box 144, G101, F-3	AAA.1212	A pin: "American Legion - Girls' State - Auxiliary."	ARTIFACT
Box 144, G101, F-3	AAA.1210	A small wooden gavel, "Long Beach 1953"	ARTIFACT
Box 144, G101, F-3	AAA.1189	A wood block, rubber stamp. The text printed by the stamp reads: "American Legion Auxiliary - Wm. H. Jameson, Jr. Unit 216 - Corona, California."	ARTIFACT
Box 35, G101, E-3	AAA.0172	Bronze American Legion Auxiliary bell.	ARTIFACT
Box 144, G101, F-3	AAA.1211	A small wooden gavel made from a 1/2" piece of dowel used for the head of the gavel, and a 1/4" piece of dowel used for the handle. A small, yellow, cloth bow is on the handle with a blue and gold American Legion Auxiliary sticker on the head of the gavel.	ARTIFACT
Mapcases	D-5-3-6	Supplemental Charter for Incorporated American Legion Posts. It was issued to Post No. 216, William H. Jameson, Jr. in 1969.	OVERSIZE DOCUMENT
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-016a	Group photo of American Legion and Auxiliary Post #216	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-017a	Group photo of American Legion and Auxiliary Post #216	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-018a	Women's Auxiliary #216, American Legion	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-019a	Poppy Girls, American Legion Auxiliary, Spring 1932	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-020a	Jr. Echoes Girls Glee Club of Reveille Unit, American Legion Auxiliary #216 of Corona.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-021a	Jr. Echoes Glee Club of American Legion #216	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	CLU-aaa-022a	American Legion #216 Auxiliary Girl Members, c. 1949.	PHOTO



Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0388a	Lora Rock recipient of 7 <sup>th</sup> scholarship, June 1975.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0389a	Jewel Hutchinson 1 <sup>st</sup> President of Reveille Unit #216, American Legion Auxiliary, 1924.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0390a	Mrs. Elizabeth Burdett National President, American Legion Auxiliary.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0391a	W.H. Jameson Jr. 1893-1932, American Legion #216	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0392a	Mary Ware, President of American Legion #216 Auxiliary, Corona.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0393a	Jewel Hutchinson, elementary school teacher at Home Gardens School.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0394a	Jewel Hutchinson, 1 <sup>st</sup> grade teacher at Home Gardens, Jan. 1958.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0395a	Mrs. Mary Ware, charter member of Reveille Unit #216, died Feb. 18, 1936.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0396a	Maude A. Newstead, Department Historian, 1942-1942.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0397a	Julie Gregory Jr. Past President (left) Lena Steiner, President 1957-1958.	PHOTO
Photograph Drawers	PER-aaa-0398a	Kathy Centijoules, 1974 winner of Jewel Hutchinson Memorial Scholarship	PHOTO