CHARLES WILLIAM ZIEGLER  
(1859 – 1938)

1859  Born August 8 in Mainz, Germany

1869  Family moved to San Francisco

1876  Non-commissioned officer, California National Guard

1882  Married Julia Theresa Donovan
September 17, arrived in Honolulu aboard steamer Suez, to upholster King Kalakaua’s coronation coaches

1887  Sergeant-Major in Honolulu Rifles
March 2, became member of Knights of Pythias

1888  May 11, Second Lieutenant in Hawaiian Volunteers

1889  August 1, Captain in Hawaiian Volunteers

1893  February 9, Captain in National Guard of Hawaii

1898  December 10, Major in National Guard of Hawaii

1902  December 1, Lieutenant-Colonel, National Guard of Hawaii

1907  March 29, Colonel in National Guard of Hawaii

1913  Until 1918, Adjutant-General of National Guard of Hawaii

1934  Fourth District Delegate to Territorial Republican Convention

1938  Died July 3 in Honolulu
Owned and operated Hawaiian Carriage Manufacturing Company for about 22 years until 1918.
Participated in all the major political disturbances from the Constitution forced upon King Kalakaua in 1887 until Annexation in 1898

Box 1-1  Reminiscences of C. W. Ziegler, 1882 – 1934 in Hawaii, August 8, 1935, 11 pages; A toast to C. W. Ziegler celebrating his 50 years in the Knights of Pythias Lodge, n.d.; A brief description of the Battle of Manila Bay,
May 1, 1898; Two issues of The outer Guard, 1929; Letter, October 11, 1898; Newspaper clippings, n.d., 1963

Scrapbook, "Reminiscences of the Old Guard", contains military commissions, photographs and numerous newspaper clippings concerning the political events, from the Constitution forced upon King Kalakaua in 1887, to Annexation in 1898, in which Ziegler was involved as an officer in the National Guard of Hawaii.