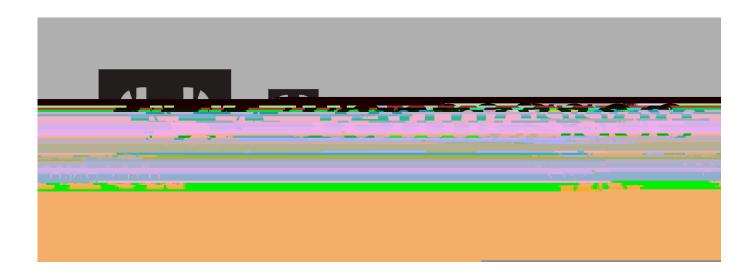
# Gill, Alfred H. papers

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#### **Summary Information**

**Repository:** Tennessee Tech University Special Collections

**Creator:** Gill, Alfred Houston, 1908-2000

**Source:** Gill, Alfred Houston, 1908-2000

**Creator:** United States. Post Office Department.

**Title:** Alfred H. Gill papers

**ID:** RG.0000.0062

**Date [inclusive]:** 1925-1944

**Physical Description:** 1.11 Cubic Feet

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Material:

**English** 

### **Biographical / Historical**

Alfred H. Gill was born in Dekalb County, Tennessee on May 26, 1908 to James Napoleon Gill and Ida Samantha Atnip. Under Tennessee Polytechnic Institute's football coach, Preston "Putty" Overall, Gill played center. He lettered four years in football, including one season that TPI was undefeated.

Gil served in the Army during World War II and when he retired he began a career with the U.S. Postal Service as both a carrier and postmaster in Silver Point, Tennessee. He passed away in Soddy Daisy Tennessee on March 17, 2000.

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## **Scope and Contents**

The Alfred H. Gill papers include numerous team photographs of the TPI football team and reunion photographs. There are four yearbooks, of which there is a letter from "Mary" and the others have a few messages from classmates. There is a photograph from his time at Camp Forrest, Tennessee during World War II and three postmaster declarations signed by Franklin D. Roosevelt.

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#### Physical Description: 4 Volumes

Camp Forrest 181 Artillery Company H, 1941 June 12	box 2	
<u>Date</u> : 1941 June 12		
Physical Description: 1 Volumes		
TPI graduate photograph, 1927	box 2	
<u>Date</u> : 1927		
Physical Description: 1 Photographic Prints		
TPI graduate certificate, 1927 June 3	box 2	
<u>Date</u> : 1927 June 3		
Physical Description: 1 Sheets		
FDR Postmaster Declaration, 1934, 1938, 1944	box 2	
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Date: 1934, 1938, 1944

<u>Physical Description</u>: 3 Sheets