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NOTE: CHEMICAL WARFARE EXPERIMENTS, FT SEGARRH, VI, 1950s

A search here uncovered very little information on the nature of the experiments. A Dec 1947 War Dept inventory of overseas installations includes <u>Fort Segarra</u>. It is identified as a harbor defense post, also known as <u>Water Island</u>, at Charlotte Amalie on St. Thomas, Virgin Islands.

Our file of Department of the Army <u>Directories and Station Lists</u> contains entries for a San Jose Project at St. Thomas, V.I., involving the 9775th Chemical Company. The first entry appears in the 1 July 1948 issue; the last, in the 1 September 1950 issue. No other data is given.