

Finding Aid for  
**JAMES BRADY BARTLOW COLLECTION**



Special Collections  
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**COLLECTION SUMMARY**

**Title:** James Brady Bartlow Collection

**Dates:** 1904-07

**ID No.:** FDM 2009.06

**Creator:** James Brady Bartlow (1884-1971)

**Extent:** 1 folder, 6 photographs

**ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

**Provenance:** The photographs originally came from an unidentified estate sale and were offered for sale by a dealer on Ebay. The Museum was able to purchase six out of the nine photographs in the collection.

**Processing Notes:** none.

**Access Restrictions:** unrestricted.

**Use Restrictions:** Permission to publish must be requested from the Fort Douglas Museum.

## COLLECTION OVERVIEW:

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of six photographs taken at Fort Douglas and/or Fort Riley.

**Historical Summary:** James Brady Bartlow was born August 11, 1884 in Carthage, Kentucky, the son of Albert R. and Martha Jane (Moore) Bartlow. On Oct. 8, 1904, at the age of 20, he enlisted in the U.S. Army and was assigned to 22nd Battery Field Artillery stationed at Fort Douglas, Utah. The battery was transferred to Fort Riley, Kansas, departing Fort Douglas on Nov. 11, 1905. Private Bartlow was discharged at Fort Riley two years later on October 7, 1907, having completed his enlistment. After his service, he settled in Cincinnati, Ohio, where he worked as a carpenter. James Bartlow died June 12, 1971 at the age of 87.

## ORGANIZATION OF THE COLLECTION:

Container List

### Folder P-1-3



**FDM 2009.006.01** – Private James B. Bartlow with cannon, on the parade grounds at Fort Douglas, Utah, circa. 1905.



**FDM 2009.006.02** – Battery firing at Strawberry Valley encampment, circa. 1905. No photographer imprint on this example, however, identical versions of this same photograph confirm that it was taken by Salt Lake City photographer Charles W. Carter.



**FDM 2009.006.03** – Marked on reverse: “22 Battery Stables picket line and horses, and two sentry Gabe May an[d] P. Lorie. James Bartlow, 22 Battery L F A [Light Field Artillery], Fort Douglas, Salt Lake City, Utah.” Photograph includes 1886 stables at Fort Douglas, circa. 1905.



**FDM 2009.006.04** – Soldiers in bar. Probably the Post Exchange, at either Fort Douglas or Fort Riley, circa. 1905-07.



**FDM 2009.006.05** – Group of soldiers, presumably 22 Battery Field Artillery, possibly taken near Fort Riley, Kansas, circa. 1906-07.



**FDM 2009.006.06** – Soldiers' encampment, possibly taken near Fort Riley, Kansas, circa. 1906-07.