



## Fort Leonard Wood Photograph (SP0030)

**Collection Number:** SP0030

**Collection Title:** Fort Leonard Wood Photograph

**Dates:** 1953

**Creator:** United States Army

**Abstract:** The Fort Leonard Wood Photograph collection consists of an oversize photograph of the members of Company B, 44<sup>th</sup> Armored Infantry Battalion, stationed at Fort Leonard Wood in 1953.

**Collection Size:** 0.5 cubic foot  
(1 oversize photograph)

**Language:** Collection materials are in English.

**Repository:** The State Historical Society of Missouri

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**Historical Note:**

The War Department established Fort Leonard Wood as an army post in December 1940. It was given the designation of Fort Leonard Wood in January 1941. Construction on the post, located in Pulaski County, Missouri, concluded in June 1941. The post initially served as an infantry division training area before transitioning to the training of engineers.

**Arrangement:**

The collection has been arranged in its original order.

**Scope and Content Note:**

The collection consists of an oversize photograph of the members of Company B, 44<sup>th</sup> Armored Infantry Battalion, stationed at Fort Leonard Wood in 1953. The picture consists of the individual portraits of 126 men and they are divided into two platoons.

**Container List:**

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