

Basic Detail Report

Title First Aid Kit

Date 1941-1945

Primary Maker Bryant Tolles Sr.

Medium Cotton, metal, cardboard

Description [First Aid Kit consisting of a khaki cotton bag with snaps on the flap for cover; two long strips of khaki cloth are attached to the bag so it could be tied around a person's waist. The bag (.a) contains various medical supplies, including: (.b) box containing one forty-inch triangular bandage; (.c) bottle of iodine; (.d) box of plain absorbent gauze; (.e and .f) four-inch bandage compresses; (.g) three-inch bandage compresses; (.h) two-inch bandage compresses; (.i) one-inch adhesive compresses; (.j) ammonia inhalants; (.k,.l,.m) wooden tourniquet sticks; (.n) linen sling; (.o) what appears to be red lipstick (?); (.p) pad of identification tags; (.q-.r) two small pencils. Some of the medical supplies are printed with: "Mine Safety Appliance Co. Pittsburgh, Pa."; others are printed with: "Distributed by the American Red Cross".]