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Where Military Records Come To Life

What is Fold3?

Fold3 provides convenient access to US military records, including the stories, photos, and personal documents of the men and women who served. Original records at Fold3 help you discover and share stories about these everyday heroes, forgotten soldiers, and the families that supported them. On Fold3, you can combine records found on the site with what you have in your own albums and shoeboxes to create an online memorial for someone who served.

Why Fold3?

The name comes from a traditional military flag folding ceremony in which the third fold is made in honor and remembrance of veterans who served in defense of their country and to maintain peace throughout the world.

What can you find on Fold3?

Here is just a sample of the types of records you will find on Fold3

The American Revolutionary War

THE CIVIL WAR

THE VIETNAM WALL

WAR OF 1812 PENSION APPLICATION FILES

WORLD WAR II COLLECTION

Also available on Fold3

- **Naturalization Records**
- **City Directories**
- **Interactive Census** (1860 & 1930)
- **Native American Records**
- **Historical Photos**
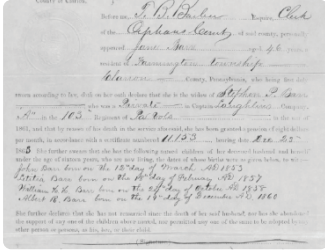- **Homestead Records**

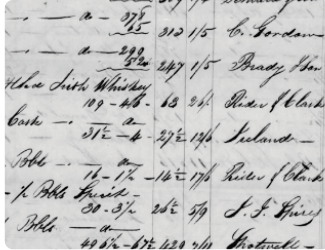# fold3

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What makes Fold3 different?

Fold3 features military documents, records and photos found nowhere else on the web. Fold3 continues to add millions of new military records to the site every month.   Some of the unique records include:
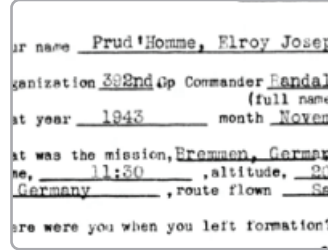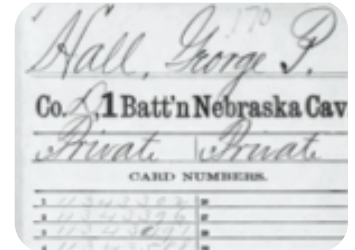
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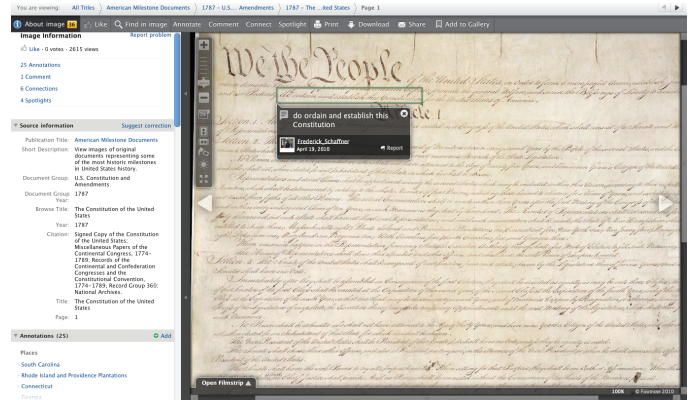
War of 1812 Prize Cases

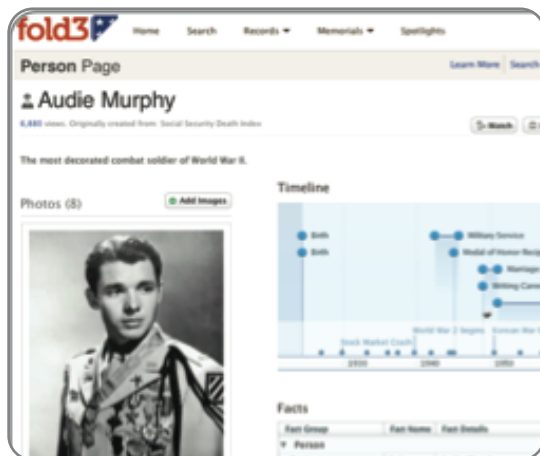WWII Missing Air Crew Reports

Civil War Service Records

PLUS MILLIONS MORE UNIQUE RECORDS ONLY FOUND ON FOLD3

Do More on Fold3

- Annotate records
- Add your comments and insights
- Create your own web pages
- Add your own historical documents and photos.

The Fold3 Image Viewer is the best way to view original records online.

Memorial Pages

Upload your own shoebox of photos and documents to create a Memorial page for your ancestors. Pages feature a timeline, map, photos and stories.

Create for Free!