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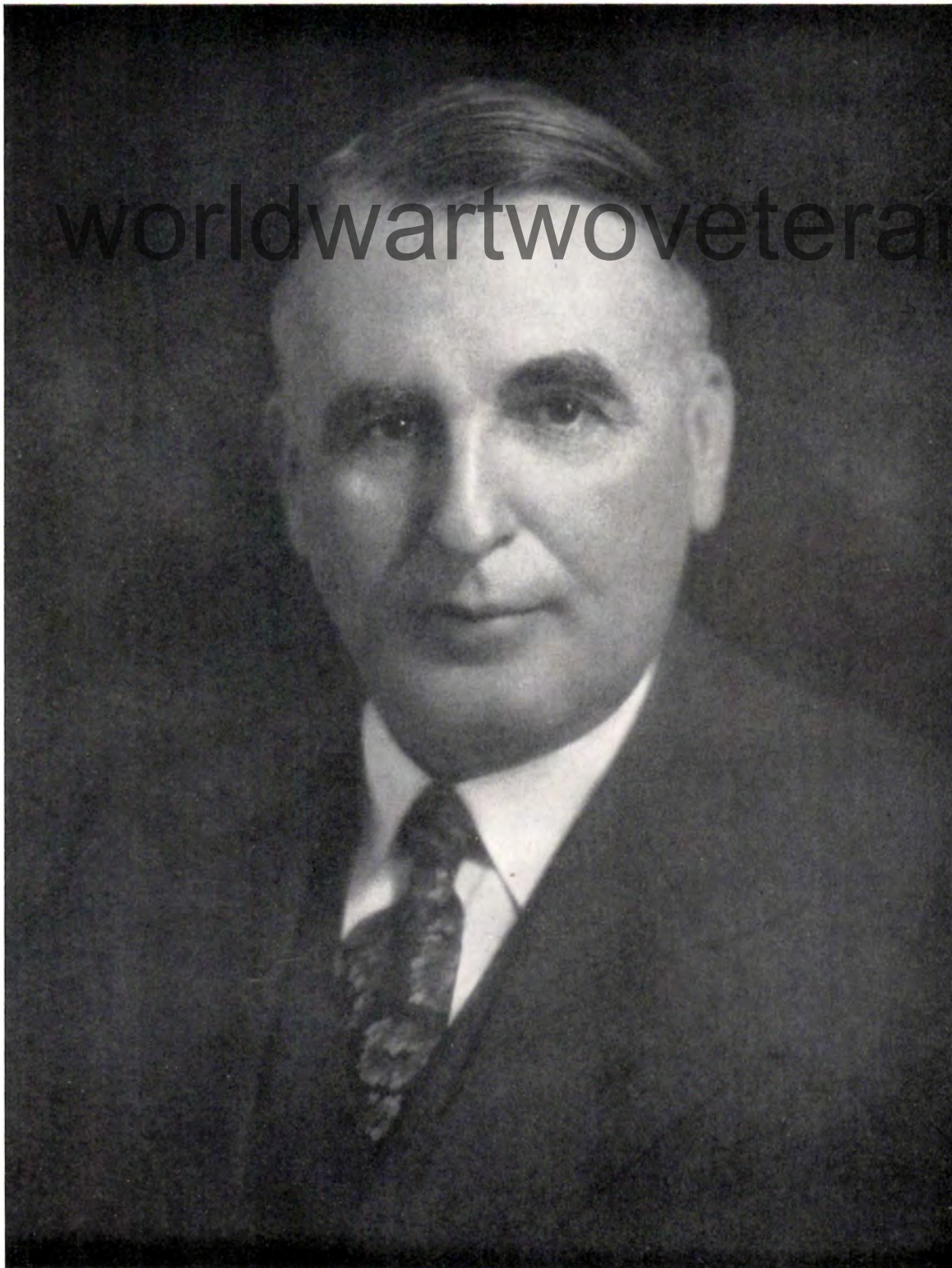
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
JACKSON

A PERSONAL WORD

The members of the National Guard are due a high measure of appreciation from the citizens of Mississippi for the service they have rendered to the State. The feeling of security which the organization inspires has not been marred by any invasion of civil rights such as a large standing army has often threatened in foreign countries. Being citizens themselves, the members of the Mississippi National Guard are anxious to preserve the inalienable rights of citizens of this State. They are called to active service only in an hour of crisis, and they have demonstrated their devotion to duty in such crises many times. I count them as the first line of defense in Mississippi against the forces which imperil law and order and good citizenship.

I am happy to join with the overwhelming majority of Mississippi citizens in praise of members of the National Guard for their efficiency, their high sense of duty, and their "good soldier" qualities. May the morale and good name of the organization continue to hold a high place in our hearts!

Governor



HUGH L. WHITE

Governor of Mississippi

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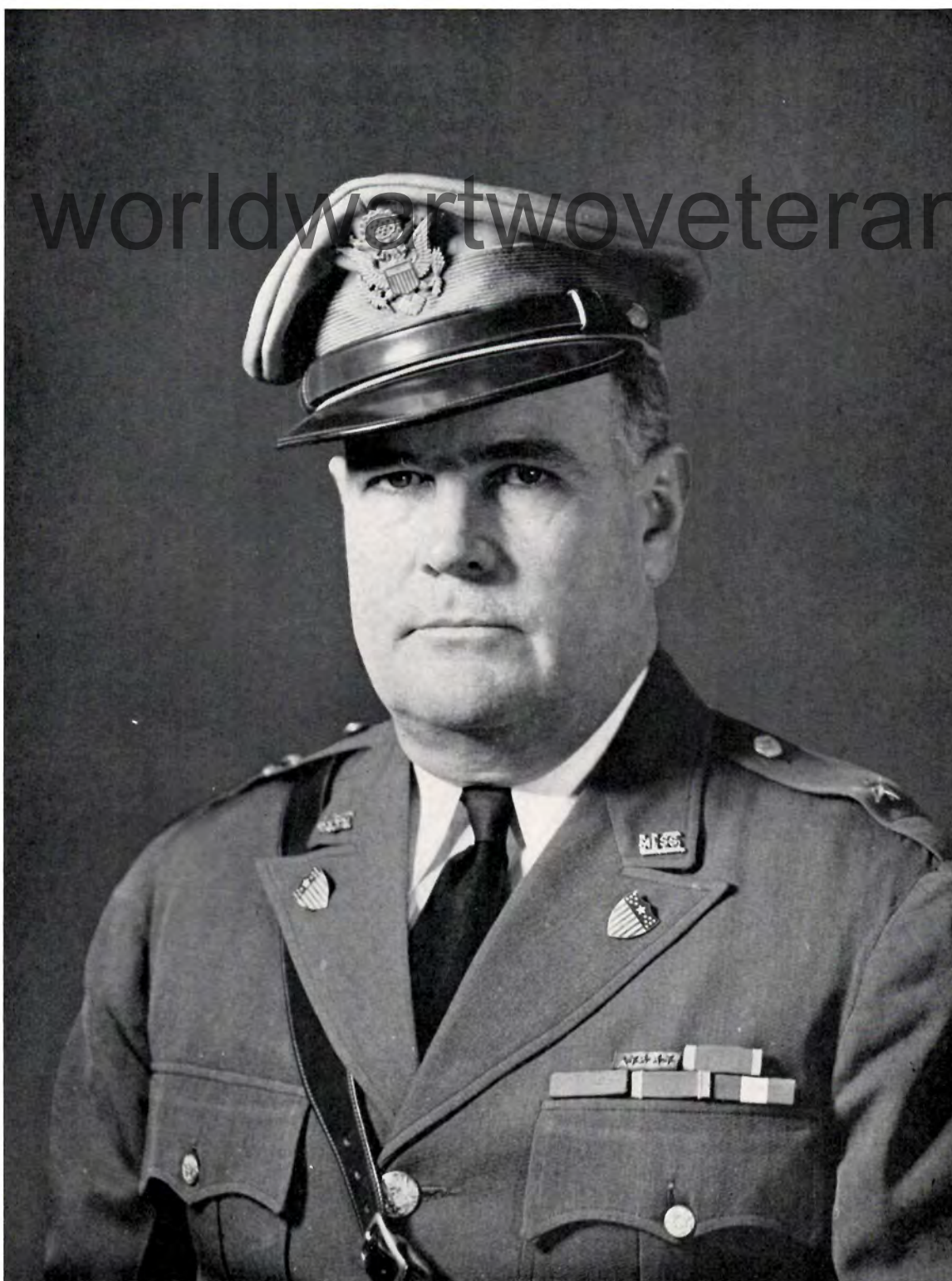
The Mississippi National Guard has reached the greatest degree of efficiency in its history. This was clearly demonstrated by the records of the various units during the Third Army Maneuvers which were held in the state last summer.

Full credit for this development is given by the Headquarters of the Military Department to the loyalty, cooperation and devotion of the fine officers and enlisted men of our National Guard.

My gratitude is extended to all for your devotion to duty, and you have my best wishes for success and happiness.


THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

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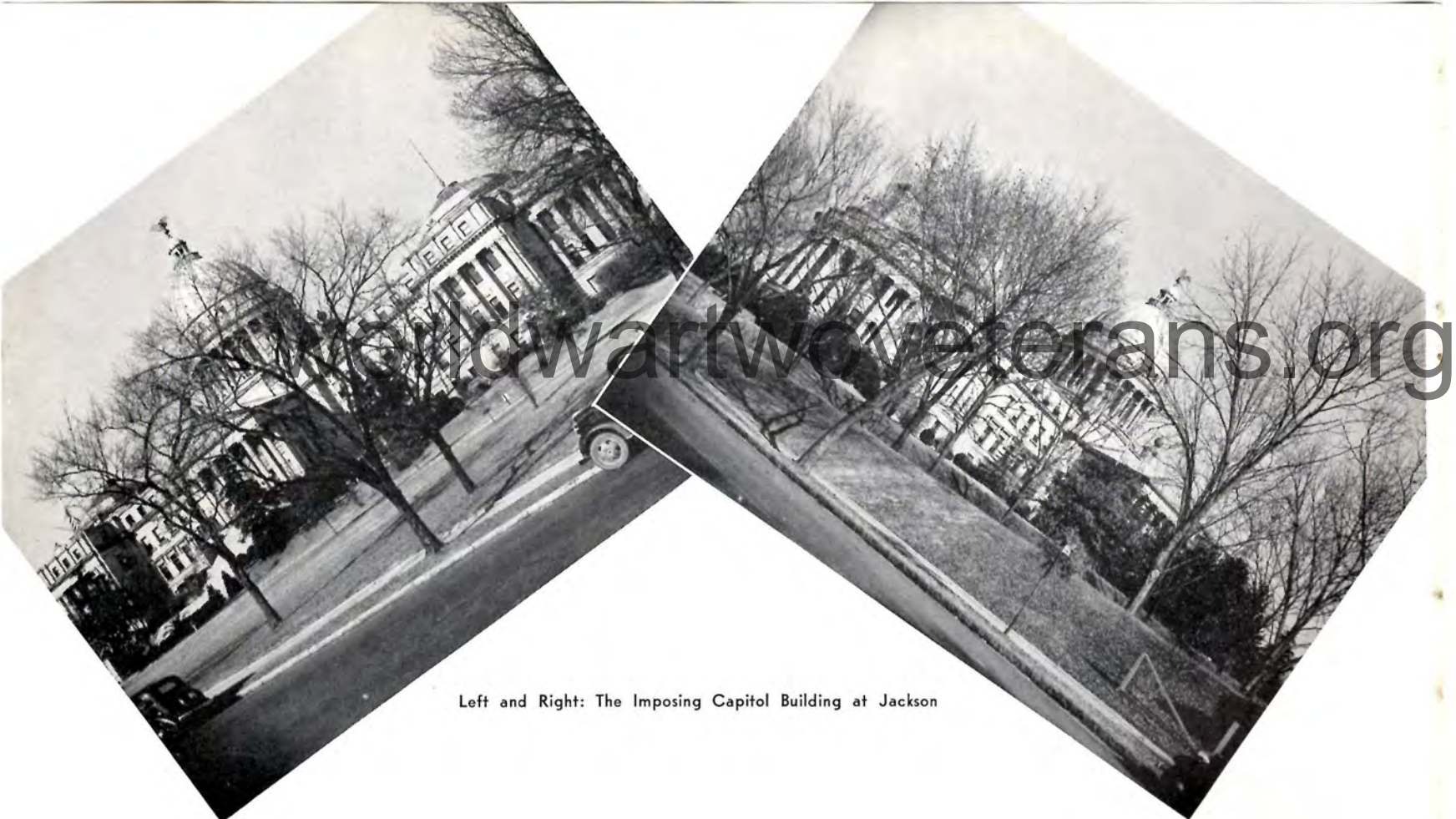


Entered Second Officers' Training Camp, Leon Springs, Texas, August 26, 1917. Commissioned Captain, Field Artillery, November 27, 1917. Commanded Battery of Unassigned Officers, Field Artillery, at Camp Stanley, Texas, from December 10, 1917, until January 10, 1918. Ordered to Camp Jackson, South Carolina, to command Company, First CAP Ammunition Train. Sailed for France from Camp Merritt, May 10, 1918. Front duty with Ammunition Train during Aisne-Marne. Transferred to 88th Aerial Squadron during Aisne-Marne and served with same squadron during St. Mihiel and Meuse Argonne. Ordered October 6, 1918, to Second Aviation Center, Tours, France, for training as Observer. Finished course December 10, 1918, and ordered to 88th Squadron Trier, Germany. Observer with squadron until March 15, 1919. Attended University of Toulouse, Toulouse, France, March 20 to June 30. Returned from overseas, August 17, 1919, and served with 96th Squadron, Fort Bliss, Texas, until discharged at Jackson Barracks, Louisiana, October 28, 1919. Commissioned Captain, Air Corps Reserves, November 6, 1930. Transferred to Field Artillery, Mississippi National Guard, June 12, 1933. Appointed Adjutant General of Mississippi, promoted to Brigadier General, January 22, 1936.

JOHN A. O'KEEFE
BRIGADIER GENERAL

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THE
Adjutant General

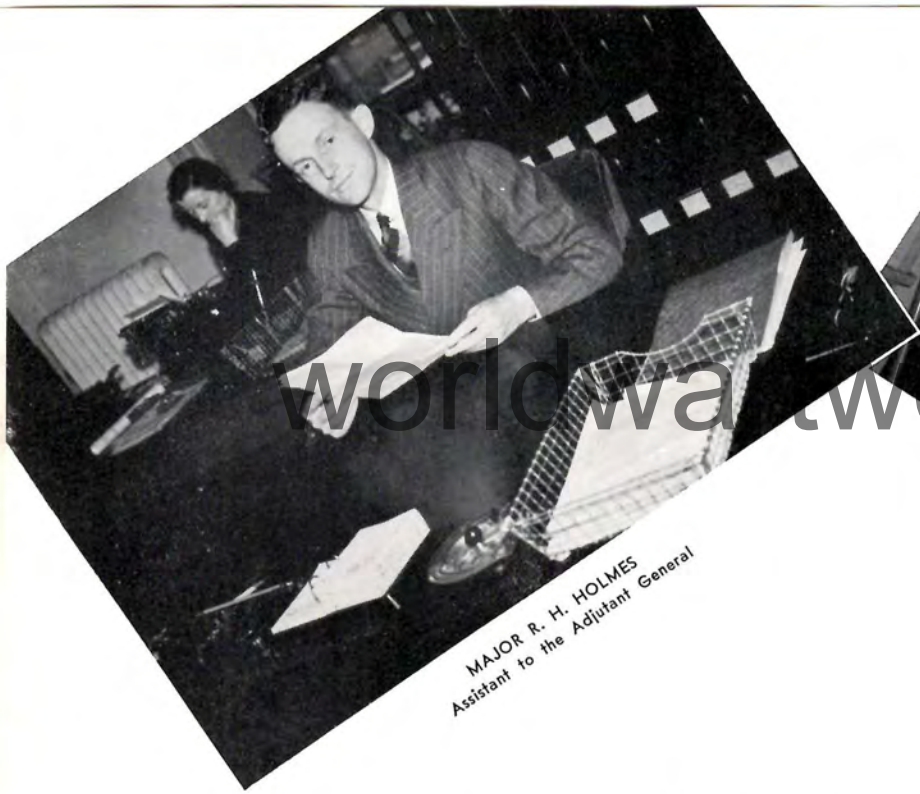


Left and Right: The Imposing Capitol Building at Jackson

STATE CAPITOL
JACKSON, MISS.



Brigadier General John A. O'Keefe, the
Adjutant General, at His Desk



MAJOR R. H. HOLMES
Assistant to the Adjutant General



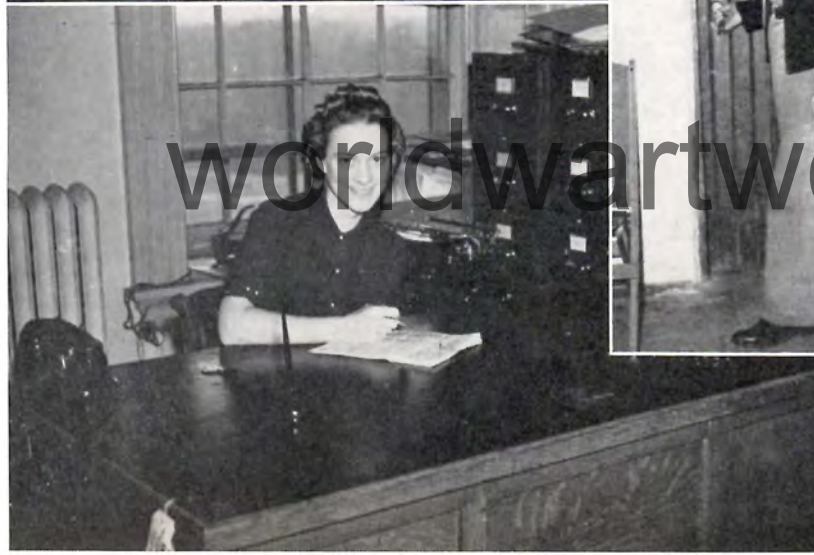
COLONEL BENJAMIN F. McCLELLAN
Assistant Adjutant General

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S AND U. S. P. & D. O.'S OFFICE PERSONNEL

Left to Right: Sergeant Davis and Major
John W. Patton, Jr., U. S. P. & D. O.
Mrs. Fanny Farlow

Insert: Bennet Robinson, Caretaker

Miss Davis and Captain Harry R. Wilson,
Property Division
Miss Nettie Dyer





Air View of Camp Shelby

CAMP SHELBY

Major General Blanding, Brigadier General O'Keefe and Some
Officers of Mississippi National Guard

Located approximately twelve miles south of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, Camp Shelby was named during the World War in honor of the first Governor of Kentucky, Col. Isaac Shelby. Born in Maryland, Colonel Shelby, as a member of the Virginia Militia, distinguished himself at King's Mountain, 1780, and in the South Carolina campaign, 1781. As the first governor of Kentucky, he received the thanks of Congress for the Battle of the Thames, 1813.

Named in his honor, this camp was the training quarters during the World War for the Thirty-eighth Division. More than 36,000 men trained here. It was the healthiest large or divisional camp in the United States, having the lowest death rate of any.

The reservation comprises approximately 5,100 acres of





PRIVATES

ALEXANDER, KENNETH R.	HAMMOND, LESTER E.
ARNOLD, RAYMOND C.	HAWKEY, CLETUS J.
BAYMAN, GEORGE W.	HAWKEY, ORVILLE F.
BINKLEY, ALBERT L.	JONES, CARROLL W.
BURDEN, HENRY B.	KRAUSS, VIRGIL E.
BURDEN, NED G.	LUTTERBECK, MYRON J.
CASE, JOHN R.	MAKLEY, CHARLES W.
DOENGES, NELSON E.	McMURRAY, RICHARD D.
DUNLAP, HAROLD E.	McMURRAY, ROY A.
DUNLAP, LeROY	MONTAGUE, GROVER C.
EDWARDS, WILLIAM D.	RUSSELL, RAYDEAN
GIBBONS, WILSON A.	RUSSELL, STANLEY E.
GINTER, LEONARD C.	SCHAMP, ALBERT L.
GINTER, RAYMOND S.	SHEAKS, ROBERT L.
HAMMOND, ALBERT W.	SMITH, DARRELL W.
HAMMOND, GEORGE F.	THOMAS, CARL B.
	WHITE, CLARENCE J.

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FACTUAL HISTORY

Company "K," 148th Infantry was Federally recognized in September 1907, as Company "K," Second Ohio Infantry, under the command of Capt. Charles Mooney. The Company was called into Federal service for action on the Mexican Border July 5, 1916, and was mustered out of service March 28, 1917.

On June 15, 1917, the Company was recalled to the service for duty overseas. Its designation at that time was Company "B," 147th Infantry, and as such

it saw service at St. Mihiel, Ypres-Lys, Meuse-Argonne and the Alsace-Lorraine offensive. The Company was released from the service in May 1919.

During the next few years the Company underwent numerous changes in its designation. It became Company "K," Second Infantry June 23, 1919; Company "K," Third Infantry August 2, 1920; Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 148th Infantry July 1, 1921, and Company "K," 148th Infantry April 1, 1922.

Company "K" was the first company of the Ohio National Guard to be organized after the World War. Emil F. Marx, the present Adjutant General of Ohio, organized the Company and became its first commanding officer.

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land, the property of the State of Mississippi. The State purchased it in 1935 when Camp Shelby was again established as a training camp.

The camp proper is constructed on rolling ground, well-drained, with a good system of roads. Four of the old warehouses of World War construction, as well as part of the old sewerage system used by the Base Hospital during the war, are still in use. It is a regimental camp, and most of the permanent buildings are of brick construction.

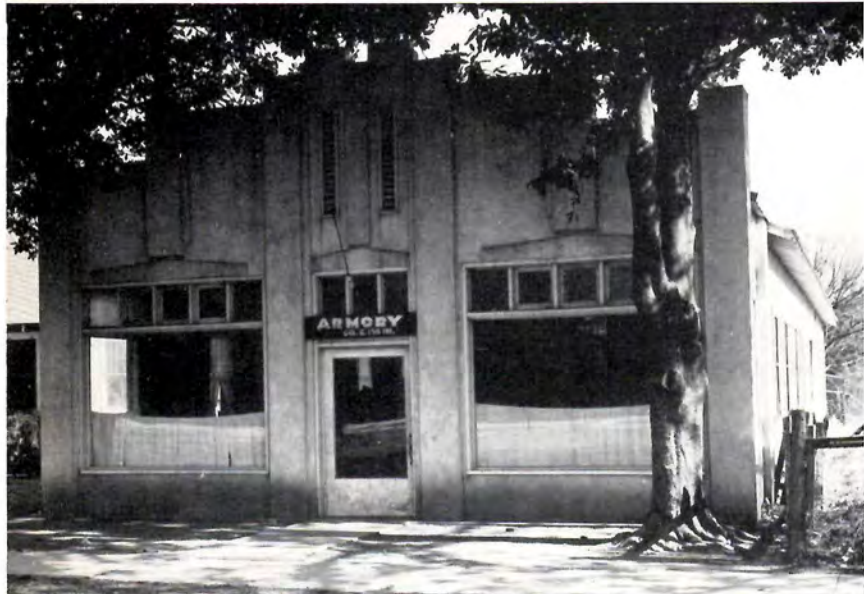
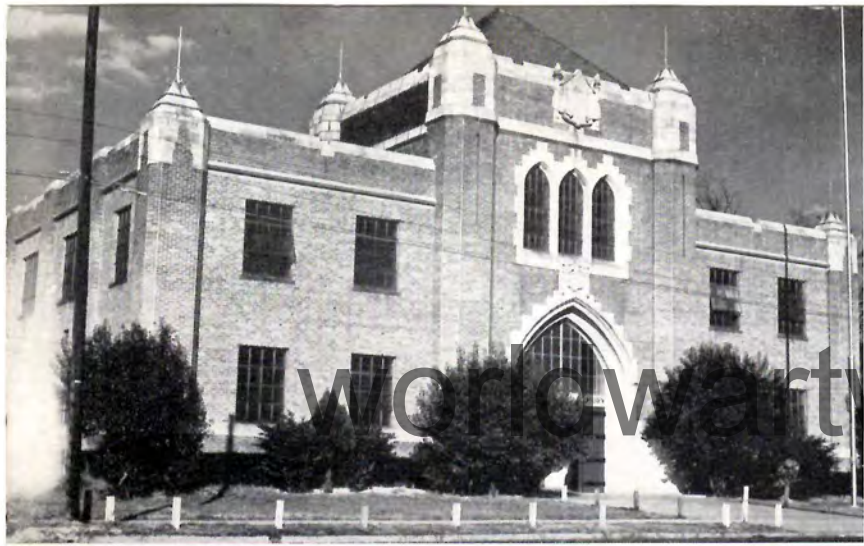
1. Regimental Street Showing Camp Exchange and Tent Floors for Officer Personnel.
2. Dispensary.
3. View of Warehouse Dispensary and Water Tank.
4. Warehouses and Truck Sheds.
5. Headquarters Building.
6. Caretaker's Home.

Ample warehouse facilities are available, as well as ordnance magazines for the storage of ammunition of all kinds. There is an abundance of good water, with a deep well, and water tank and water distribution system.

The regimental layout is complete with the exception of the sixteen mess halls and kitchens, now under construction, and a regimental headquarters building and officers' mess. Concrete tent floors, with underground lighting, add to the convenience of the officers and men. More than 800 trees have been planted since the establishment of the camp in 1935.

The Mississippi National Guard trains at Camp Shelby each year under normal conditions. The varied terrain makes it suitable for training of all branches. It has a splendid artillery range located a few miles from the camp proper on Government owned forestry lands that have been leased.





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Gulfport

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Decatur

Meadville

Ocean Springs





Major General Van Horn Moseley Being Welcomed to Mississippi
by Brigadier General John A. O'Keefe

Views of the
THIRD ARMY
MANEUVERS
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| 1. Killed in Action. | 7. Light Tanks. |
| 2. Captured. | 8. 114th Field Artillery on the road. |
| 3. 83rd Field Artillery Detraining at Ocean Springs. | 9. 83rd Field Artillery detraining at Ocean Springs |
| 4. Infantry Detraining at Biloxi. | 10. 83rd Field Artillery detraining at Ocean Springs. |
| 5. Headquarters, 106th Engineers. | 11. Howitzer Company, 155th Infantry. |
| 6. Pitching Tents. | 12. 155th Infantry crossing Red Creek. |



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VIEWS OF THE THIRD ARMY MANEUVERS

1. Pitching tents.
2. Brown Corps Aviation.
3. Kitchens, 106th Q. M. Regiment.
4. 106th Q. M. Regiment.
5. Brown Corps Aviation.
6. Cavalry Fording Stream.
7. Radio Car.
8. 37 mm. Gun and Trench Mortar.
9. Light Tanks.
10. Headquarters, 106th Engineers.
11. "Seconds."
12. 51st Signal Battalion.



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“The Militia is certainly an object of primary importance, whether viewed in reference to the national security, to the satisfaction of the community or to the preservation of order.”

—GEORGE WASHINGTON.



Personnel

MISSISSIPPI NATIONAL GUARD



JOHN A. O'KEEFE
Brigadier General, The Adjutant General

STATE STAFF

Mississippi National Guard



The State Staff consists of nine officers, including the Adjutant General, the Executive Officer and Assistant Adjutant General, the Inspector General, the Constructing Quartermaster, and the United States Property and Disbursing Officer. The balance of the officers of the State Staff are assigned various duties in connection with property, messing, and matters pertaining to medical care and camp sanitation. In addition to their duties

in their respective branches, the officers of the State Staff are studying the laws and working of the Selective Draft, so as to be able to aid in mobilization in case of a national emergency.

The State Detachment, given Federal recognition May 1, 1928, consisting of eleven enlisted men, is divided into two sections: the Adjutant General's section and the United States Property and Disbursing Officer's section. These sections

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BENJAMIN F. McCLELLAN

Colonel, Infantry, Assistant Adjutant General

June, 1897, Cadet, United States Military Academy. June 11, 1903, appointed Second Lieutenant, Infantry. July 23, 1909, appointed First Lieutenant. July 1, 1916, appointed Captain. August 5, 1918, appointed Major. July 30, 1918, appointed Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry. May 5, 1919, appointed Colonel, Infantry. June, 1930, retired as Colonel, United States Army. April 30, 1928, appointed Major, Infantry, Mississippi National Guard. April, 1932, appointed Colonel, Infantry, Mississippi National Guard.

Served in Twenty-Eighth Infantry in Philippine Islands, Cuba, California, Minnesota, Texas Border; Second Infantry in H. T.; Twenty-Ninth Infantry, Camp Shelby, Mississippi, I. G. D. and General Staff, North Carolina, New York and France.

Service Medals: Distinguished Service Medal, Spanish American War; Philippine Insurrection, Cuban Pacification, Mexican Border, World War with Four Stars, Legion of Honor (France), Order of the Crown (Italy), Mississippi Magnolia Cross, Mississippi Emergency Service Medal, Mississippi Longevity Medal.

BENJAMIN F. McCLELLAN
Colonel, Infantry, Assistant Adjutant General





ALLISON J. HOLIFIELD
Lieutenant Colonel, I. G. D.



HENRY J. DOLTON
Lieutenant Colonel, Q. M. C.



JASPER T. DUGGAN
Major, Infantry

HENRY J. DOLTON
Lieutenant Colonel, Q. M. C.

June 8, 1918, enlisted, United States Marine Corps. Private and corporal, until August 15, 1919. January 20, 1925, enlisted in Service Company, 155th Infantry. January 20, 1925, appointed sergeant. Honorably discharged, February 8, 1925. February 9, 1925, appointed Second Lieutenant, Infantry; assigned to Service Company, 155th Infantry. August 3, 1927, appointed First Lieutenant, Infantry. August 3, 1930, promoted to Captain, Infantry; assigned to State Staff, Mississippi National Guard. June 14, 1932, to March 1, 1936, served as United States Property and Disbursing Officer for Mississippi. July 1, 1932, promoted to Major, Quartermaster Corps; assigned to State Staff. July 21, 1933, promoted to Lieutenant Colonel, Quartermaster Corps, State Staff. Mobilization assignment, assistant to the Assistant Chief of Staff G-4, Headquarters Fourth Corps Area.

JASPER T. DUGGAN
Major, Infantry

Helped organize Company "L," Second Mississippi Infantry. July, 1917, appointed sergeant. Unit redesignated Company "B," 140th Machine Gun Battalion, November, 1917. He was graduated as Machine Gun Instructor, Division Machine Gun School, June, 1918. Graduated as Machine Gun Instructor, First Army Corps School, France, September, 1918. Appointed Sergeant (First Class), Engineer Corps, M. T. C., July 30, 1919. Assisted in organization of Service Company, 155th Infantry, 1921. Appointed First Lieutenant upon organization. Appointed Captain, Infantry, 1923, commanding Service Company. Commanded area around Yazoo City during flood of 1927. Established refugee camp which handled 15,000 refugees during 40-day period. Appointed Major, Infantry, 1928. Assigned to command First Battalion, 155th Infantry. Transferred to State Staff, 1929.

JOHN W. PATTON, JR.
Major, F. D., U. S. P. and D. O.

June 29, 1918, appointed Midshipman, United States Naval Academy. June 2, 1922, graduated from United States Naval Academy. June 2, 1922, resigned from United States Navy. October 24, 1924, commissioned Second Lieutenant, Company "C," 155th Infantry. August 2, 1928, promoted to First Lieutenant, Company "C," 155th Infantry. August 5, 1929, promoted to Captain, Company "C," 155th Infantry. July 13, 1932, transferred to State Staff. September 13, 1932, promoted to Major, Infantry, State Staff. February 10, 1936, transferred to Finance Department. February 10, 1936, appointed U. S. P. & D. O.

HUGH L. McCALIP
Major, M. C.

First Lieutenant, Medical Corps, Base Hospital, Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, September 5, 1917, to March 10, 1918. Evacuation Hospital No. 22, Camp Greenleaf, Georgia, March 16, 1918, to May 23, 1918. Base Hospital No. 3, American Expeditionary Force (Savenay, France), June 25, 1918, to January 25, 1919. Base Hospital No. 69, A. E. F. (Savenay, France), January 26, 1919, to June 15, 1919. Discharged at Camp Dix, New Jersey, on July 10, 1919. Captain, Medical Corps, State Staff, Mississippi National Guard, June 19, 1926, to September 21, 1933. Major, Medical Corps, State Staff, Mississippi National Guard, September 21, 1933, to date.

JOSEPH E. MILLER
Captain, Q. M. C.

March 10, 1913, enlisted Company "C," Second Mississippi Infantry. August 1, 1915, commissioned Second Lieutenant. May 1, 1916, resigned. May 9, 1917, enlisted Company "H," First Provisional Regiment. July 28, 1917, honorably discharged. March 3, 1918, enlisted Company "A," 47th Engineers. Served overseas in England, France, and Germany. February, 1919, transferred to 41st Transportation Company, Q. M. C. August, 1919, honorably discharged. May 14, 1924, enlisted Company "A," 106th Engineers, Mississippi National Guard. May 1, 1925, transferred to Headquarters, First Battalion, as First Lieutenant. September 27, 1929, transferred to State Staff as Captain, Q. M. C.

HARRY R. WILSON
Captain, Ordnance Department

First Lieutenant, Ordnance Section, Officers Reserve Corps, July 16, 1917. Accepted, August 15, 1917. Active Duty, January 22, 1918. Appointed Captain, Ordnance Department, United States Army, September 27, 1918; accepted, October 17, 1918. Honorably discharged, November 30, 1920. Private, Wagoner, Corporal, and Sergeant, Troop C, 12th Cavalry, April 25, 1901, to March 22, 1906; Private, Corporal, and Ordnance Sergeant, Troop L and Non-Commission Staff, Sixth Cavalry, Post Non-Commission Staff, Ordnance Detachment and Coast Artillery and Ordnance Supply School, May 25, 1907, to January 18, 1918. Technical Sergeant, Ordnance Department, December 1, 1920, to December 28, 1920. Warrant Officer, U. S. Army, December 29, 1920. Retired, October 31, 1932. Captain, retired, October 31, 1932. Appointed Captain, Ordnance Department, State Staff, Mississippi National Guard, June 25, 1933.

JOHN W. PATTON, JR.
Major, FD, U. S. P. & D. O.

HUGH L. McCALIP
Major, M. C.

JOSEPH E. MILLER
Captain, Q. M. C.

HARRY R. WILSON
Captain, Ordnance Department





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State DETACHMENT

- NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS
- | | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| Master Sergeant | ROBERT L. TILL |
| Technical Sergeant | GEORGE H. DAVIS |
| Technical Sergeant | CHARLES E. SIMS |
| Staff Sergeant | WILLIAM G. PATRICK |
| Staff Sergeant | JAMES B. PIERCE |
| Staff Sergeant | GEORGE M. POWELL |
- SERGEANTS
- | | |
|------------------|----------------------|
| O'STEEN, JOHN L. | STURDIVANT, EDWIN C. |
| WALL, SISNEY M. | |
- PRIVATES FIRST CLASS
- | | |
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| WELLS, BENTON G. | WRIGHT, THOMAS L., JR. |
|------------------|------------------------|
- PRIVATE
- | | |
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| HUMPHREYS, EDWIN C., JR. | |
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are composed entirely of highly technical men, who function as finance clerks, stenographers, typists, communication men, and chauffeurs. During field training and on all field duty, these two sections are used to maintain and operate the office of the Adjutant General and the office of the United States Property and Disbursing Officer. Through them, matters of administration, property, and finance are handled.

In a time of national emergency, the State Staff, assisted by the State Detachment, would be

charged with the recruiting in Mississippi for the Army of the United States, which includes the National Guard of the State, up to war strength and helping to mobilize them in concentration camps. They would also be charged with the supervision, administration, and operation of the selective service laws.

All the officers in the State Staff have had many years service in the National Guard and are well equipped to perform their respective duties.



LOUIS J. WISE
Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry (G-2)



WILLIAM S. SHIPMAN
Major, Infantry (Assistant G-3)



REUEL MAY
Major, D. C.



HORACE G. TOWELL
First Lieut., AGD (Post. Sec.)

Headquarters THIRTY-FIRST DIVISION

(MISSISSIPPI ALLOTMENT)



The 31st Division is composed of troops from the States of Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, and Louisiana, with its Headquarters being divided among these States. The allotment to Mississippi consists of:

Ordnance Officer—Lieutenant Colonel Lucien S. Sanders, Infantry, Kosciusko.

G-2—Lieutenant Colonel Louis J. Wise, Infantry, Yazoo City.

Assistant G-3—Major William S. Shipman, Infantry, Jackson.

Dental Surgeon—Major Reuel May, D. C.

Judge Advocate Sec.—Captain Walter W. Capers, J. A. G. D., Jackson.

Post Sec.—First Lieutenant Horace G. Towell, A. G. D., Gulfport.



ALLEN R. PEEPLES
Major, Executive Officer

Sixty-First
INFANTRY BRIGADE
HEADQUARTERS AND
HEADQUARTERS COMPANY



With 171 men being trained in its ranks since its Federal recognition on December 12, 1924, as Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 155th Infantry, this unit has served continuously under Captain Talmage B. Tubb, who as a Lieutenant organized it in November, 1924. The unit was redesignated as Headquarters Company, Sixty-First Brigade, on February 26, 1925.

The personnel includes four graduates of the Enlisted Men's Communication Class, Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, while thirteen have the four-year longevity

medals. Thirteen non-commissioned officers have an average enlistment of eight and one-sixth years.

Second Lieutenant Ira B. McCullen, who served until January 1, 1930, and assisted in the organization of the Company, was succeeded by Second Lieutenant Keith I. Allen. Sergeant Connie G. Gideon has been a member of the Company since its organization.

The Company served on storm duty at Tupelo from April 6 to April 30, 1936. It has received special commendations in thirteen of fourteen annual armory inspection reports.

JOHN P. GATES, JR.
Captain (S-1)



TALMAGE B. TUBB
Captain, Headquarters Company



CONWELL S. SYKES
First Lieutenant, Aide



KEITH I. ALLEN
Second Lieut., Headquarters Company





COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain TALMAGE B. TUBB
Second Lieutenant KEITH I. ALLEN

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant WILTON A. BONDS
Master Sergeant WILLIAM R. McCULLEN
First Sergeant CECIL R. WALDEN

SERGEANTS

GIDEON, CONNIE G. HODGES, FALKE T.
TUBB, JAMES M.

CORPORALS

ALLEN, ROBERT H. HODGES, FLOYD H.
FORBUS, CECIL A. STREETY, JOHN T.
FORBUS, WILLIAM C. SULLIVAN, JOHN, JR.
WEST, DOCK M.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CHISM, BENNY C. JERNIGAN, WILLIAM C.
DAVIDSON, JIM A. RITTER, FRED H.
FUQUA, JACK G. TONEY, CHRIS J.
FUQUA, WALTER W. TUBB, WILLIAM L.
GILMORE, ELLIE, JR. WILLIAMS, DAVID N.
HILL, ROBERT H. WILLIAMS, LOMAN W.

PRIVATES

BROWN, ERA M. HESTER, CURTIS P.
CARTER, THOMAS E. MCWHIRTER, TED T.
CLOY, RAY J. MONTGOMERY, FRED R.
GRISHAM, WILLIAM H. PARKER, ROY P.
PARHAM, RILEY F. TUBB, JAMES M.

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Bonds, J. Sullivan, C. A. Forbus.
SECOND ROW: F. H. Ritter, B. C. Chism, E. J. Gilmore, R. F.
Parham, D. M. West, W. C. Forbus, J. T. Streety, R. P. Parker,
T. E. Carter, T. T. McWhirter, C. P. Hester.
THIRD ROW: W. C. Jernigan, W. H. Grisham, D. N. Wil-
liams, J. A. Davidson, F. R. Montgomery, L. W. Williams, W.
W. Fuqua, W. L. Tubb, Jr., R. J. Cloy, R. H. Hill, E. M. Brown,
C. J. Toney, J. G. Fuqua.



Headquarters

COMPANY

AMORY, MISSISSIPPI

SIXTY-FIRST INFANTRY BRIGADE

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

SIXTY-FIRST INFANTRY
BRIGADE

AMORY, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.

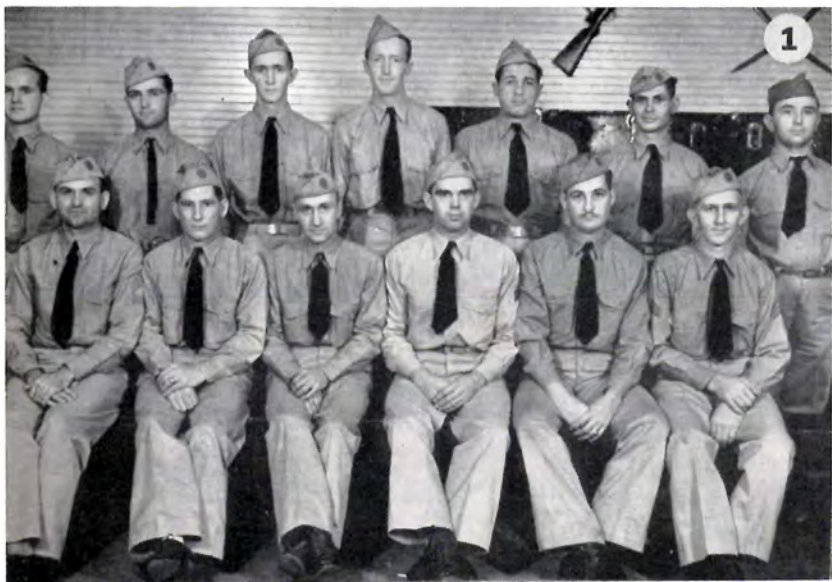
2. Transportation Section.

3. Message Center.

4. Company Headquarters.

5. Intelligence Section.

6. Radio Section.



ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH

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Now older than the State of Mississippi and seventh oldest infantry regiment in the United States, the First Mississippi Regiment was handed its first commission, through Daniel Clark as Colonel, on June 1, 1799, by Winthrop Sargent, territorial governor of Mississippi.

It was there in preserving order and establishing stable government when the Magnolia State came into the Union.

Having a memorable part in six wars, the Regimental Color streamers speak eloquently and heroically of more than one hundred years of service during the Indian Wars, War of 1812 with Battle of New Orleans, Mexican War, Civil War, Spanish-American War, and World War.

Under act of Congress, May 13, 1846, one regiment was authorized for each state, to participate in the Mexican Campaign. Mississippi soon saw her unit duly organized with Jefferson Davis in command. He resigned his seat in Congress and joined the regiment in service for the Mexican War. He insisted that the regiment be equipped with rifles. Before reaching Mexico, the old Whitney rifles were issued to his men. From then on the regiment was famous as "The Mississippi Rifles." Memorable was their charge on Monterey where its gallant McClung was wounded.

At Buena Vista, February 22, 1847, Mexicans outnumbered the Americans five to one. American troops were fleeing or falling back in defeat. General Taylor in that dark moment ordered up Jefferson Davis with his First Mississippi. Marching quickly into the assault, Davis gave but one order: "Stand fast, Mississippians." History was made that day. Other regiments quickly formed with the First Mississippi and drove the Mexicans from the field.

"Stand fast" are the words emblazoned today on the regimental shield.

In the Civil War, battle service was seen in heated engagements in Kentucky, Tennessee and other points.

In the Spanish-American War, the regiment was in training at Chickamauga, awaiting orders for action.

In the World War, training was at Camp Beauregard and overseas to Brest.

It was the occasion of the World War that brought an additional name to the regiment. The First Mississippi Regiment in addition to its original designation was named 155th Infantry in the Federalized National Guard on September 27, 1917.

Col. Geo. C. Hoskins, the first commander of the newly-named "155th Infantry" was ordered to Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty, and Maj. Geo. E. Hogaboom was placed in command. On August 3, 1918, the regiment entrained for overseas and was landed at Brest, France. The regiment did not see action as an organization, but its personnel were transferred to other units and many of its members were in combat before the Armistice. Colonel Hogaboom was transferred to the A. E. F., North Russia, Assistant Chief of Staff G-1. The skeleton organization of the 155th Infantry returned to the United States September, 1919.

Following the World War, several years of inactivity followed. In 1920, the First Mississippi Infantry reorganized and on December 14, 1921, the regiment was again given the Federal designation 155th Infantry. From 1923 to present date, Col. George E. Hogaboom has been the regimental commander and has seen his regiment grow these late years into its present excellent state of efficiency.

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GEORGE E. HOGABOOM

Colonel

Commanding One Hundred and Fifty-Fifth Infantry

Private in Spanish-American War, 1898. Reenlisted in the Mississippi National Guard, 1899, and commissioned a Second Lieutenant, 1903. 1904, commissioned First Lieutenant and Captain. 1909, commissioned Major. 1916-1917, commanded a Battalion of Infantry on Mexican Border. 1918, joined American Expeditionary Forces in France, commanding a Battalion of Infantry. 1919, served as Assistant Chief of Staff, G. I., in A. E. F. in European Russia. He was present in two engagements between the allied forces and the Bolsheviks in the Archangle Area and was decorated with the Order of Saint Stanislaud by the Russian Anti-Bolshevik Government. Recommended for promotion to Lieutenant Colonel by Gen. Wilds P. Richardson, then commanding the American Contingency of the Allied Expedition. 1923, commissioned Colonel, assigned to command of the 155th Infantry, which grade and assignment he still holds. He is a graduate of the Command General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, 1924, and Army War College, Washington, D. C., 1925.

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GEORGE H. SNYDER
Lieutenant Colonel, Executive Officer



ALLAN McCLUER
Major (S-3)



WEBB BRAME
Major, Chaplain



EDGAR RUSHING
Captain (S-4)

STAFF AND REGIMENTAL UNIT OFFICERS

One Hundred Fifty-Fifth Infantry



WILLIAM J. VOLLOR, JR.
Captain (S-1)



EUGENE A. WINK
Captain (Asst. S-3)



LOUIS A. CARY
Captain, Service Company



BENJAMIN F. SNEAD
Captain, Howitzer Company



ROBERT A. FOARD
First Lieut., Service Company

CHARLES E. MIDDLETON
First Lieut., Service Company

JOHN H. STOWERS
First Lieut., Howitzer Company

BART W. LAHATTE
Second Lieut., Headquarters Company

WILLIAM A. HESTER
Second Lieut., Service Company

CHARLES G. BURKE
Second Lieut., Howitzer Company





ROBERT W. SMITH
Captain, M. C.



WALTER E. JOHNSTON
First Lieutenant, M. C.



THOMAS PURSER, JR.
First Lieutenant, M. C.



ROBERT E. L. STUART
First Lieutenant, D. C.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
3. Thomas Leg Splint.

2. Litter Carry.
4. Artificial Respiration.



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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Major LAWRENCE W. LONG (M.C.)
Captain ROBERT W. SMITH (M.C.)
First Lieutenant WALTER E. JOHNSTON (M.C.)
First Lieutenant THOMAS PURSER, JR. (M.C.)
First Lieutenant ROBERT E. L. STUART (D.C.)

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant NICKOLA BERBIGLIA

SERGEANTS

BARRETT, CECIL T. HENRY, ARTHUR B.
HOLLIDAY, CHARLES D.

CORPORAL

BINGHAM, GENE L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

COKER, PAUL H. MANNING, P. M.
FORD, BOBBIE B. NELSON, JAMES E.
LANCASTER, HILTON A. WILLIAMS, STEVE D.

PRIVATES

BILLINGSLEY, WM. D. PEYTON, JOHN L.
COOPER, GEORGE E. PROUTY, AUSTIN S.
COOPER, LESTER L. WARE, WOODROW W.
GARNER, UREE R. WILLIAMSON, WM. D.
KRON, WILEY H. WILLIAMSON, JACK L.
LEONARD, WALDRON E. WILTSHIRE, LLOYD J.
MARSH, E. K., JR. YOUNG, WILLIAM T.
NORSWORTHY, T. N. MACMILLAN, THOS. R.
MORROW, CLAUDE A. HOLLEMAN, J. H.

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FIRST ROW: N. Berbiglia, A. B. Henry, C. T. Barrett, C. D. Holliday, T. R. MacMillan, W. E. Leonard, A. S. Prouty, W. T. Young, T. N. Norsworthy.

SECOND ROW: J. H. Holleman, J. L. Peyton, H. Lancaster, P. Coker, J. Nelson, B. B. Ford, W. D. Williamson, L. Cooper, W. H. Kron.



Medical Department

DETACHMENT

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

FACTUAL HISTORY

The Medical Department Detachment, 155th Infantry, was first organized at Ackerman, May 21, 1921. Mustered out October 6, 1924, and reorganized at Cleveland, No.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



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FIRST ROW: L. Wells, E. N. Kemper, M. Seidell, I. Tallant, W. R. Woodrick, D. Arnold, D. Buckley.
SECOND ROW: F. Lane, I. Middleton, H. R. Anderson, D. Feder, R. T. Platzter, R. Corneil, C. Amborn, A. Auter.
THIRD ROW: W. H. Browne, A. J. Rogers, B. P. Cooper, H. Bryant, J. D. Melsheimer, G. T. Booth, C. Green, C. Conrad.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Regimental Headquarters Company, in existence under different designations since 1812, is one of the oldest companies in the Army.
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Headquarters
COMPANY
VICKSBURG, MISS.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain CLARENCE H. MACKEY
Second Lieutenant BART W. LAHATTE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant LOUIS M. TRICON
Technical Sergeant DONALD W. PRICE
First Sergeant GERALD MELSHEIMER

SERGEANTS

AMBORN, CHARLES L. KEMPER, EDWARD N.
BOOTH, GEORGE T. WELLS, LEE ROY, SR.
BUCKLEY, DAVID E. WOODRICK, WILLIE R.

CORPORALS

AMMON, GEO. F., JR. GREEN, BENTON H.
EMRICK, DAN GRIGSBY, T. R., JR.
GARVIN, JAMES J. SIEDELL, MILTON J.
TALLANT, IRBY C.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

ARNOLD, DELAROACHE FINCH, JOHN L.
AUTER, ALBERT H. GARVEY, FRANK K.
BOOTH, JOSEPH L. LAZARUS, BRUCE C.
BROWNE, WILLIAM H. LANE, FRANK W.
BRYANT, HUGH L. MELSHEIMER, JULIUS D.
CORNEIL, R. F., JR. MIDDLETON, IKE B.
DAVIS, AUBREY W. TURNER, AMEAIL T.

PRIVATES

ABLE, HENRY W. GREEN, CHARLES E.
ANDERSON, H. R. GIBSON, EDGAR L.
BATTALIO, VINCENT J. HANKS, JAMES R.
CAMPBELL, HERBERT F. LANE, THOMAS H.
CONRAD, CECIL J. MCDANIEL, MADDEN T.
COOPER, BYRON P. MCGEE, EUGENE A.
CURTIS, MELVIN F. MCNEMAR, WILLIAM J.
EPPERSON, WILLIAM A. MELSHEIMER, A. H.
FARRIOR, EDWARD V. MILLER, ROBERT W.
FEATHERSTON, J. S. MILLER, WILLIE V.
FEDER, DANIEL NELSON, GORDON H.
FLANAGAN, ROY P. PARKERSON, GERVIS A.
FORD, FARRELL H. PLATZER, ROBERT P.
GARNER, ROBT. T., JR. WHATLEY, ELMERT T.
GARNER, WILLIS A. ROGERS, AMEN J.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

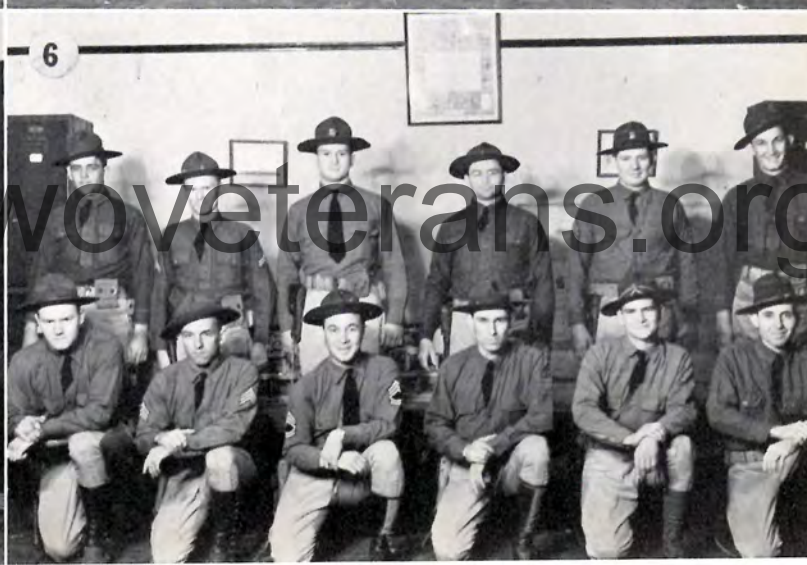
1. Close Order Drill.
2. Intelligence Section.
3. Wire Section.
4. Message Center.
5. Radio Section.
6. Non-Commissioned Officers.

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

ONE HUNDRED
AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI

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SECOND ROW: R. L. Ellzey, J. H. Reeves, J. W. Ellzey, W. D. Bridges, A. B. Rowland, H. Applebaum, W. Milner, F. H. Webb, H. F. Williamson, H. Applebaum, W. G. Davis.

THIRD ROW: N. Joseph, Jr., J. H. Sconyers, E. Chapman, Jr., P. Milner, E. A. Jones, B. M. Brooks, H. D. White, J. A. Kinard, S. Miller, R. B. Rogers, N. E. Robinett.



Service

COMPANY

(LESS BAND SECTION)

YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain LOUIS A. CARY
First Lieutenant ROBERT A. FOARD
First Lieutenant CHARLES E. MIDDLETON
Second Lieutenant WILLIAM A. HESTER

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant HARRY APPLEBAUM
Master Sergeant GUTHRIE H. HOOD
Master Sergeant VERNON R. NETHERLAND
First Sergeant JOHN CARLEY
Staff Sergeant ROBERT C. WILLIAMS

SERGEANTS

CARLEY, ELMER JENNE, EDWARD S.
CLARK, WILBUR C. KINARD, WILLIAM C.
MILLER, WILLIAM E.

CORPORALS

DAVIS, HENRY T. LAMMONS, EMMETTE E.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BROOKS, BARNETTE M. MILLER, JAMES P.
CHAPMAN, EARL, JR. POWELL, JOHN R.
CORLEY, GROVER C. REEVES, JEREMIAH M.
WILLIAMSON, HAROLD F.

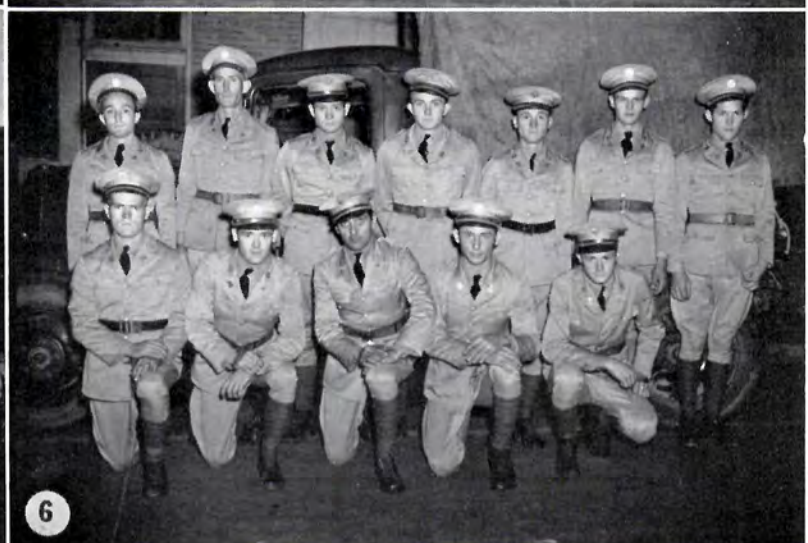
PRIVATES

APPLEBAUM, HARRY, JR. MILNER, PATE
BRIDGES, WILLIAM D. MILNER, WILLIE M.
DAVIS, WALTER G. POWELL, WILEY T., JR.
ELLZEY, JOHN W. ROGERS, ROBERT B.
ELLZEY, ROBERT L. ROWLAND, ALFRED B.
DESKIN, JAMES N. ROBINETT, NATHAN E.
HAMMONS, W. D. SCONYERS, JAMES H.
JONES, EMMETT A. TURNAGE, JAMES G.
JOSEPH, NICHOLAS A., JR. WEBB, FRANK H.
KINARD, JOHN A. WELCH, LEONARD J.
MILLER, RICHARD WHITE, HARRELL D.
YOUNT, AUBERY L.

FACTUAL HISTORY

The Service Company, 155th Infantry, was organized in September, 1921, and was Federally recognized on September 12, 1921, with Louis J. Wise as Captain; Jasper T. Duggan as First Lieutenant and Robert A. Foard as Second

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SERVICE COMPANY, YAZOO CITY, MISSISSIPPI; BAND SECTION OF
THE SERVICE COMPANY, CLINTON, MISSISSIPPI, 155TH INFANTRY

(1) Staff Section. (2) First Aid. Insert: William Shurly, Technical Sergeant, 31st Division. (3) Supply Section. (4) Non-Commissioned Officers, Band Section. (5) Non-Commissioned Officers, Service Company. (6) Drivers. (7) Brass Section. (8) Formal Group. (9) Reed Section.





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FIRST ROW: O. Williams, Jr., Wm. D. Lofton, Jr., O. D. Dabbs, Jr., G. M. Stout, J. R. Mullens, H. E. Walter, E. J. Mullens, Jr.

SECOND ROW: H. Dabbs, A. J. Price, Jr., R. D. Marble, F. W. Crispin, R. Turner, G. D. Purvis, G. C. Hodge, Jr., F. W. Clark.

THIRD ROW: O. P. Amacker, T. Amacker, A. C. Griffin, J. R. Bassett, T. C. Clark, Jr., A. A. Nelson, J. H. Fairchild, Jr., M. R. Walden, L. R. Bush.



GEORGE H. MACKIE
First Lieutenant and Warrant Officer

Band Section of the
SERVICE COMPANY

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICER

First Lieutenant GEORGE H. MACKIE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Technical Sergeant THAD M. AMACKER
Staff Sergeant LUCIEN C. PROBY, JR.

SERGEANTS

CLARK, TEUNISON C., JR. MARTIN, GUYON W.
ENGLAND, OSCAR L., JR. WOOD, ROSS A.

CORPORALS

DOUGLAS, CHAS. H., JR. FAIRCHILD, J. H., JR.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CLARK, FREDERICK W. MULLENS, JOHN R.
DABBS, OSMOND D. MULLEN, EVRETTE J., JR.
GRIFFIN, ANSLEM C. PARKER, THOMAS J.
WALDEN, MARION R.

PRIVATES

AMACKER, OBIE P. JONES, MACK E., JR.
BARNHILL, JOSEPH M. LOFTON, W. D., JR.
BASSETT, JAMES B. MARBLE, ROLAND D.
BRYANT, ROBERT T. NELSON, ARTHUR A.
BROADAWAY, RUFUS K. PARHAM, GEORGE M.
BURNHAM, CHARLES J. PRICE, A. J., JR.
CRISPIN, EDWARD W. SHIVERS, GROVER C., JR.
EPPINETTE, WM. C. SMITH, ROY L.
FOX, JAMES H., JR. STOUT, GENE M.
GREEN, FARNO L. TURNER, HENRY
HODGE, GROVER C., JR. WALTER, HERSHEL E.
ISHEE, TOMMY C. WILCOX, HARRY B., JR.
JOHNSON, W. H., JR. WILLIAMS, OWEN, JR.



PRIVATES

The following named men are taking training with the band, though not enlisted. They are included in the picture.

BELLEW, LAWRENCE	NILES, HENRY C.
BUSH, RUSSELL	PURVIS, GEORGE
DABBS, HARDY	STEELE, JOHN
STRINGER, DENNIS	

SHOWN IN PHOTOGRAPH

FIRST ROW: L. N. Bellew, H. B. Wilcox, Jr., J. M. Barnhill, R. L. Smith, C. J. Burnham, W. H. Johnson, Jr.

SECOND ROW: T. J. Parker, G. C. Shivers, Jr., O. L. England, Jr., R. K. Broadaway, C. H. Douglas, Jr., G. M. Parham, M. E. Jones, Jr., J. L. Steele.

THIRD ROW: J. D. Stringer, T. C. Ishee, L. C. Proby, Jr., R. A. Wood, F. L. Green, W. C. Eppinette, R. T. Bryant, J. H. Fox, Jr., H. C. Niles.

FACTUAL HISTORY

The Band of the 155th Infantry has played a successful part in the activities of the Regiment under various leaders through the years.

In the fall of 1930 the present leader, George H. Mackie, was asked by Gen. J. M. Hairston, Adjutant General, and Col. B. F. McClellan, Assistant Adjutant General, to organize the band from the personnel of the Mississippi College band at Clinton. When this was done, the unit was Federally recognized and mustered into service October 2, 1930, by Capt. C. H. Newell, at that time Senior Instructor with the Mississippi Na-

tional Guard. The band was organized as a part of the Service Company of the Regiment, Capt. L. A. Cary, Yazoo City, as commanding officer.

This was probably the first band to be organized with a college leader and the entire enlisted strength composed of college students. The success of the plan encouraged other regiments of the service to place their bands under college leaders. These service bands in the state now are organized under the plan, as well as several in neighboring states.

The band is also proud of the fact that a red mark does not appear on any of its inspection reports under the present organization.

CLINTON, MISSISSIPPI



SHOWN IN PHOTOGRAPH

FIRST ROW: C. C. Bahin, T. H. Darsey, M. K. Dillingham, P. E. Sanders, J. C. Feltus, J. M. Smith, R. J. Dykes, Jr., T. H. Arnold, C. L. Wiggins.

SECOND ROW: B. Chisholm, M. Geiger, W. E. Evans, G. C. Twiner, J. May, J. L. Provance, O. I. Lucy, W. O. Green, E. B. Barrere, F. P. Bourke.



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COMPANY

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain BENJAMIN F. SNEAD
First Lieutenant JOHN H. STOWERS
Second Lieutenant CHARLES G. BURKE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant LOCIE F. GODARD

SERGEANTS

COLEY, ALLEN L. DONOVAN, GEORGE R.
DYKES, R. J., JR.

CORPORALS

BAHIN, CHARLES C. CATANIA, ANTHONY L.
BELLICAN, ROBERT P. SEYFARTH, THOMAS A.
WILSON, CHARLES, JR.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS

BARRERE, ERNEST B. GREEN, WALLER O.
CAMPBELL, CHARLES W. LUCY, OTTO I.
DUKES, THOMAS H. MAY, JULIO
DUKES, ROY C. PRICE, WM. M., JR.
FOSTER, DEWEY R. RITNOUR, KARL F.
FOSTER, GEORGE E. SANDERS, PERCY E.
GEIGER, MACK TWINER, GROVER C.

PRIVATE

ARNOLD, EDWARD B. CHISHOLM, BRISTER
ARNOLD, THEODORE H. DARSEY, THOMAS H.
BEAUCHAMP, W. A., JR. DILLINGHAM, B. H.
BOURKE, FREDERICK P. DILLINGHAM, M. K.
BOURKE, JAMES R. EVANS, WILLIAM E.
CARMAN, WILLIAM JR. FELTUS, JOHN C.



PRIVATES

GEIGER, CLARENCE R.
GOINS, GEORGE E.
HAMMACK, M. E., JR.
HALL, CHARLES A.
HATHCOX, JAMES A.
MATHIS, CHARLES E.
MCCREA, JAMES W.
MCPHATE, STEPHEN A.
MILLER, ROBERT E.
MONTE, OTTELO
PATT, EARL D.
PEALE, PAUL E.

PHILLIPS, MORRIS J.
PROVANCE, JOHN L.
RAMB, WILHELM
RAPHAEL, MORRIS C.
ROBERTS, EUGENE E.
ROBERTS, HERBERT K.
ROWLAND, JOHN C.
SHELL, CHARLES L.
SIMMONS, JAMES A.
SMITH, FOREST B.
SMITH, JAMES M.
SMITH, LEON J.

WIGGINS, CHARLES L.

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FIRST ROW: G. R. Donovan, C. A. Hall, M. E. Hammack, K. F. Ritnour, M. J. Phillips, G. E. Goins, L. J. Smith, A. L. Coley.

SECOND ROW: L. F. Godard, C. R. Geiger, S. A. McPhate, J. R. Bourke, O. Monte, W. M. Price, Jr., T. A. Seyforth, C. W. Campbell, T. H. Dukes, A. L. Catania.

command of Capt. H. B. Drane, with B. F. Snead as First Lieutenant and John H. Stowers as Second Lieutenant. Captain Drane was transferred to the State Staff in May, 1925. Lieutenants Snead and Stowers were promoted, and Sgt. David A. Deterly was appointed Second Lieutenant and served until the early part of 1926 when he resigned. Charles H. McNeil was then appointed Second Lieutenant.

In 1930, Lieutenant McNeil resigned and Sgt. Charles G. Burke was appointed Second Lieutenant. Lieutenant Burke was one of the original members of the Company in 1924. He served as Private, Company Clerk, Supply Sergeant, and Platoon Sergeant prior to his promotion.

During the severe flood of 1927, the Company organized and managed Sunny Side Refugee Camp, caring for approximately 3,000 people. It served sixty days at Natchez.

FACTUAL HISTORY

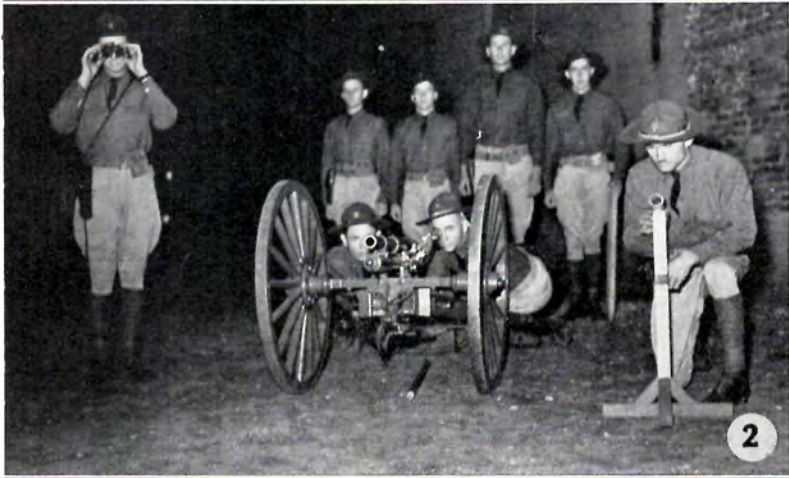
This unit was first recognized as the Machine Gun Company, First Mississippi Infantry, on August 18, 1916, then on September 27, 1921, re-recognized as Howitzer Company, First Mississippi Infantry, at Ocean Springs. It was disbanded on March 14, 1924.

It received its present designation of Howitzer Company, 155th Infantry, on May 30, 1924, at Natchez, under the

NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI



HOWITZER COMPANY
155TH INFANTRY
NATCHEZ, MISSISSIPPI



- 1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
- 2. 37 mm. on Wheels.
- 3. 37 mm. on Tripod.
- 4. Pistol Team.
- 5. Instruction in Use of Range Finder.
- 6. Three-Inch Trench Mortar.
- 7. Field Inspection.





ROBERT G. SAXON
Major, Commanding First Battalion



JOHN G. GUICE
Captain, Company A



RALPH E. HOLLISTER
Captain, Company B



LOUIS M. JIGGITTs
Captain, Company C



LESLIE L. EVANS
Captain, Company D

Officers FIRST BATTALION ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



GEORGE A. MORRIS
First Lieut., Headquarters Company



ALTON P. WILKINSON
First Lieutenant, Company A



WILLIAM P. BELL
First Lieutenant, Company B



WILLIAM S. WELLS
First Lieutenant, Company C



JAMES S. WEATHERSBY
First Lieutenant, Company D

FREDERICK W. MELSHEIMER
Second Lieut., Headquarters Company

JIM A. TORREY
Second Lieutenant, Company A

CLIFFORD H. BATTLE
Second Lieutenant, Company B

FREDERICK W. BRADSHAW
Second Lieutenant, Company C

CHARLES R. SANDIDGE
Second Lieutenant, Company D





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FIRST ROW: P. L. Polk, R. Q. Smith, Jr., H. G. Dunning, R. C. Weiland, W. C. Leist, J. D. Harris.
SECOND ROW: W. E. Boyd, H. E. Parker, W. E. Hollis, E. E. Crist, C. H. Harris, R. P. Decker, J. R. Kahn.
THIRD ROW: I. Feder, A. M. Mallory, Jr., R. L. Shirley, W. T. Shuff, C. C. Ray, B. L. Kearns, J. R. Ables, H. P. Cato.



Headquarters

COMPANY

FIRST BATTALION

VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Lieutenant GEORGE A. MORRIS
Second Lieutenant FREDERICK W. MELSHEIMER

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant WALTER C. KOERPER

SERGEANTS

DUNNING, HENRY G. SMITH, ROBERT Q., JR.
POLK, PAUL L. WEILAND, ROBERT C.

CORPORALS

HARRIS, JAMES D. KAHN, JAMES R.
HOLLIS, WALTER E. LEIST, WILLIAM C.
PARKER, HARRELL E.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

FARRIOR, VERNON C. HARRIS, CHARLES H.
FEDER, ISADORE MATTINGLEY, JOHN B.
MAYERHOFF, LEO D.

PRIVATES

ABLES, JOHN R. DECKER, REAMES P.
ABLES, ROBERT W. HOXIE, LEON Q., JR.
AUTER, JOHN P. KEARNS, BILLY L.
BOYD, WILLIAM E. MALLORY, A. M., JR.
CATO, HARRY P. RAY, CHESTER C.
CRIST, EDGAR E. SHIRLEY, ROBERT L.
SHUFF, WILLIAM T.

FACTUAL HISTORY

During the early days of Mississippi militia, units were voluntary and, in most cases, the volunteers furnished their own equipment and chose their own officers. Therefore,
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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

FIRST BATTALION

155TH INFANTRY

VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI



1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Radio Section.
3. Intelligence Section.
4. Wire Section.
5. Staff Sergeant Koerper.





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SECOND ROW: F. F. Tillotson, S. E. Wroten, E. E. Hemphill, D. L. Kent, H. J. Hardin, J. M. Scott, O. L. Bonds, J. F. Scott, C. D. DeLaney, H. E. Halford, W. J. Halford.



COMPANY A

First Battalion

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain JOHN G. GUICE
First Lieutenant ALTON P. WILKINSON
Second Lieutenant JIM A. TORREY

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant JAMES D. WATSON

SERGEANTS

DELANEY, WILLIE S. HALFORD, FRANK E.
GUICE, HAROLD W. LAMBUTH, RUFUS G.
GUICE, NATHANIEL A. ZUMBRO, EARNEST E.

CORPORALS

CUPIT, DELMA R. HALFORD, HARRY E.
DELANEY, CURTIS D. JOY, WALTER E.
EMFINGER, PERNELL A. KENT, DAVID L.
FLOWERS, LESLIE L. SIMPSON, SAMUEL M.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

EZELL, PAUL PRATHER, PEARLIE W.
FOY, CLOIE B. PRIEST, WOODROW
HEMPHILL, ELDRED E. TILLOTSON, F. F.
HIGGINBOTHAM, E. L. WALLACE, JOHN T.
MCCAA, JOE J. WILLIAMS, HARPER L.
MYERS, EARL E. ZUMBRO, EDGAR L.
ZUMBRO, HILTON M.

PRIVATES

ALLRED, HENRY B. BONDS, ODIE L.
ARNOLD, C. H., JR. BONDS, RALPH H.
ARNOLD, HERMAN CUPIT, ARTHUR L.
BALLARD, STANLEY C. CUPIT, HORACE D.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



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DUCKER, MELVIN P.
EDWARDS, ROBERT W.
EMFINGER, JOSEPH R.
EMFINGER, LOUIE P.
EZELL, WILLIE Q.
GRIFFIN, PAUL W.
GUICE, BILLY M.
HERDIN, GEO. F., JR.
HARDIN, HOWARD J.
HALFORD, WILLIE J.
JONES, CHARLES L.
MCCAA, ELMER E.
MYERS, BILLIE H.

PRICE, MALCOLM B.
PRICHARD, LEX S.
PRIEST, JAMES M.
SAXON, THOMAS M.
SCOTT, JAMES M.
SCOTT, JEFFERSON F.
SEALE, MAXWELL L.
SULLIVAN, EDWARD G.
SULLIVAN, THOMAS V.
TEMPLE, HERMAN
WILSON, ANCEL B.
WROTEN, OSCAR
WROTEN, SAMUEL E.

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SECOND ROW: A. B. Wilson, B. M. Guise, S. M. Simpson, H. Arnold, O. Wroten, H. L. Williams, E. L. Higginbotham, H. B. Allred, R. W. Edwards, M. B. Price, M. L. Seale, E. E. Tumbro.

FACTUAL HISTORY

This unit was organized in February, 1922, and Federally recognized as Headquarters Company, 155th Infantry, on April 13, 1922, with Capt. Charles F. Barr commanding and Robert G. Saxon as Second Lieutenant. The personnel was recruited from Meadville and surrounding communities, some men coming from considerable distances.

A small room in the basement of the county jail was used as a store room, and the drill ground was the County court yard lighted by gasoline lanterns. In 1925,

with the cooperation of the Board of Supervisors, an Armory was built. Each member of the organization contributed one drill period per quarter to the building fund out of their pay to supplement that of the Board. In 1925, the organization was redesignated Company "A," 155th Infantry.

Changed from a headquarters company to a rifle company, the task of building a rifle range was begun. Application for funds was made, and in 1928 the first unit-owned range in the State was completed and used. In 1929, the organization won the National Trophy for rifle marksmanship and repeated each year for the next three years.

In 1927, again with the assistance of the Board of Supervisors, the construction of a new and modern Armory was begun by the W. P. A. It is now complete in every detail, the most outstanding Armory in the State.

MEADVILLE, MISS.



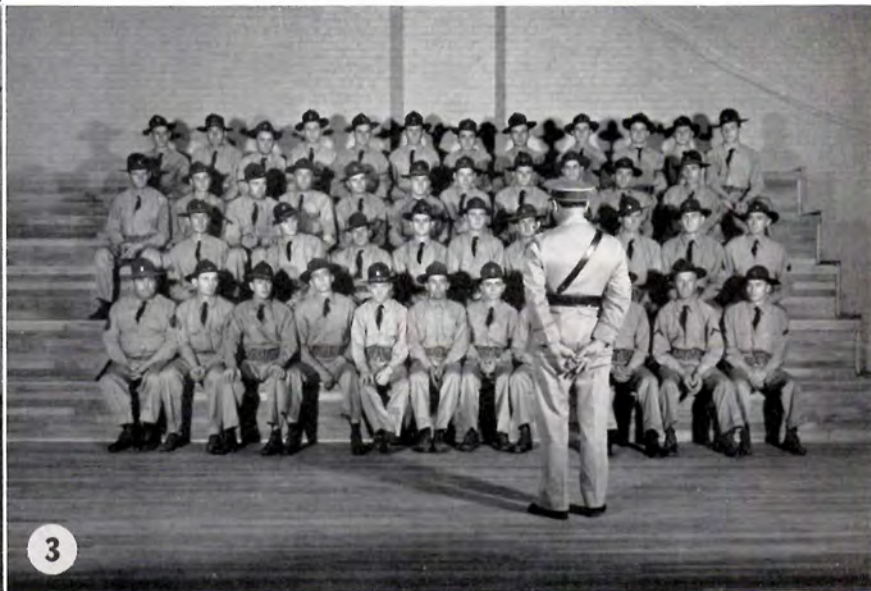
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FIRST BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY

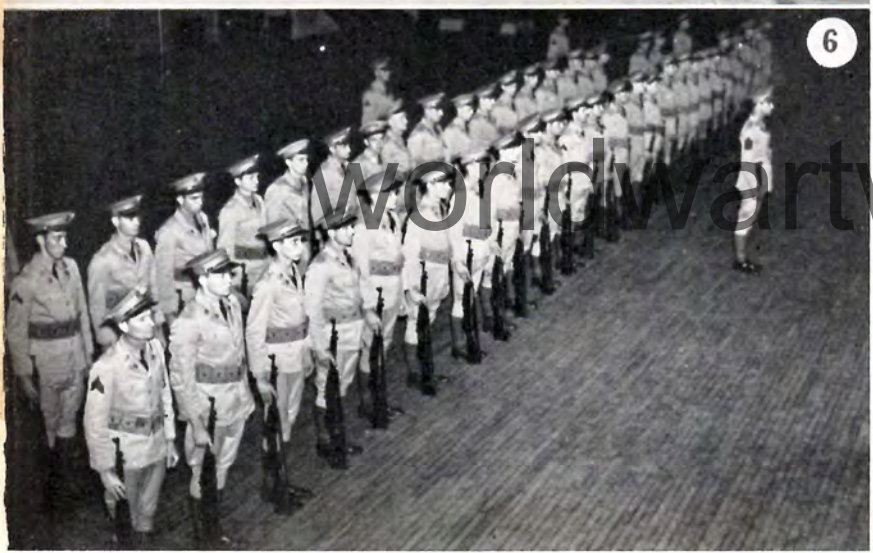
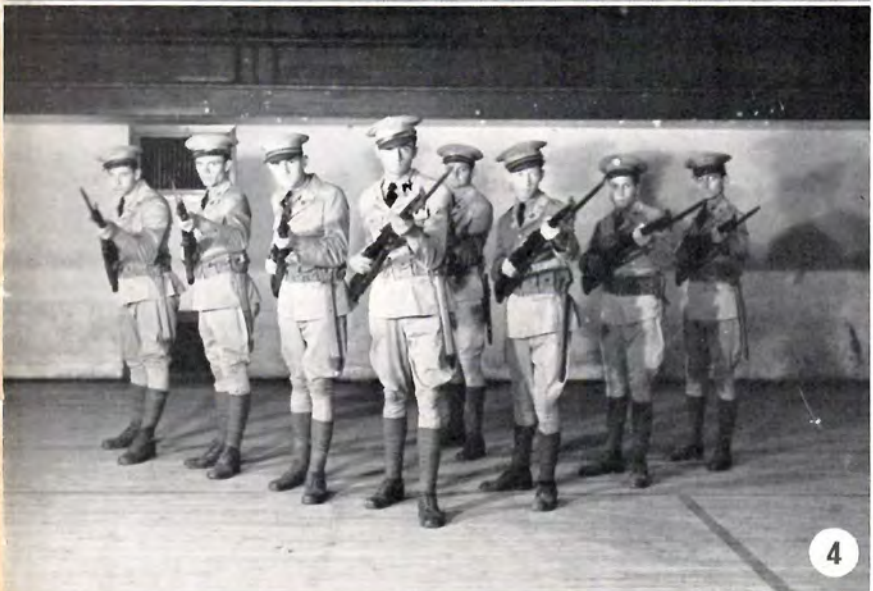
MEADVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Riot Duty Formation. (3)
Company Instruction. (4) Automatic Rifle Instruction. (5) Recruit
Instruction. (6) First Aid. (7) Manual of Arms.



COMPANY B
FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Bayonet Instruction. (3) Belt Line. (4) Squad Wedge. (5) Company Headquarters. (6) Company Front. (7) Calisthenics.





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THIRD ROW: D. O. Smith, L. S. Fatheree, P. D. Smith, Q. T. McIntyre, G. C. Farris, K. N. Causey, H. S. Bell, D. A. Youngberg, S. A. Causey, Jr., L. E. Reeves.



COMPANY B
First Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

CaptainRALPH E. HOLLISTER
First LieutenantWILLIAM P. BELL
Second LieutenantCLIFFORD H. BATTLE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First SergeantTAYLOR F. THOMPSON

SERGEANTS

CUTRER, JAMES F. HUPPERICH, CHARLES M.
DOWNING, CLAUDE D. MORGAN, HOWELL E.
DOWNING, HERBERT C. STRIBLING, PAUL H.
VONSEUTTER, ARMIN

CORPORALS

ARMSTRONG, A. B. HARRELL, REDUS W.
BALLARD, HAMPTON H. MARSH, JOSEPH B., JR.
CHAMBERS, ALBERT L. STRIBLING, RUDOLPH
DALEY, LUTHER H. WILLIAMS, ROBERT J.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BELL, HORACE S. FARRIS, GEORGE C.
CAUSEY, SEABORN A. GARDNER, WENDALL W.
COCKE, LEE P. SHAW, JAMES H.
DOWNING, ALBERT D. SLAYMAKER, WM. H.
SMITH, JAMES F.

PRIVATES

BAILEY, SAM M. BROWN, JAMES A.
BELL, GERALD B. CANTERBURY, H. F.
BLOUGH, CLINTON D. CARR, HARVEY P.
BOTELER, LEE R. CAUSEY, KENNETH N.



PRIVATES

CARR, ROGER W.	McCOLLUM, JEFFERSON
CRUISE, H. V., JR.	McINTYRE, Q. T.
DANIEL, AL F.	MITCHELL, W. C., JR.
DUNN, ARTHUR M.	NOTGRASS, JAMES C.
FAGAN, POPE	REEVES, L. E.
FATHEREE, LEROY S.	ROSE, ROBERT C.
FOLSE, JAMES L.	SMITH, BURTON T.
GREER, VERNON	SMITH, DOUGLASS O.
HAYS, WISTER T.	SMITH, PHILIP D.
HUPPERICH, H. L.	SMITH, WALTER H.
JONES, CLIFTON D.	WEEKS, ROBERT R.
MARTIN, BUCK J.	WELLS, CLYDE G.
MASSEY, KENNETH C.	WHITE, JEROME H.
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THIRD ROW: B. T. Smith, C. D. Jones, R. M. Shumburger, W. H. Smith, J. L. Folse, C. D. Blough, R. R. Weeks, J. A. Brown, J. D. McCollum.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Company "B," 155th Infantry, was reorganized in May, 1921, as a part of the seventh oldest Regiment of Infantry in the United States Army. It was Federally recognized on May 15, 1921, as Company "D" and redesignated in February, 1925, as Company "B." This unit has participated in nearly every call by the State of Mississippi since its Federal recognition, serving on more than twelve tours of duty.

The unit was organized in 1921 by Capt. Robert G.

Nichols, who severed his connection with the National Guard soon after. He was succeeded by Capt. William H. Phillips. Since Captain Phillips, every officer connected with this organization has come up through its own ranks with the exception of one Second Lieutenant who served about two years. Captain Phillips was succeeded by Capt. Allan McCluer, now Regional Plans and Training Officer with the rank of Major. He was succeeded by Capt. R. E. Hollister, its present commander. At this time there is only one Sergeant in this organization with less than seven years service in the National Guard.

During the Third Army Maneuvers in the DeSoto National Forest in Mississippi, 1938, this organization acquitted itself in an excellent manner under the command of Lieutenant Bell, Captain Hollister being on the Detached Service as Assistant Provost Marshal, Third Army.

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SECOND ROW: J. D. Warrington, A. H. Perry, J. D. Keith, B. G. Middleton, R. D. Thornton, W. H. Van Dusen, J. W. Fowler, P. R. Different.

THIRD ROW: W. H. Morris, L. G. Hood, M. W. Gary, W. D. Lack, J. E. Herring, G. I. Martin, G. N. Searcy, C. C. Landrum.



COMPANY C

First Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain LOUIS M. JIGGITS
First Lieutenant WILLIAM S. WELLS
Second Lieutenant FREDERICK W. BRADSHAW

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant WILLIAM H. MORRIS

SERGEANTS

CARDWELL, LESLIE E.	HITT, JOEL R.
FORTENBERRY, ELMA G.	JOHNSON, WM. E.
FORTENBERRY, M. F.	LANDRUM, CHAS. C.
RYAN, JOHN T.	

CORPORALS

BAKER, FRED A.	SHIPMAN, W. S., JR.
GRIFFIN, AUBREY C.	SMITH, SIDNEY L.
RICHARDSON, LOIS L.	THORNTON, ROBERT D.
SEARCY, GEORGE N.	WARRINGTON, J. D.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CURRIE, JAMES H.	LIFER, JACK A.
EAGER, WILLIAM M.	MCPHEARSON, J. R.
GARY, MALCOLM W.	OSWALT, EARL W.
JONES, WILLIAM B.	THORNTON, JAMES R.
KEITH, JULIAN D.	VAN DUSEN, WM. H.
LANGSTON, W. B., JR.	WINSTEAD, OTTHO T.

PRIVATES

ASTON, M. W.	COCHRAN, HENRY C.
BAKER, ELMER J.	CRAIN, ALBERT H.



PRIVATES

DICKEN, JOHN B., JR.
DIFFERENT, LEROY P.
DIFFERENT, PAUL R.
DOOLITTLE, THOMAS A.
FOWLER, JUDGE W.
GORE, ALBERT L.
GORE, GRANVILLE I.
GRIFFIN, THOMAS M.
HERRING, JAMES E.
HOOD, LOUIS G.
HUGHES, ARTHUR N.
HUGHES, LEONARD T.
HUGHES, ROBT. C., JR.
JONES, MORRIS E.

LACK, WENDELL D.
MCCLELLAN, JOHN K.
MCGUFFIE, THOMAS T.
MARTIN, GEORGE I.
MIDDLETON, B. G.
PERRY, ARTHUR H.
RUSSELL, WALTER K.
SMITH, THOMAS F.
THORNTON, JOS. P.
TULLOS, A. J.
VINSON, ARNOLD E.
WARRINGTON, BENNIE
WILKINSON, R., JR.
WINK, EUGENE A., JR.

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SECOND ROW: W. K. Russell, O. T. Winstead, G. I. Gore, T. A. Doolittle, T. F. Smith, M. W. Ashton, A. L. Gore, A. E. Vinson, E. A. Wink, Jr.

THIRD ROW: J. R. Hitt, A. C. Griffin, T. M. Griffin, M. E. Jones, W. B. Jones, L. T. Hughes, A. N. Hughes, W. M. Eager, L. L. Richardson.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Company "C" of the First Mississippi Volunteer Infantry was mustered in on May 24, 1898, at Jackson, Mississippi, for a period of two years. It was composed of members from Natchez.

The present Company "C" was organized in

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1903 and mustered out on March 20, 1906, being reorganized on June 3, 1916, as Company "C," Independent Battalion. It was redesignated Company "C," First Infantry. During the Mexican Border trouble and the World War, it was a Greenville, Mississippi, company.

It was reorganized at Jackson as Company "C," First Infantry, on September 11, 1920, and redesignated Company "C," 155th Infantry, on November 2, 1921. The Federal recognition of Company "C" came before that of any rifle company in the 155th Infantry.



COMPANY C
FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

- (1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Company Headquarters.
(3) College Football Players. (4) Buglers and Guidon Bearers.
(5) National Trophy for Highest Efficiency in Rifle Marksmanship.
(6) Squad Wedge, (7) Gas Mask Instruction.

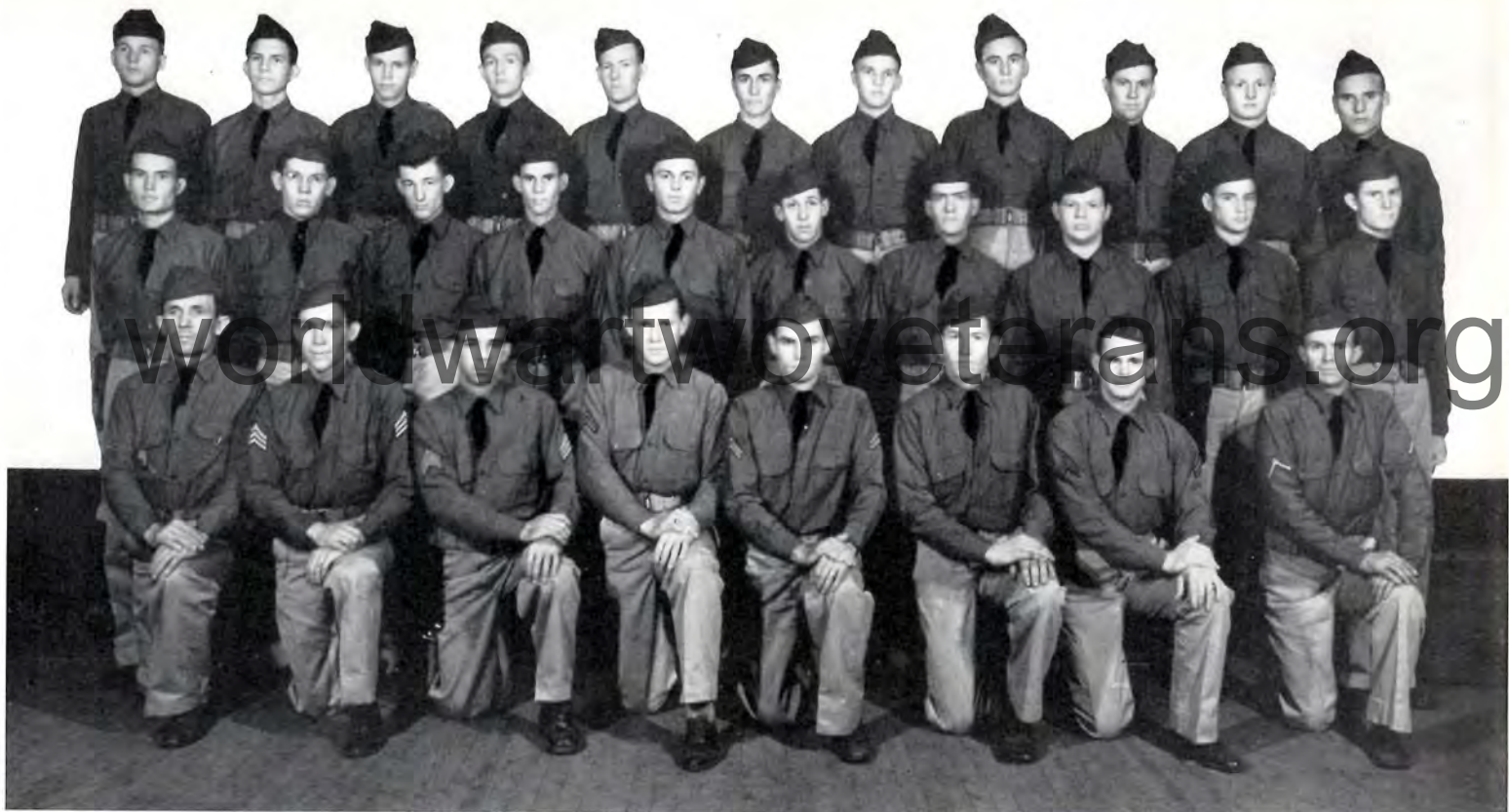


COMPANY D

FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY
CANTON, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Hot Line. (2) Non-Commissioned Officers. (3) Stripping and Assembling Blindfolded. (4) Company Headquarters. (5) Instrument Detail. (6) Anti-Aircraft Defense. (7) Calisthenics.





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THIRD ROW: A. H. Gibson, G. S. Shepherd, C. T. Sutherland, C. W. Coleman, W. N. James, H. L. Purviance, W. E. Baker, B. H. Gordon, J. E. Smith, W. L. McDonald, G. A. Bennett.



COMPANY D

First Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain LESLIE L. EVANS
First Lieutenant JAMES S. WEATHERSBY
Second Lieutenant CHARLES R. SANDIDGE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant JOHN H. RIMMER, JR.

SERGEANTS

BENNETT, MARSHALL G.	LEE, HAYES
CARR, CLARENCE A.	SMITH, BRASHIER
DAVIS, IVOR N.	SWEENEY, JAMES P.
WOODS, AMBROSE A.	

CORPORALS

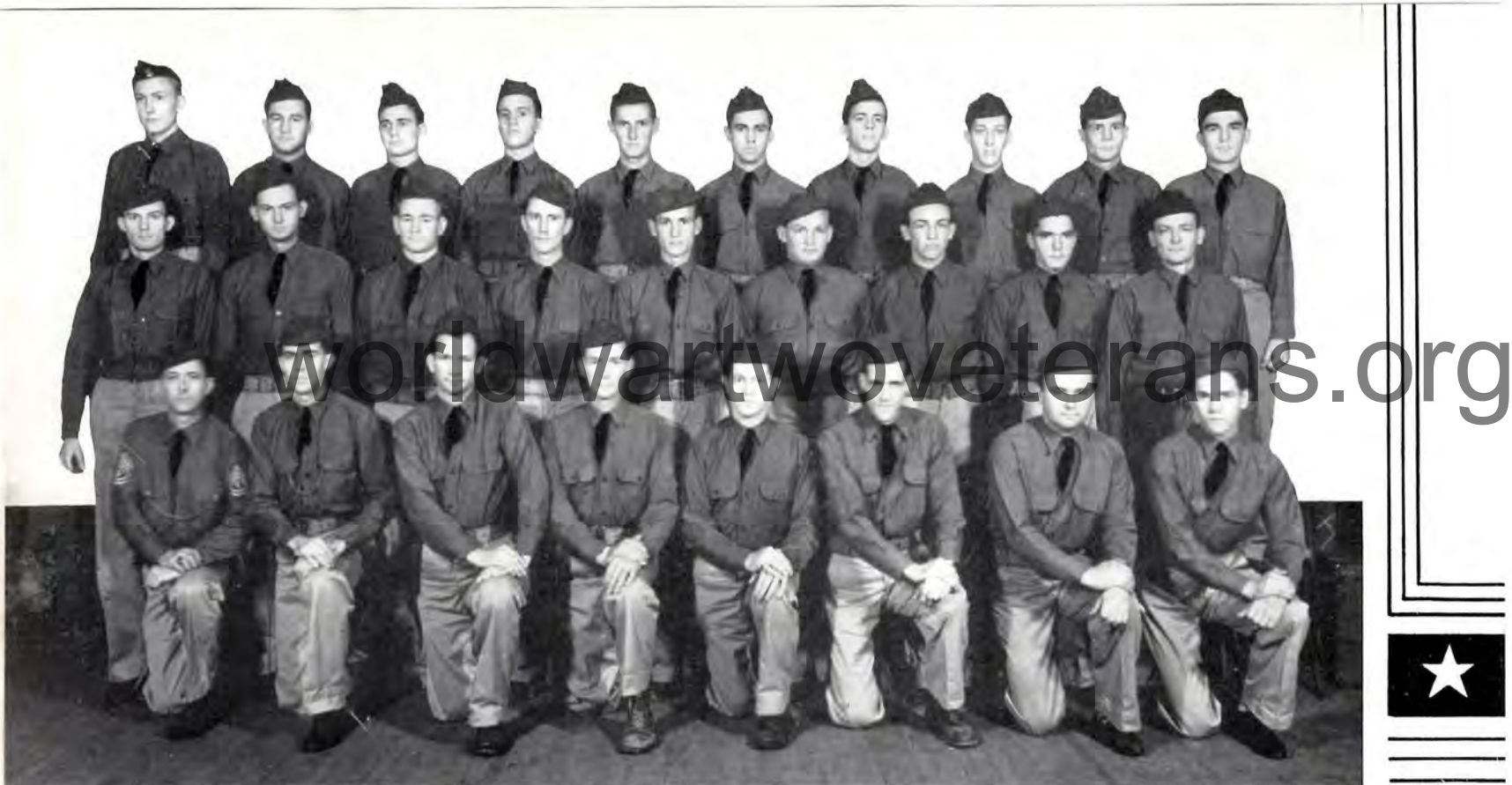
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HUGHES, WILLARD N.	PENDARVIS, EDDIE R.

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS

CAIN, JAMES M.	MEEK, JEROME E.
CHANCE, JOHN C., JR.	QUINN, HOWARD J.
EDWARDS, JESSE R.	RIMMER, B. H., JR.
JOHNSON, EDGAR O.	SHEPHERD, JAMES W.
JOYNER, KEITH	SIMS, LLOYD D.
MCDONALD, WILLIE L.	SMITH, JAMES E.

PRIVATE

BAKER, WALTER E.	COLEMAN, CHARLES W.
BENNETT, GEORGE A.	DANIELS, HOMER L.
BOSWELL, WILLIAM C.	DENSON, EUGENE B.
BREEDLOVE, ROBT. L.	DOHERTY, GEORGE E.
BROCK, CLEVE, JR.	FARRELL, VERA M.



PRIVATES

GIBSON, ALFRED H.
GIBSON, ROBERT N.
GORDON, BOBBY H.
GRAVES, RANDOLPH R.
GRIFFITH, T. E.
HARRIS, MARVIN O.
HARRISON, HEREVY S.
HUTCHINS, O. G., JR.
JAMES, WM. N., JR.
JOLLY, JOSEPH E., JR.
JOHNSON, FRED L.
LAMBERT, HASKEL
LAW, WILLIAM F.

MABRY, OTHA T.
MCGEE, JOHN B.
MOONEY, WALLACE M.
NOBLE, OTWAY B.
PURVIANCE, HOLLIS L.
RASBERRY, WILLIAM D.
ROGERS, WALTER M.
ROGERS, REGINALD G.
SHACKLEFORD, R. H., JR.
SHEPHERD, GEORGE S.
SUTHERLAND, C. T.
SUTHERLAND, C. G.
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SECOND ROW: F. L. Johnson, E. B. Denson, G. E. Doherty, R. G. Rogers, J. R. Edwards, R. N. Gibson, O. B. Noble, H. Lambert, W. F. Law.

THIRD ROW: J. A. Warren, J. W. Shepherd, C. G. Sutherland, R. L. Breedlove, H. L. Daniels, O. G. Hutchins, Jr., L. D. Sims, R. H. Shackelford, Jr., J. E. Meek, B. H. Rimmer, Jr.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Participants in several emergency calls, Company "D," 155th Infantry, has also distinguished itself since its organization on August 30, 1927, by winning six of eight trophies presented by the Adjutant General for the highest percentage score in machine gun marksmanship, gaining the cup in 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1936, and 1937.

Capt. Leslie L. Evans, 1929 graduate of the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, who organized the Company at Kosciusko, was also placed in command when the Company was transferred to Canton. First Lieut. Elliott A. Stokes and Second Lieut. Henry R. Sanderson assisted him.

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First called for emergency duty in 1928, Company "D" captured an escaped convict at Philadelphia, Miss., and an escaped convict and murderer at Parchman. Then in 1934, it served at the trial of three negro assault cases at Hernando, and for three weeks on strike duty at Kosciusko. In 1935, it participated in the capture of Raymond Hamilton, desperado, at Jackson; served at the hanging of a negro assaulter at Cleveland, on flood duty at Greenwood, and for the trial of a negro murderer at Walthall. For three weeks in 1936, Company "D" served at Tupelo following the tornado disaster.

Captain Evans has commanded the unit each year since its organization at the field training camps, excepting 1936, when he was granted leave, and 1938, when he was assigned as Battalion Executive Officer. First Lieut. James S. Weatherby commanded the Company for these training periods. The unit served as support for the assault battalion of the regiment in the Third Army Maneuvers, DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi, in 1938, climaxing eleven years of distinguished service.



THOMAS B. BIRDSONG, JR.
Major, Commanding Second Battalion



VIRGIL S. ADKINS
Captain, Company F



EUGENE L. SYKES, JR.
Captain, Company G



NELSON TIMLAKE
Captain, Company H

Officers
SECOND BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



JAMES L. DAVIS
First Lieut., Headquarters Company



GEORGE H. CRAWFORD
First Lieut., Company G



ROBERT L. GRAY
Second Lieut., Company H



JOSEPH R. DENTON
Second Lieut., Company E



VAN E. LESTER, JR.
Second Lieut., Company F



ERNEST H. JACKMORE
Second Lieut., Company F



VICTOR L. McDEARMAN
Second Lieut., Company G



AUSTIN F. RAY
Second Lieut., Company H



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THIRD ROW: G. L. Linvh, E. T. Bartlett, L. D. Allen, W. H. Jones, C. E. Herrington, R. L. Metts, J. D. Bray, J. E. Herring-ton.



Headquarters
COMPANY
SECOND BATTALION
LOUISVILLE, MISSISSIPPI
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Lieutenant JAMES L. DAVIS
Second Lieutenant ALFRED G. BLOCK

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant HIRAM A. LINCH

SERGEANTS

HILL, GRADY S. PARKER, WM. M., JR.
HILL, ROBERT G. WILKES, WILLIAM K.

CORPORALS

ALLEN, LOWERY D. HILL, JAMES G.
BARTLETT, ESCAR T. LINVH, GARVIN L.
WELLS, ISAAC A.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CLAY, CLAUDE W. LEE, JAMES H., JR.
IVY, ROBERT E. MCGRAW, GEORGE T.
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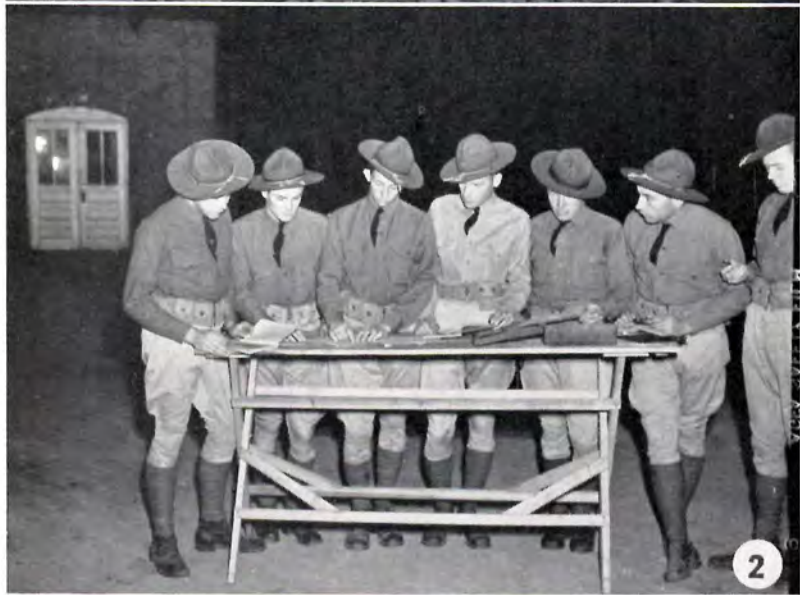
PRIVATES

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CASTLE, RICHARD L. MILLER, BRENNAN B.
HERRINGTON, C. E. PARKER, JAMES V.
HERRINGTON, JAMES E. PARKS, LAMAR W.
HORTON, CLARK R. PEARSON, BUNBARD B.
HORTON, HOMER L. TRIPLETT, THOMAS L.
WOODRUFF, DONALD M.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Federally recognized October 31, 1924, at Ackerman, this Company was transferred to Louisville in September, 1929. Original officers were Second Lieut. Herbert B. Jordan (appointed First Lieutenant in July, 1930) and Second Lieut. James L. Davis.

When Lieutenant Jordan resigned in July, 1933, Lieu-
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HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

SECOND BATTALION

155TH INFANTRY

LOUISVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

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tenant Davis was made First Lieutenant and Staff Sgt. Henry L. Rodgers was commissioned Second Lieutenant. Lieutenant Rodgers resigned in January, 1935, and First Lieut. Alfred G. Block, Coast Artillery Corps Reserve, was assigned to the Company as Second Lieutenant on August 6, 1936.

Both officers and ten men served on riot duty at Hernando from January 15 to February 13, 1933, establishing communications. One officer and three men went to Tupelo to map the damage done by the tornado and served from April 15 to April 30, 1936. Two officers and four men were sent to Greensboro to establish radio communications with the Coast Guard during the 1937 flood.

Serving in the Third Army Maneuvers, July 31 to August 15, 1938, this unit was highly commended by Lieutenant Colonel Weaver of the Infantry Reserve and by the Regular Army Umpire assigned to the Second Battalion for their work in establishing, maintaining and operating all types of communication during the combat phase of the maneuvers. Their discipline and spirit also drew fine compliments.



1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Intelligence Section.
3. Radio Section.
4. Wire Section.



1. Bayonet Drill.

2. Automatic Rifle School.

3. Squad Wedge.

4. Gas Mask Instruction.

5. Headquarters Group.

6. Non-Commissioned Officers.

C O M P A N Y E

SECOND BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY

CLEVELAND, MISSISSIPPI



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FIRST ROW: O. B. Lamberson, F. J. Stevens, H. V. Ray, M. F. Kelly, L. J. Sims, L. E. Naren, O. B. Lusk, S. W. Mullin.

SECOND ROW: H. L. Ivy, E. V. Hudson, C. D. Scrivner, G. M. Mullins, V. D. Jumper, J. E. Hanson, W. W. Abston, L. L. Yarbrough.



COMPANY E

Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICER

Second Lieutenant JOSEPH R. DENTON

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant OWEN B. LAMBERSON

SERGEANTS

KELLY, MITCHEL F.	RAY, HARVEY V.
NEEL, JOHN F.	SIMS, CLYDE H.
PREVOST, ROBY O.	SIMS, LLOYD J.
STEVENS, FLOYD J.	

CORPORALS

ABEL, J. W.	LUSK, OWEN B.
BLAYLOCK, OTTIS L.	MOORE, JAMES E.
COMPBELL, MYRON A.	MULLEN, SIDNEY W.
CRAWFORD, LOUIS H.	NARON, LAMAR E.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

ABSTON, WOODROW W.	HOLLOWAY, R. F., JR.
BEEVERS, DEWITT E.	GOFORTH, WILBURN
BARRENTINE, L. F.	LAMBERSON, K. R.
BANKS, GRADY	MALLETTE, CHARLES M.
CAROUSOS, MICHAEL L.	MYERS, JOHNNIE W.
HAND, ALBERT M.	RAY, GLEN A.
HUGHES, ALFRED F.	ROBERTS, WILLIE H.
ROBINSON, LUTHER H.	

PRIVATES

BARR, ROY M.	FLY, JOSEPH P.
CAWTHON, WILLIAM E.	GREEN, SAM A.
DAVIS, DISNEY R.	GREEN, WILLIAM S.
RASON, EUEL C.	GRIFFIN, LEON
FARMER, CHESTER J.	HUDSON, ELMER V.



PRIVATES

HANSON, JOHN E.	PARHAM, EDWIN H.
HUNT, CLINT	RAY, JOEL D.
HAWKINS, JAMES E.	SCRIVNER, FRED C.
IVY, HENRY L.	SCRIVNER, CHARLES D.
JUMPER, VALADEE D.	SKELTON, LOUIE
KELLY, GEORGE E.	WILLARD, HERALD G.
MYERS, JAMES A.	WEST, JAMES O.
MULLINS, GEORGE M.	WELLS, JOHN F.
MIXON, JOSEPH A.	WATSON, EDGAR A.
YARBROUGH, LENAR L.	

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 SECOND ROW: C. J. Farmer, K. R. Lamberson, D. E. Beevers, S. A. Green, E. H. Parham, C. Hunt, A. F. Hughes, J. O. West.

FACTUAL HISTORY

This Company's former station was at Lambert, Mississippi, and was reorganized and Federally recognized at Cleveland, Mississippi, December 4, 1929. Its initial officers were Capt. Ben F. Mitchel and Lieuts. B. E. McDearman and Dugas Shands.

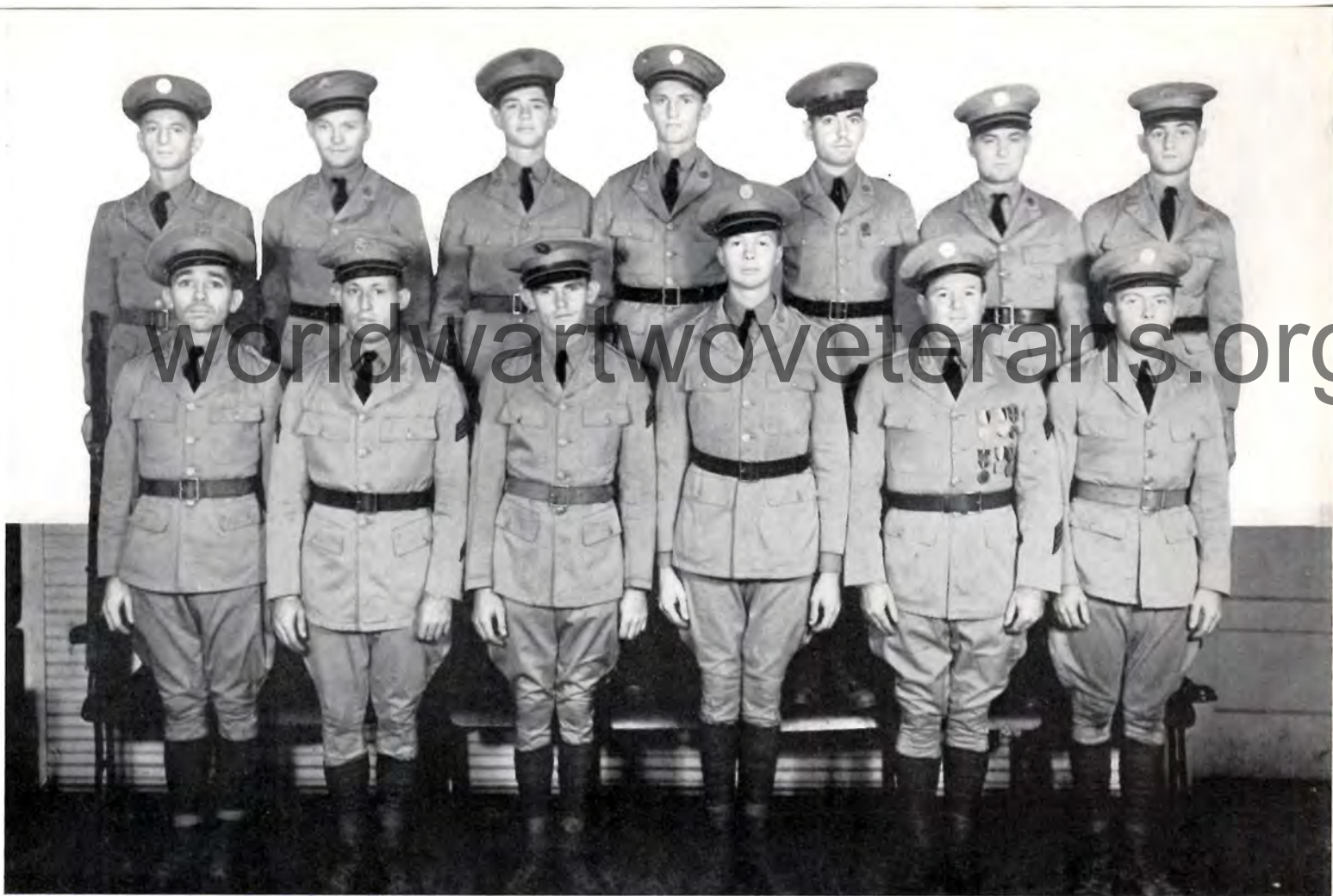
The Company is now commanded by Second Lieut. Joseph R. Denton, who assumed command on February 13, 1938, following the transfer of Captain Mitchel to inactive status. Lieutenant Denton's initial military service was in this Company, having enlisted as a private in 1932, serving until honorably discharged to become a member of the R. O. T. C. at Mississippi State College, where he was a member of the Scabbard and Blade military fraternity.

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and Kappa Alpha social fraternity. He was commissioned Second Lieutenant, Infantry, Reserve Corps, upon graduation with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1937, and, on July 30, 1937, was commissioned in the 155th Infantry and assigned to Company "E."

The Company has had an extensive service record since its organization at this station, having been ordered into the state's service on sixteen occasions. It was this Company's service in the 133 levee disturbances along the Yazoo Basin that demonstrated the advantages of coordinating field telephone communication with commercial telephone systems to facilitate the patrol of a large area with the minimum of manpower. This principal of combining telephone systems was used to advantage in the labor troubles at Kosciusko and in the storm devastated area of Tupelo. At the latter place field telephones delivered communications originating over commercial lines to areas where their facilities had been completely destroyed.

Other officers who have served with this Company at the present station and the year they were assigned are: Second Lieut. James S. Sigler, 1932 (State Commission); Second Lieut. John W. Thomas, 1932; Second Lieut. Frank L. Barnett, 1935; and Second Lieut. Graham H. Hicks, 1936.



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FIRST ROW: G. W. Hauer, W. W. Hughes, L. G. Nicholas,
W. E. Easley, J. Brocato, E. L. Strode.

SECOND ROW: J. R. Hays, W. C. Hawkins, G. P. Birdsong,
H. H. Hawkins, J. L. Hughes, C. H. Skeahan, C. B. Carraway.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain VIRGIL S. ADKINS
Second Lieutenant VAN E. LESTER, JR.
Second Lieutenant ERNEST H. JACKMORE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant WILLIAM W. HUGHES

SERGEANTS

BINDER, ABE	JOHNSTON, WM. D.
DUNN, ALBERT T.	NICHOLAS, LANDON G.
HAUER, GERARD W.	PUTNAM, HUGH D.
WESTBROOK, REVIS L.	

CORPORALS

EASLEY, WILLIAM E.	HUGHES, CHARLES E.
GILBERT, OSCEOLA M.	MITCHELL, ELLIS Q.
HAWKINS, HOWARD H.	STRODE, EMERSON L.
HENRY, VICTOR K.	TAYLOR, NEIL

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BIRDSONG, GEORGE P.	LUBIANI, ALBERT
CLEGG, CLAUDE	LUBIANI, ANGELO
FURR, HENRY D.	McMELLON, OSCAR L.
GILBERT, OSCEOLA P.	PANNI, QUINTO
HAUER, JOE M.	REESE, WILLIAM P.
HAWKINS, WOODLEY C.	SIMMONS, WATT T.
HUGHES, JAMES L.	SKEAHAN, CHARLES H.
TABB, ROBERT L.	



COMPANY F

Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



PRIVATES

- | | |
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| BROCATO, JAMES | GILBERT, LOUIS Q. |
| BROWN, ANDREW J. | HARALSON, JOSEPH H. |
| CAGLE, MARK L. | HARALSON, RICHARD T. |
| CARRAWAY, CHARLES B. | HAYS, JOSIE R. |
| CONLEY, JOHN W. | JOHN, TONEY |
| COOK, FRED M. | LUNCEFORD, WINTON D. |
| COOK, FRED MILTON | MASSEY, CARMEN J. |
| COOK, VIRGIL G. | MATTHEW, VERNON L. |
| CRAIG, JOHN P. | PORTER, JAMES R. |
| EDWARDS, WILLIE L. | SCHMIDT, FREDERICK A. |
| FLEMING, PARTEE A. | SHAMON, ABRAHAM C. |
| FLETCHER, JACK H. | SHAMY, JOHN G. |
| FOSTER, ORVILLE E. | SMITH, ROBERT H. |
| GARST, JOHN S. | UPCHURCH, SIDNEY A. |
| GILBERT, AUBREY L. | WEEMS, JAMES B. |

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- FIRST ROW: O. M. Gilbert, F. A. Schmidt, Albert Lubiani, A. T. Dunn, C. E. Hughes, V. K. Henry.
- SECOND ROW: R. T. Haralson, J. M. Hauer, W. D. Johnston, O. P. Gilbert, S. A. Upchurch, A. L. Gilbert, R. L. Tabb.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Federally recognized as Company "I," 155th Infantry, on April 14, 1921, under command of Capt. Thomas B. Birdsong, this organization was redesignated Company "F," 155th Infantry, in 1924.

All its senior non-commissioned officers have long service records. Sgt. James Brocato was a member at Federal recognition, and Sgt. Albert T. Dunn joined the unit shortly after its organization.

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Of the present members and officers, only the Company Commander, Capt. Virgil S. Adkins, has had World War experience, but the original members were mostly World War veterans. The training and efficiency of the Company have always been of the highest and the unit considered one of the best in the State. It has participated in practically all of the emergency calls in the State, ably performing all its assignments.

Captain Adkins was a member of the World War Thirtieth Division. Lieutenant Lester is a graduate of the Tennessee Military Academy, and Lieutenant Jackmore of the Chamberlain-Hunt Military Academy.

The personnel of the Company has been of the highest in the State, a number of former members now are doctors, lawyers, ministers and professors, as well as two members now officers in the United States Marine Corps. Members of the organization have attended colleges in all parts of the United States.



C O M P A N Y F

SECOND BATTALION

1 5 5 T H I N F A N T R Y

CLARKSDALE, MISSISSIPPI

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1. Non-Commissioned Officers.

2. Squad Wedge.

3. Bayonet Drill.

4. Members of the Mississippi National Guard on Camp Perry Rifle Team.

5. Members of the Camp Perry Rifle Team, Mississippi National Guard.

6. First Row: R. L. Westbrook, E. Q. Mitchell, W. P. Reese, A. J. Lubiani. Second Row: W. T. Simmons, Q. P. Panni, J. B. Weems, C. Clegg.



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COMPANY G

SECOND BATTALION

155TH INFANTRY

ABERDEEN, MISSISSIPPI



1. Squad Wedge.
2. Automatic Rifle Instruction.
3. Riot Duty and Gas Drill.
4. Non-Commissioned Officers.
5. Firing Positions.
6. Officers Going Over Maps with Non-Commissioned Officers.





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SECOND ROW: H. L. Ransom, A. E. Barnett, H. L. Smith, F. E. Williams, W. O. Parham, G. K. Sims, J. A. Brown, R. M. Tucker.

THIRD ROW: J. H. Owen, H. M. Rodgers, H. L. Wright, H. T. Welford, R. W. Barnett, W. E. Gilmore, D. J. Irving, R. T. Smith, M. A. Hill.



COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain EUGENE L. SYKES, JR.
First Lieutenant GEORGE H. CRAWFORD
Second Lieutenant VICTOR L. McDEARMAN

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant FRANK M. GRAY

SERGEANTS

BARNETT, MILES T.	MAIER, HENRY W.
LILLEY, GEORGE B.	MORGAN, LEEMON M.
LINDLEY, ALTON B.	POPE, HENRY D.
WILSON, HAROLD G.	

CORPORALS

BRADLEY, JOSEPH A.	ROBERTSON, GEORGE H.
BOX, JAMES H.	RYE, BURNIE W., JR.
LIVINGSTON, EDWIN H.	SCOTT, HUGH W.
REESE, JAMES O.	THOMPSON, JOE C.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BROWN, JAMES T.	OWEN, JAMES H.
BROWN, JULIAN A.	PARHAM, WARREN O.
COMMANDER, JAMES E.	POPE, SAMUEL A.
EVANS, JULIAN T., JR.	SCOTT, LLOYD N.
GILMORE, WILLIAM E.	SHEETS, SAMUEL A.
HIGGINS, EDWARD M.	WELFORD, HENRY T.
NEAL, JESSE H.	WILLIAMS, FLOYD E.
WILSON, WOODROW	

COMPANY G
Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



PRIVATES

ALLRED, DAVID P.	PHILLIPS, GAYLE V.
BARNETT, ANGRUS E.	RANSOM, HARRY L.
BARNETT, ROBERT W.	RODGERS, HERBERT M.
BYFORD, JAMES C.	SIMS, CHARLES E., JR.
COOPER, ROBERT L.	SIMS, GEORGE K.
COLLINS, GEORGE H.	SMITH, HAROLD L.
DAHLEM, HOLBERT R.	SMITH, MALCOLM O.
GULLICK, LOYE E.	SMITH, PAUL G.
GULLICK, WILLIAM A.	SMITH, RAYMOND T.
HANSELL, HOMER P.	SMITH, RAYMOND E.
HILL, MORRIL A.	THAXTON, HUGH W.
IRVIN, DELMA J.	TIFFIN, WILLIAM E.
KIRKPATRICK, G. C.	TUCKER, ROY M.
OWEN, ROBERT H.	WILLIAMS, LUTHER M.
PENNINGTON, W. R.	WRIGHT, HOMER L.

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FIRST ROW: J. O. Reese, G. H. Robertson, J. C. Thompson, J. H. Box, J. A. Bradley, J. T. Evans, Jr.

SECOND ROW: B. W. Rye, Jr., E. H. Livingston, G. H. Collins, G. C. Kirkpatrick, S. A. Sheets, J. E. Commander, M. O. Smith, R. T. Smith.

THIRD ROW: C. E. Sims, Jr., E. M. Higgins, H. W. Thaxton, H. P. Hansell, P. G. Smith, D. P. Allred, W. E. Tiffin, L. E.

FACTUAL HISTORY

The present "Aberdeen Guards," officially known as Company "G," 155th Infantry, was organized at Aberdeen, Mississippi, July 14, 1925, by Captain Eugene L. Sykes, Jr., its present commander.

In addition to its present officers, Lieutenant Conwell S. Sykes and Lieutenant George G. Ray were instrumental in the formation of the company, and have had considerable service with it.

This unit is the successor to one of the same name, there having been a military organization in Aberdeen contin-

uously for nearly a century. It was a part of the First Mississippi Regiment in the War with Mexico.

Among its commanders have been Colonel Walter Sykes, Adjutant General of Mississippi, who mustered in the first troops of the Civil War; Captain Eugene O. Sykes, Captain George C. Paine, Captain Dred Sykes, Captain James Dinkins, Captain George Coleman, Captain Walter Holliday, Captain (Colonel) John Baxter McFarland, Captain Tom Sykes, Captain Maynard Holmes, Captain Houston Gilleylen, Captain Bernie Rye, and its present commander, Captain Eugene L. Sykes, Jr.

Company "G" in recent years has seen considerable state service: during the flood of the Yazoo and Mississippi Rivers in 1927, the tornado at Tupelo in 1936, each of several months duration; also manhunts in Prentiss and Tippah Counties, and guard and riot duties at various trials in De Soto, Bolivar, and Webster Counties.

There is now under construction in Aberdeen a \$40,000 armory on large and well-located grounds, to be used for military, social and athletic purposes.

ABERDEEN, MISS.



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SECOND ROW: R. B. Gray, T. T. Clifton, D. L. Broadaway, K. E. Smith, Jr., C. B. Burgess, W. K. Wallace, E. H. Studdard, J. M. Watkins, H. D. Holloway.

THIRD ROW: R. E. Davenport, A. S. Dalton, F. C. McKinney, W. R. Stewart, J. C. Green, G. Johnson, T. T. Gurley, F. E. White, J. D. Foster, W. C. Tyson.



COMPANY H

Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain NELSON TIMLAKE

Second Lieutenant ROBERT L. GRAY

Second Lieutenant AUSTIN F. RAY

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant W. C. BROWN

SERGEANTS

DAVENPORT, CHARLES H.	HARDIN, JACK L.
DEAN, ALEXANDER P.	JOHNSON, WILLIAM E.
GREENE, VIRGIL	RUSSELL, HARRY D.
SPEAR, JOHN F.	

CORPORALS

BENNETT, JACK	LASSITER, DONAS H.
FELKER, MARCUS C.	PAYNE, JOHN H.
HUFF, CARL M.	SHEARON, FREDERICK L.
KINGEN, JESSE F.	STRICKLAND, M. L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BENNETT, EVAN	KING, ROBERT C., JR.
BROADAWAY, CLYDE E.	RUSSELL, LOUIS W.
GRAY, RUSSELL B.	STUDDARD, ELLIS H.
GREEN, JOE C.	TUCKER, JEFFERSON B.
HARDIN, TOLBERT F.	TYSON, W. C.
JOHNSON, GRADY	WALLACE, JAMES A.
KENNEDY, CRISTIN	WATKINS, FISHER



PRIVATES

BROADAWAY, DEWEY L.	JOHNSON, WM. M.
BURGESS, COL. B.	McKINNEY, FLOYD C.
CLIFTON, TROY T.	ROGERS, HENRY H.
COLEMAN, R. L.	SMITH, JAMES W.
COLN, CHESTER C.	SMITH, K. E., JR.
DALTON, ALVA S.	STEWART, WILLIAM R.
DAVENPORT, ROBT. E.	TANNER, RUSSELL E.
DELOACH, EUGENE B.	TUCKER, GEORGE E.
DELOACH, HOWELL C.	TYSON, JESSE W.
EVETTS, GARVIN M.	VANDERFORD, P. C.
FOSTER, J. D.	WALLACE, J. B.
GENTRY, JAMES E.	WALLACE, OMER L.
GURLEY, THELBERT T.	WALLACE, WILLIAM K.
HEARN, DAVID C.	WATKINS, JAMES M.
HOLLAWAY, H. D.	WHITE, FRED E.

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SECOND ROW: R. E. Tanner, J. E. Gentry, O. L. Wallace, T. W. Tyson, E. B. Deloach, H. C. Deloach, C. C. Coln, G. E. Tucker, O. F. Burcham.

THIRD ROW: C. E. Broadaway, L. W. Russell, C. M. Huff, F. Watkins, J. B. Tucker, W. M. Johnson, P. C. Vanderford, E. Bennett, G. M. Evetts, R. C. King, Jr.

FACTUAL HISTORY

This unit has been stationed in Corinth since June, 1926. Capt. John Benny, a German by birth and a member of the American Expeditionary Forces, served as first commander of the Company until his death in August, 1926.

Located at the junction of three railroad trunk lines, the home station is equi-distant from Pickwick Dam and Shiloh National Military Park. Armory facilities in the basement of the Courthouse are furnished by Alcorn County.

CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI

Company "H" has functioned with commendable efficiency on various tours of special duty including the Mississippi River flood at Greenville, 1927; negro trials at Jackson in 1927, Hernando in 1933, and Cleveland in 1935, and at the Tupelo tornado-stricken area in 1936.

Capt. Nelson Timlake, present commander, joined the unit in 1931 as First Lieutenant, and has commanded the Company from April, 1932, to July, 1932, and from April, 1937, to the present. He is a World War veteran and former artilleryman, with eleven months foreign service in the St. Mihiel offensive, the Argonne, and others.

Lieut. Robert L. Gray, formerly with the Organized Reserve Corp and R. O. T. C. graduate, is second in command. Second Lieut. Austin F. Ray came from the ranks. The non-commissioned officer personnel are all old-timers, and it is believed that this organization holds some undesignated record in total number of years service of "non-coms."



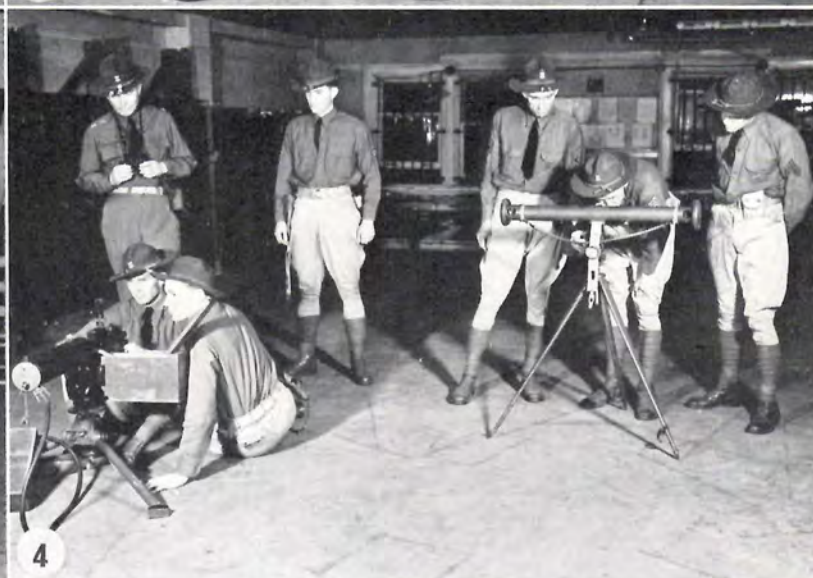
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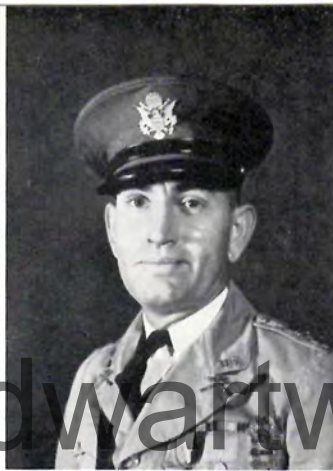
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COMPANY H
SECOND BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY
CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Machine Gunners in Firing Position.
3. Instruction in Assembling Machine Gun.
4. Range Finder.
5. Supply Room.
6. Mounting Machine Gun.



JOHN G. BERRY
Captain, Company I

DALLAS W. FUTCH
Captain, Company K



JOHN T. DAWSON
Captain, Company L

GLENN C. RUTLEDGE
Captain, Company M



FRED E. NICHOLSON
Major, Commanding Third Battalion



Officers, THIRD BATTALION ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



ELLIOTT E. FLOWERS
First Lieut., Headquarters Company



RICHARD D. WELCH
First Lieut., Company I



STANTON K. CALHOUN
First Lieut., Company K



CHARLES T. MUNN
First Lieut., Company L



HARRY L. DAVIS
First Lieut., Company M



JEWELL G. HAYNIE
Second Lieut., Headquarters Company



WILBUR E. KOONCE
Second Lieut., Company I



HAROLD E. RAND
Second Lieut., Company K



CHARLES O. LEWMAN
Second Lieut., Company L



HENRY L. WEBB
Second Lieut., Company M

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SECOND ROW: J. W. Cole, E. D. Lambert, W. L. Coker, J. C. White, J. B. Jones, T. M. Sanders, C. E. Reeves.

THIRD ROW: J. A. Garner, M. A. Brown, R. E. Lee, J. D. Harvey, G. T. Simmons, P. H. Freeman, H. C. Haynes, H. B. Herrin.



Headquarters
COMPANY

Third Battalion
MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Lieutenant ELLIOTT E. FLOWERS
Second Lieutenant JEWELL G. HAYNIE

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant STANLEY E. WELCH

SERGEANTS

BURT, WILLIAM P. HERRIN, HUGH B.
NEW, JOEL H.

CORPORALS

COLE, JEWELL W. SMITH, ESTUS B.
SANDERS, THOMAS M. WHITE, LUTHER D.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

EMPSON, BENJAMIN L. SIMMONS, GEORGE T.
LEE, ROBERT E. WHITE, JOE C.
PETERSON, CLIFTON M. WHITTINGTON, M. A.

PRIVATES

BARRON, WILLIAM M. GARNER, JESSE A.
BERNHEIM, GUS A. HAYNES, HAROLD C.
BROWN, MORGAN A. HARVEY, JAMES D.
CAUSEY, CLIFTON B. JONES, JOSEPH B.
COKER, WINFRED L. LAMBERT, EARL D.
FREEMAN, PETE H. REEVES, CLAUDE E.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Headquarters Company, Third Battalion, 155th Infantry, was Federally recognized on September 24, 1928, with two officers and seventeen enlisted men present. The unit was

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY

THIRD BATTALION

155TH INFANTRY

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organized by First Lieut. E. E. Flowers, its commanding officer since organization. Second Lieut. J. G. Haynie and Staff Sgt. Stanley E. Welch have likewise been members since its organization.

Upon the reorganization of the National Guard after the World War, the Company was originally placed at Laurel but its members were transferred to Company "I" at Laurel, and the unit itself was non-existent for a period of about two years prior to reorganization at its present location.

It has always been noted for its fine "esprit de corps." During summer camps it has earned the well-deserved reputation of keeping up more noise, notwithstanding the number of members, than any other organization.

The unit has just recently moved into its new Armory in the center of approximately ten acres of land, which, due to the natural terrain features, makes it an admirably suited area for communications training. The new Armory, also occupied by Company "L," is commodious in every detail, especially as to drill floor, assembly halls and storage facilities.

The annual turnover of personnel has been low, and each year there are only four or five new men to be initiated at camp by being run through the "Belt line." Its strength at the present time is two officers and twenty-nine men.



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1. Non-Commissioned Officers.

2. Intelligence Section.

3. Message Center.

4. Wire Section.





PRIVATES

DALY, JAMES E.	McCASKILL, JOHN E.
DEVRIES, HENRY L.	McMINN, ROBERT W.
DOGGETTE, JORDAN D.	McNEASE, LUKE E.
DRENNAN, JAMES R.	MONK, JEFFERSON C.
GARLAND, JAMES M.	ODOM, SEBORNE A.
HINTON, WILLIAM T.	PEARCEY, HAROLD W.
JACKSON, PRESTON L.	PEARCEY, MERRILL J.
LEGGETT, HERBERT C.	POPE, JASPER T.
LOCKHART, ROBERT G.	RAHAIM, JOHN
LOWE, HURSCHEL H.	READ, FOY E.
MASSEY, CURTIS A.	ROGERS, GREEN B., JR.
McBRIDE, HOLLIS H.	WHEELER, JAMES A.

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SECOND ROW: M. J. Pearcey, J. E. McCaskill, W. E. Barnes, P. J. Connolly, C. H. Crumbley, R. W. McMinn, R. F. Keveryn.

THIRD ROW: P. J. Sampey, H. W. Pearcey, T. Brogan, H. F. McBride, J. N. Garland, L. E. McNease, H. K. Boutwell, C. E. Whitman.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Laurel's first National Guard unit was organized in 1904, mustered out in 1906, and reorganized in 1914 as Company "C," Second Independent Battalion. When this Battalion was made a part of the First Mississippi Infantry and sent to Texas for the Mexican Border campaign, the Laurel unit was combined with "M" Company and served through that campaign as "M" Company, First Infantry. It was commanded by Capt. E. F. Bartlett, who also commanded it in France as part of the Thirty-ninth Division.

When the Thirty-ninth Division reached France in September, 1918, the First Infantry had already been designated the 155th Infantry. The Thirty-ninth Division, not credited with any engagements, furnished replacements for other units. Many of its members saw service in the Argonne and St. Mihiel drives.

Laurel also contributed a company to the Second Mississippi Infantry. It was organized in 1917 with Capt. Archie McCormack, First Lieutenant George H. Snyder, and Second Lieutenant Burns Deavours as its officers. This unit saw service in France in the Thirty-ninth Division.

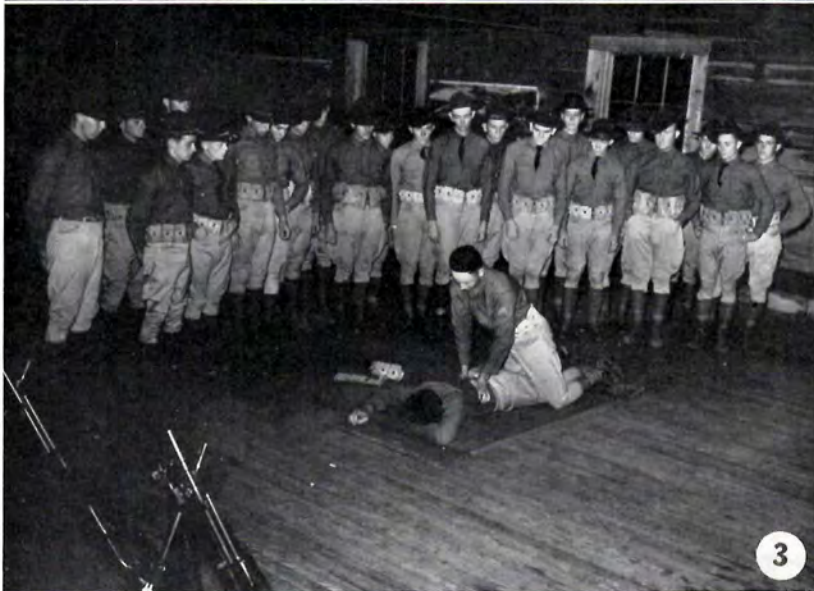
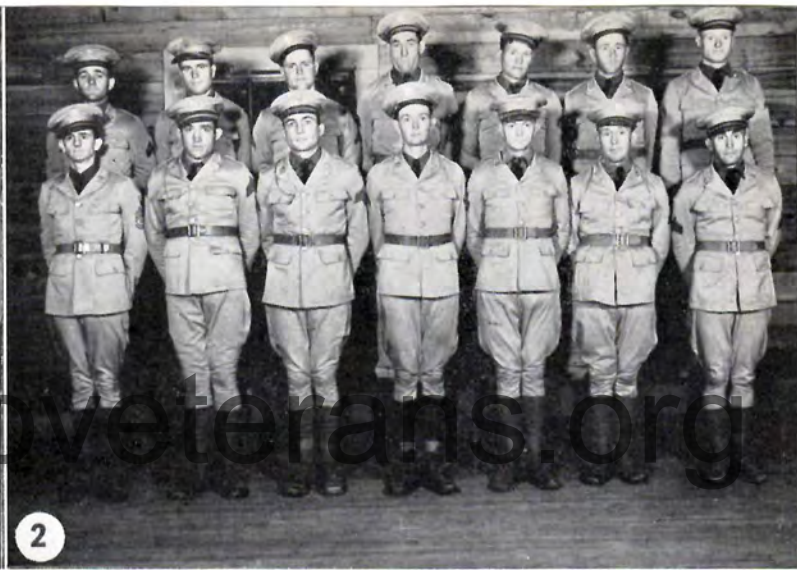
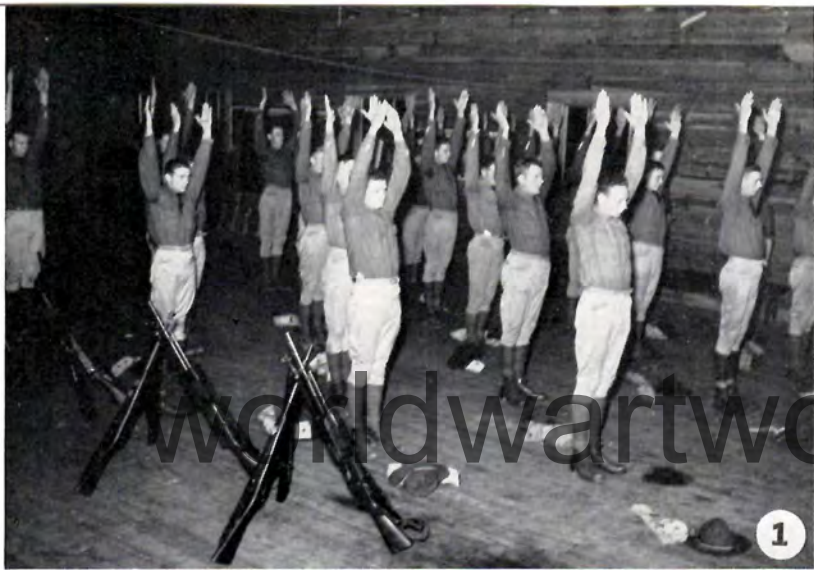
The present Company, organized in 1921 as Company "G" by Capt. George H. Snyder, was redesignated Company "I" on February 26, 1925. Its commanding officers have been George H. Snyder, Clarence Oden, W. A. Baker, E. F. Bartlett, F. E. Nicholson, Frank McKee, Guy E. Cathcart, and John G. Berry.

LAUREL, MISSISSIPPI



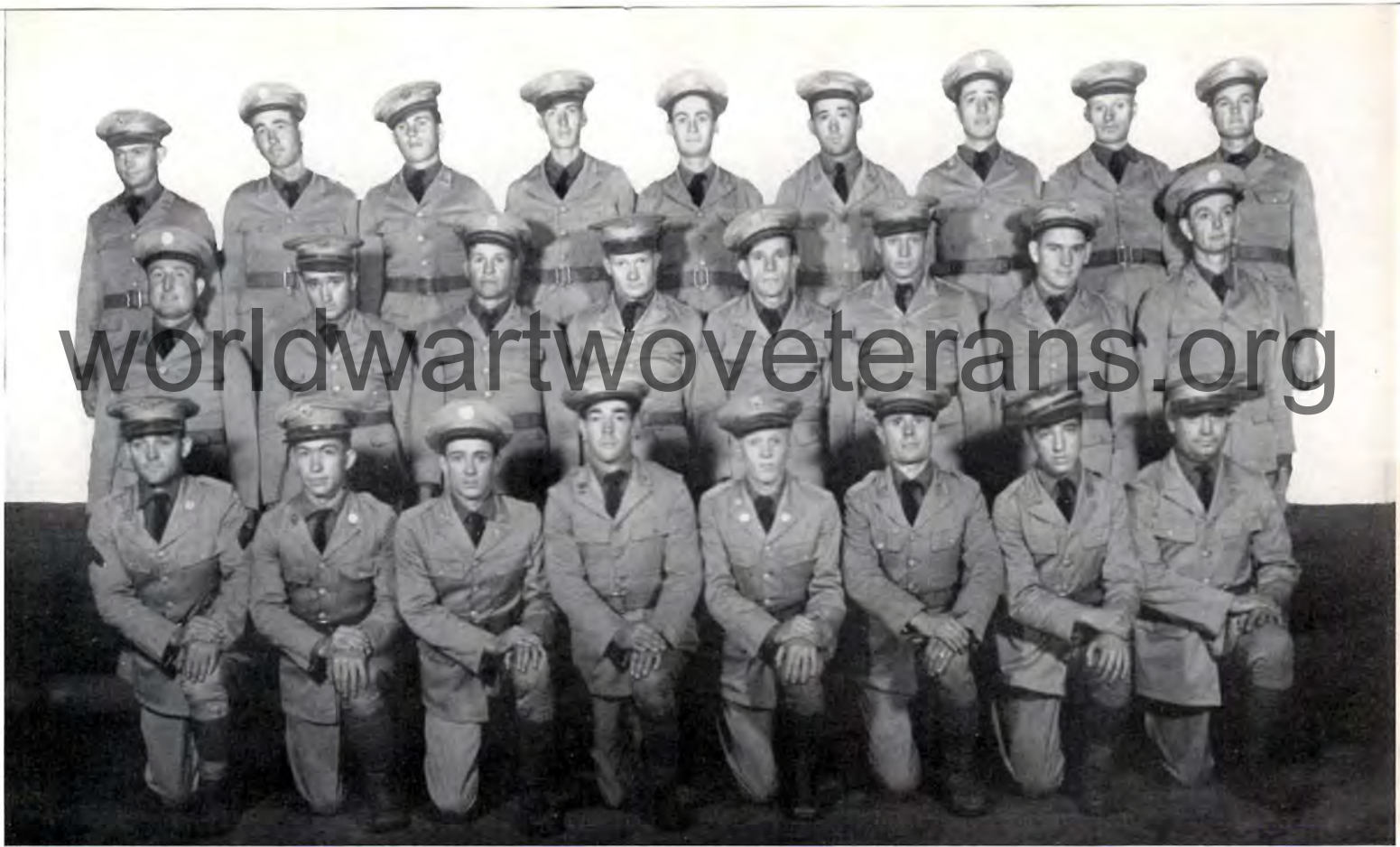
COMPANY I
THIRD BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY
LAUREL, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Rifle Instructions. (3) Automatic Rifle Instruction. (4) Supply Room. (5) Indoor Rifle Practice. (6) Company Front. (7) Rifle Team.



COMPANY K
THIRD BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY FIFTH
INFANTRY
TYLERTOWN, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Calisthenics. (2) Non-Commissioned Officers. (3) Artificial Respiration. (4) Rifle Marksmanship. (5) Musketry Instruction. (6) Company Inspection. (7) Automatic Rifle Instructions.



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FIRST ROW: H. E. Pezant, G. B. Lee, L. R. Morris, J. W. Brumfield, E. W. Lee, J. W. Blackwell, C. E. Cupstid, C. W. Traylor.

SECOND ROW: A. J. O'Quinn, T. Brock, D. W. Dillon, B. B. Creel, B. W. McDaniel, M. M. Johnson, A. Stogner, W. A. Fortenberry.

THIRD ROW: E. R. O'Quinn, J. E. Brumfield, H. Brock, H. W. Brumfield, S. Brock, C. C. Johnson, J. M. Swan, O. L. Stinson, J. M. Thornhill.



COMPANY K

Third Battalion

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain DALLAS W. FUTCH
First Lieutenant STANTON K. CALHOUN
Second Lieutenant HAROLD E. RAND

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant G. WERNER VAUGHT

SERGEANTS

BREELAND, CHANCIE R.	LASETER, ROY J.
BREELAND, MAJOR L.	LASETER, WILLIAM C.
BRODIE, MORRIS L.	O'QUINN, EDWARD R.
PEZANT, HENRY E.	

CORPORALS

BROCK, CHARLIE L.	FORTENBERRY, W. A.
DILLON, DUDLIE W.	GINN, LINARD L.
DILLON, JOHN	JOHNSON, RECIE E.
FORTENBERRY, N. F.	STINSON, OTTIS L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BROCK, SAMUEL	LEE, JAMES W.
BRUMFIELD, JAMES W.	MCDANIEL, EMMITT S.
BRUMFIELD, JOHN E.	O'QUINN, ARNIE J.
CRAWFORD, JACK D.	SMITH, GEORGE H.
JOHNSON, CASEY C.	TRAYLOR, CARWELL W.
LEE, GAIL B.	WALTERS, JAMES M.

PRIVATES

ALFORD, FRANK E.	BURCH, EARNEST J.
BENNETT, RAY V.	BURCH, HERMAN O.
BLACKWELL, J. W.	BURCH, MITCHELL L.
BROCK, HERMAN	CREEL, BRANDON B.
BROCK, TRUIT	CORMAN, WILLIAM C.
BROWN, FERNIE S.	CUPSTID, CHARLES E.
BROWN, OTTO E.	DAVIS, FRED A.
BROWN, P. J. JR.	DILLON, I. L.
BRUMFIELD, H. W.	DILLON, OTTIS E.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY



PRIVATES

ELLZEY, BROWN R.
FORTENBERRY, C. R.
FORTENBERRY, GEO. E.
HALEY, ARLOE E.
JELKS, FRED B.
JOHNSON, MILLARD M.
LANG, JOHNNIE
LEE, ELLIS W.
LEE, ROBERT E.
MARTIN, THEODORE B.

MORRIS, LEE R.
MORRIS, OTIS
MCDANIEL, BURLON W.
SMITH, DOYLE
SMITH, CHARLES F.
STOGNER, AZEL
SWAN, JAMES M.
THORNHILL, JAMES M.
THORNHILL, J. R., JR.
WOOD, ELTON E.

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THIRD ROW: W. C. Corman, R. J. Laseter, J. L. Lang, J. M. Walters, N. F. Fortenberry, J. R. Thornhill, R. E. Johnson, H. O. Burch, R. E. Lee.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Company "K," 155th Infantry, Mississippi National Guard, was organized at Tylertown, Mississippi, on May 31, 1924.

In 1927, this Company served on riot duty at Jackson, Mississippi. In September, 1934, it was called for duty to control a situation at Magnolia, Mississippi, arising out of the textile strike. In February, 1935, the Company was again called for duty to guard a negro from Jackson to Cleveland where he was tried and convicted and returned to Jackson.

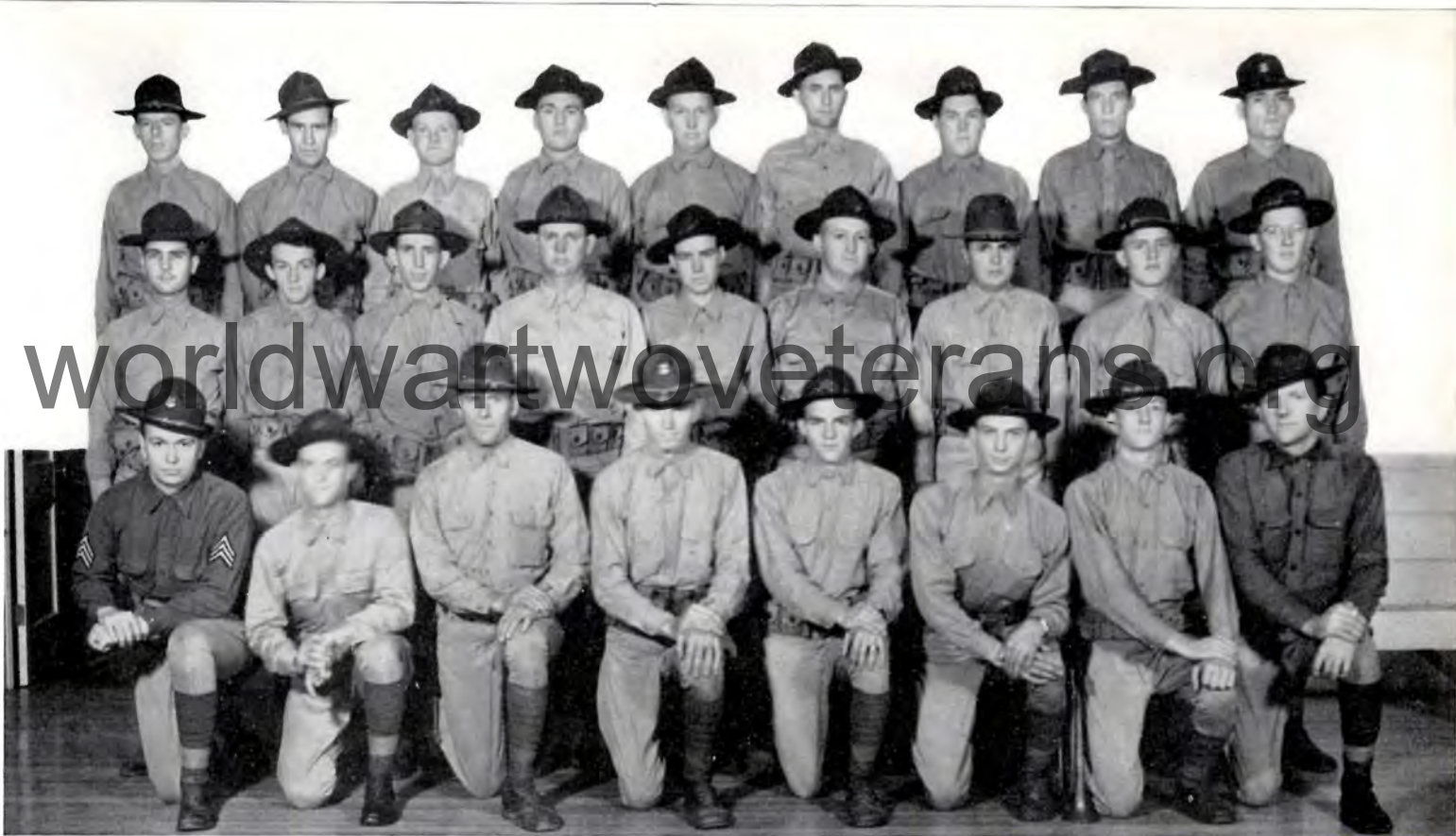
The Company served on the Gulf coast in April, 1937, when President Franklin D. Roosevelt visited there.

The original officers were Capt. Edgar Rushing, First

Lieut. Walter T. Simmons, and Second Lieut. Thomas T. Conerly, all of whom had seen service during the World War. Lieutenant Simmons and Lieutenant Conerly resigned their commissions after serving approximately a year and were succeeded by First Lieut. Dallas W. Futch and Second Lieut. Wood G. Ainsworth. Second Lieut. Wood G. Ainsworth resigned after approximately one year's service and was succeeded by Second Lieut. Stanton K. Calhoun.

Capt. Edgar Rushing served as Company Commander until January, 1930, when his civilian duties called him to Jackson, Mississippi, where he was assigned to staff duties. This vacancy was filled by promotion of First Lieutenant Futch to Captain. Second Lieutenant Calhoun was promoted to First Lieutenant, and Second Lieutenant David E. Lott, O. R. C., accepted a commission as Second Lieutenant in the Company. Lieutenant Lott resigned August, 1932, and this vacancy was filled by the appointment, in December, 1932, of Corp. Harold E. Rand as Second Lieutenant.

TYLERTOWN, MISS.



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SECOND ROW: W. B. Coker, L. H. Kelley, J. P. Kennedy, F. S. Busby, W. A. Reed, O. Light, E. J. Price, W. S. Walker, H. S. Magee.

THIRD ROW: R. L. Bornman, M. White, J. Johnston, R. Dykes, J. C. McDaniel, E. A. Weekley, M. A. Johnston, J. A. Hedge-
lin, J. N. O'Brien.



COMPANY L
Third Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain JOHN T. DAWSON
First Lieutenant CHARLES T. MUNN
Second Lieutenant CHARLES O. LEWMAN

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant LAWRENCE E. DAWSON

SERGEANTS

BILLINGS, HARRY D.	McKINNON, MIKE D.
McCULLOUGH, VAN C.	MAGEE, GROVER C.
McDANIEL, ALVA T.	O'BRIEN, ALVA L.
WEBB, HILTON P.	

CORPORALS

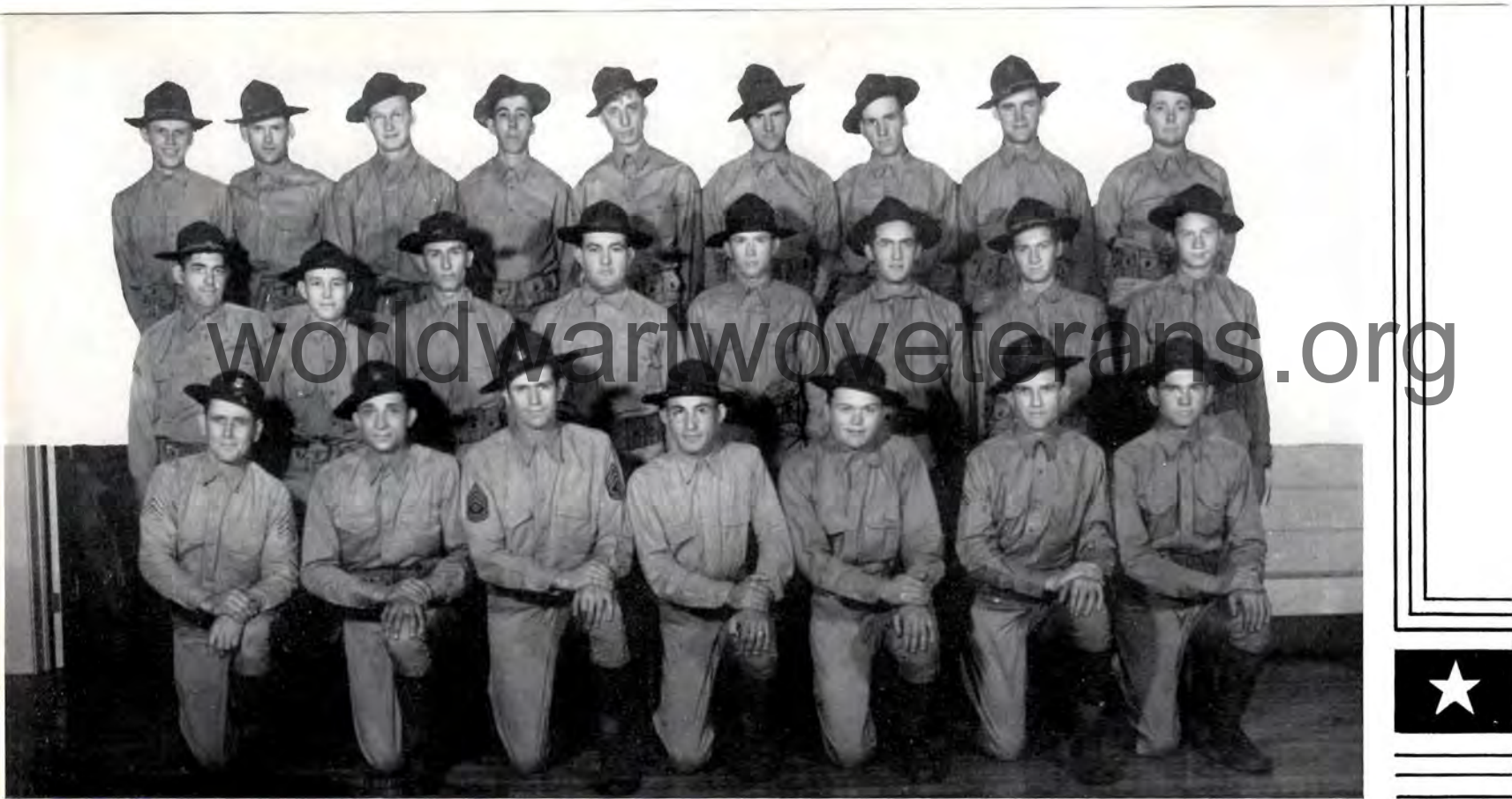
BREWER, ZENO C.	KENNEDY, CHARLES G.
BUSBY, FRED S.	MAGEE, LEROY
JONES, JOSEPH E.	PRICE, E. J.
KELLEY, RODNEY V.	ROBINSON, JAMES L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

COKER, WILLIAM B.	TOUCHSTONE, C. W.
KENNEDY, JOSEPH P.	VAN, GEORGE E.
LIGHTY, OLLO	WHITE, MELVILLE
McCORMICK, PAUL E.	WEEKLEY, ERIS A.
O'BRIEN, SMILEY E.	WIDMAN, BILLIE G.
PRICE, CARLTON B.	WILLIAMS, WALTER R.

PRIVATES

BARRETT, MERLE E.	BURRIS, MERVIN H.
BARRON, R. D.	BURRIS, THOMAS B.
BORNMAN, RALPH L.	BURRIS, WILTON E.
BURRIS, HILTON J.	CALLENDER, DENVER L.



PRIVATES

CASEY, ROBERT W.
DALEY, CHARLES B.
DYKES, RAIFORD
GUY, SIDNEY L.
HEDGELIN, JOHN A.
HEWITT, WILLIAM C.
JOHNSTON, JUDSON
JOHNSTON, MELVIN A.
KELLEY, DOUGLAS N.
KELLEY, LUTHER H.
KENNEDY, JOHN H.
LAMBRIGHT, W. L.

LEE, PAUL G.
LEWMAN, RUSSELL O.
MAGEE, HILBURN S.
MARTIN, EDGAR V.
MCDANIEL, JAMES C.
MOAK, ELMER J.
O'BRIEN, JULIUS N.
REED, WILLIAM A.
ROBERTS, ELDON M.
ROBINSON, HUGH M.
VAN, CLIFTON W.
WALKER, WINCIE S.

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SECOND ROW: C. G. Kennedy, C. W. Touchstone, D. L. Callender, S. E. O'Brien, C. B. Price, R. W. Casey, T. B. Burris, W. E. Burris.

THIRD ROW: E. M. Roberts, M. E. Barrett, W. L. Lambricht, E. J. Moak, E. V. Martin, B. G. Widman, A. L. O'Brien, H. J. Burris, L. Magee.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Using equipment transferred to McComb from Pascagoula, Mississippi, this unit was organized in June, 1925, by Peter E. Cullom. It was Federally recognized on July 14, 1925. It has been commanded by three captains, Peter E. Cullom, John B. Hudson, and John T. Dawson, the last in command since 1926.

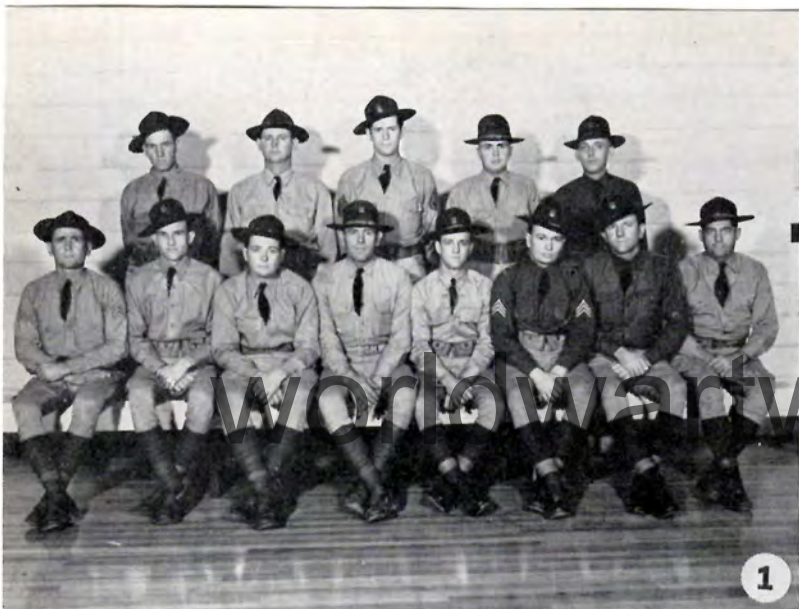
Only in training nine months before its first Federal inspection, Company "L" received the only "Very Satisfactory" rating in the State. Known as "Old Fighting

Company 'L,' this unit is noted for its interior guard. It was rated the best 155th Infantry Company on guard duty at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana.

The Company has answered several emergency calls. One officer and thirty men saw service at National Park in Vicksburg during the 1927 Mississippi River flood. Working with Red Cross authorities, the unit had charge of 6,000 Negro refugees, who were sheltered, fed and clothed. The unit has also been called out on riot duty at Hattiesburg, Jackson, Liberty, Cleveland, and Brookhaven.

Recently moving into its new \$35,000 Armory, Company "L" is now better equipped to carry on its excellent record.

McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI



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C O M P A N Y L

THIRD BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY

McCOMB, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.

2. Bayonet Drill.

3. Automatic Rifle Instruction.

4. Company Instruction.

5. Squad Wedge.

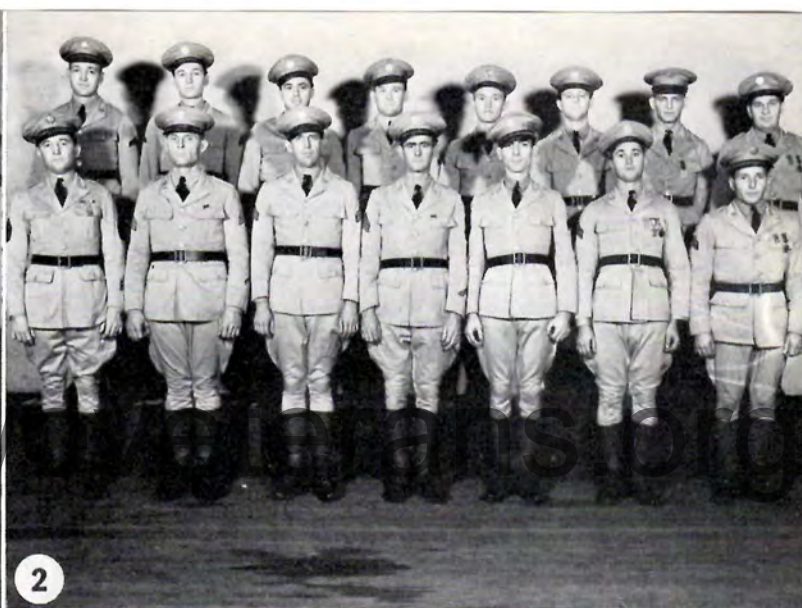
6. Calisthenics.



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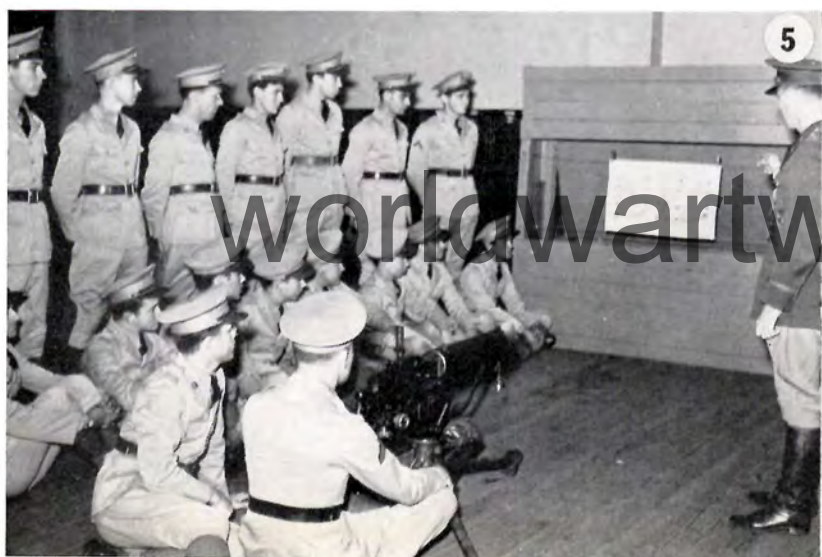
1. Gas Mask Instructions.
2. Non-Commissioned Officers.
3. Pistol Team.
4. Issue of Efficiency Medals.
5. Machine Gun Marksmanship.
6. Range Finder.

C O M P A N Y M

THIRD BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH
INFANTRY

GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI





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SECOND ROW: S. L. Cullifer, J. A. Savares, P. J. Casano, Jr., T. E. Cameron, R. E. Seymour, J. B. Garvin, C. P. Glover, W. A. Donaldson, H. V. Loflin.

THIRD ROW: W. C. Lewis, D. C. Scott, H. E. Miller, C. O. Dedeaux, T. Hickman, S. E. Aikin, W. N. Ethridge, G. W. Powers, J. D. Alfonso, O. C. Collins.



COMPANY M

Third Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIFTH INFANTRY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain GLENN C. RUTLEDGE
First Lieutenant HARRY L. DAVIS
Second Lieutenant HENRY L. WEBB

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant THOMAS O. KELLY

SERGEANTS

BUSSOLATI, LOUIS P. REAVES, GEORGE W.
JACKSON, IVAN V. SCHREINER, WM. J.
JENKINS, LAVERT S. SMITH, ERNEST L.
THOMAS, OCTAVE F. D.

CORPORALS

CASANO, PETER J., JR. LEWIS, WENDELL C.
ECCLES, DUDLEY M. MERRILL, WOODROW T.
ESCOBEDO, F. M., JR. SCULL, JAMES A.
KELLY, JAMES A. SEYMOUR, MAURICE L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

AIKIN, SYDNEY E. HICKMAN, THEODORE
CARTRETT, VICTOR H. LeBLANC, CRONAN P.
CHARLTON, WILLIAM E. KELLY, EDWARD J., JR.
CULLIFER, SIDNEY L. LOFLIN, HARLAN V.
DEDEAUX, CURTIS O. MANDAL, ROBERT A.
GARVIN, JAMES B. MILLS, SAMUEL A.
GUEL, EMILE J. SEYMOUR, ROBERT E.

PRIVATES

ALFONSO, CARL D. ALFONSO, VINCENT D.
ALFONSO, JOSEPH D. BALL, LEONARD D., JR.
ALFONSO, SALVADOR D. CAMERON, THOMAS E.



PRIVATES

CARANNA, SALVADOR P.
COLLINS, ORA C., JR.
COLLINS, WILLARD E.
CULLIFER, LUTHER, JR.
DONALDSON, WM. A.
ETHRIDGE, WILLIAM N.
GLOVER, CLAUDE P.
HOLCOMB, FRED D.
MILLER, HAROLD E.
MATTOX, CLAUDE D.
MCLEOD, HOOKER C.
MURPHY, VERNON J.

O'BRIEN, WILLIAM A.
POIRIER, ALFRED
POWERS, GORDON W.
RISH, MARION G.
RODRIGUEZ, IRVIN A.
SAVARESE, ERNEST B.
SAVARESE, JAMES A.
SCOTT, DUWARD C.
SPRADLEY, HAROLD D.
SWITZER, SPENCER A.
THOMAS, RODDIE C.
WIMPEE, THOMPSON D.

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SECOND ROW: T. O. Kelly, V. H. Cartrett, W. A. O'Brien, L. E. Cullifer, S. A. Switzer, S. P. Caranna, A. Poirier, V. J. Murphy, C. D. Mattox, L. D. Bald, Jr.

THIRD ROW: R. A. Mandal, L. P. Bussolati, E. J. Guel, M. L. Seymour, I. V. Jackson, G. W. Reaves, V. D. Alfonso, T. D. Wimpee, L. S. Jenkins, W. T. Merrill.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Gulfport's first militia company was organized in 1904, when the city itself was in its infancy. After a series of reorganizations and several long periods of inactivity, there emerged in 1921 a company of machine gunners, recognized by the Federal government on April 21 of that year as Company "M," First Mississippi Infantry. In November, 1921, the First Mississippi, including its Company "M," became the 155th Infantry, which designation remains in effect today.

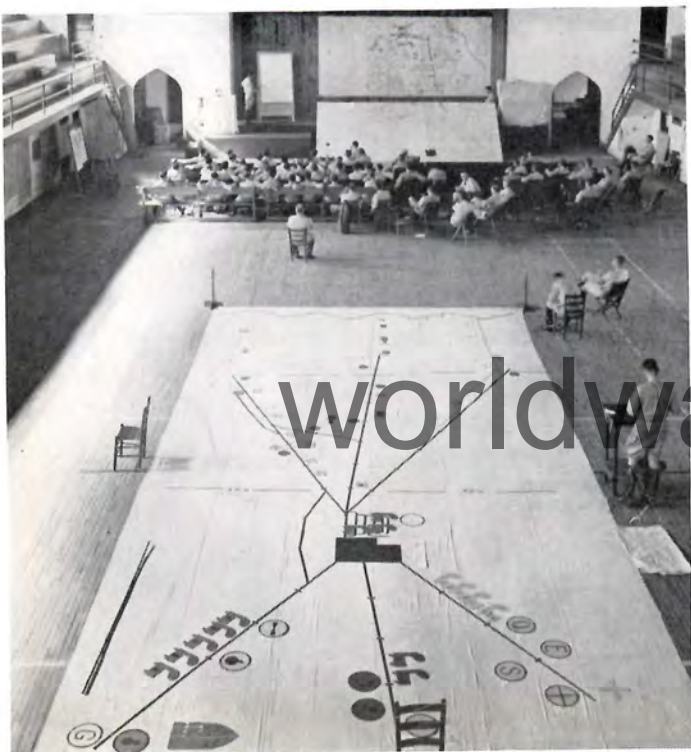
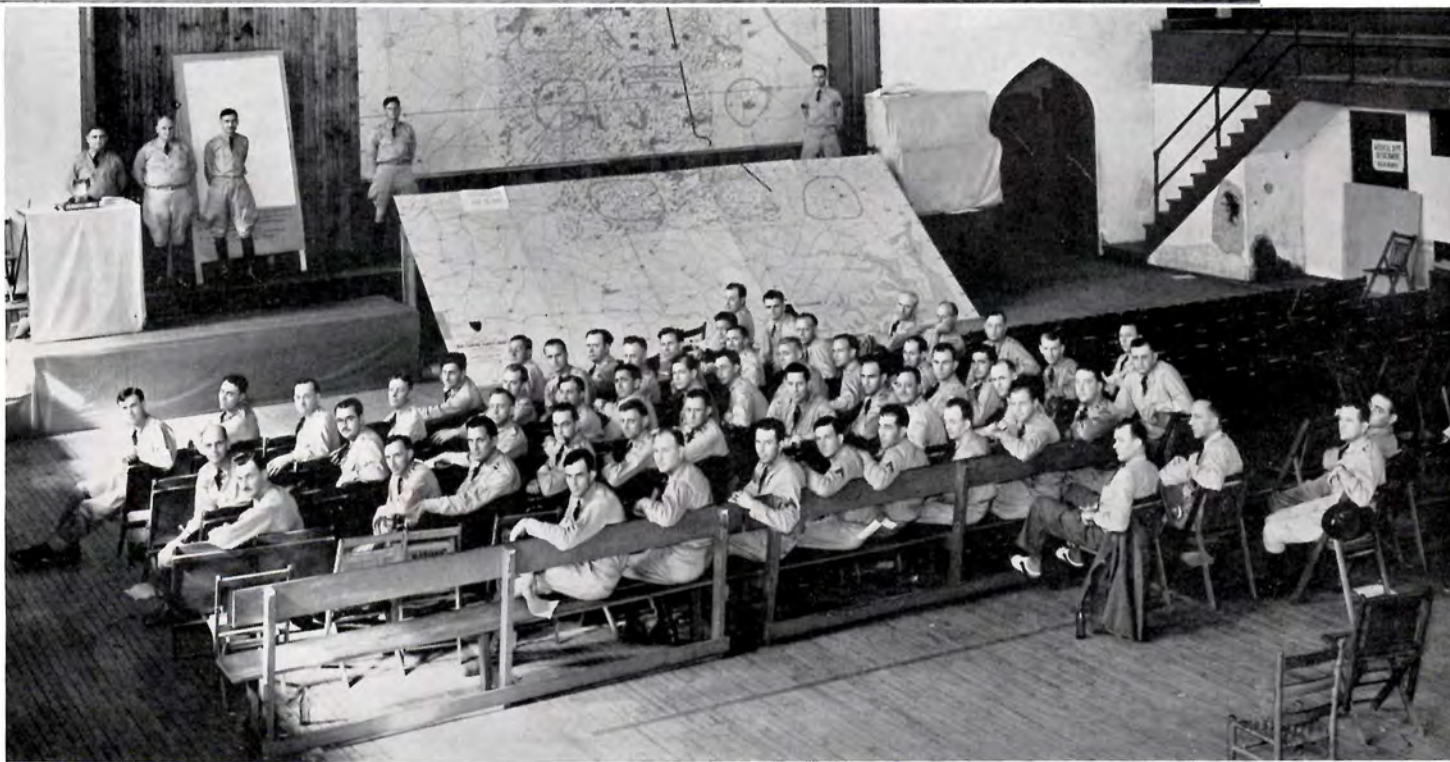
When emergencies have forced the governor to call for troops, Company "M" has served with distinction. In 1927, guardsmen from the seacoast knew how to man rescue

boats, as well as handle weapons, in refugee camps at Leland and Greenville. Company "M" stood annual Federal inspection in 1926 while walking posts around the Gulfport jail and also successfully guarded prisoners in Bay St. Louis, Jackson, and Cleveland on other occasions.

Machine guns of Company "M" bristled a warning against violence from the roof of a Magnolia, Miss., textile mill when labor troubles beset the industry in 1934. When President Franklin D. Roosevelt visited the Mississippi coast, the Gulfport unit messed and erected tents for a Battalion of troops and guarded the President from enthusiastic crowds as he boarded his train.

Three officers of this unit have completed courses at service schools. Nine of its non-commissioned officers have been awarded the coveted Mississippi Medal of Efficiency. Officers now on division and regimental staff and in the artillery and quartermaster regiments of the state were once enlisted men in Company "M."

GULFPORT, MISS.



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ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH

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Although organized as a regiment for only five years, the 114th Field Artillery boasts a high standard of professional qualification of its officers and non-commissioned officers, who have satisfactorily completed 24,000 hours of Command and General Staff and Army Extension courses.

Organized and Federally recognized originally as First Battalion, 178th Field Artillery, May 22, 1926, under command of Maj. A. G. Paxton, this organization had units at Greenville, Columbus and Water Valley (later transferred to Grenada).

Expanded to a regiment, under present regimental commander and Federally recognized May 20, 1933, it was redesignated as 114th Field Artillery and assigned as the medium regiment of the Fifty-sixth Field Artillery Brigade, Thirty-first Division. Regimental headquarters is located at Greenville, Headquarters Battery at Greenwood, Service Battery at Meridian, Band Section at University, Medical Detachment at Columbus, and Battalion units grouped as follows: First Battalion in the Delta, Second Battalion in Northeast Mis-

issippi, and Third Battalion in South Mississippi.

Units of the First Battalion served during the 1927 Mississippi River flood, while units of the regiment served following the Tupelo tornado of 1936 and in several minor emergencies. The Regiment participated in the Third Army maneuvers and was commended by the Third Army Commander. Field training has been held at Fort Knox, Kentucky; Camp Beauregard, Louisiana; and Fort Benjamin F. McClellan, Biloxi, Mississippi.

The regiment has graduated from the service schools: One officer, Command and General Staff School; seventeen officers, Field Artillery School; one officer, Chemical Warfare School, and two officers, Motor Transport School. Two enlisted men finished the Communications Course at Field Artillery School. The Regiment has developed the Conference-Demonstration Method of Tactical Instruction, presenting demonstrations on "Field Artillery in Support of the Reinforced Infantry Division in a Defensive Meeting Engagement" and "The Reinforced Corps in the Attack."

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ALEXANDER G. PAXTON

Colonel

Commanding One Hundred and Fourteenth Field Artillery

November 27, 1917, Commissioned First Lieutenant, Field Artillery. November 27, 1917, to May 21, 1918, attached to 345th Field Artillery. August 21, 1918, to September 18, 1918, commanded August Automatic Replacement Draft from Camp Jackson, S. C., to LeCorneau, France. May 2, 1918, promoted to Captain and assigned to command Battery "B," Eighth Field Artillery. August 15, 1919, discharged from Federal service. January 2, 1920, to 1926, Captain and Major, Field Artillery, O. R. C. May 22, 1926, to May 19, 1933, Major, commanding First Battalion, 178th Field Artillery, Mississippi National Guard. May 20, 1933, to present date, commanding 114th Field Artillery as Colonel.

Graduate: Field Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; Army Artillery School, Valdehon, France; Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. War Department General Staff Eligibility List.

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WILLIAM E. ROBERTS
Lieutenant Colonel, Executive Officer



ROBERT H. DAWSON
Captain (S-3)



FREDERICK W. KOOPS, JR.
Captain (S-1)



WILLIAM F. KERR
Captain, Headquarters Battery

STAFF AND REGIMENTAL UNIT OFFICERS

114th Field Artillery



FRANK McKEE
Captain, Service Battery



WILLIAM H. TWEEDY
First Lieutenant (S-2)



DUNCAN M. GRAY
First Lieutenant, Chaplain



PHILLIPS J. MYERS
First Lieut., Headquarters Battery

ROBERT P. ALSTON
First Lieut., Service Battery

BEVERLY M. LEIGH, JR.
Second Lieut., Service Battery

PAUL L. TATUM
Second Lieut., Service Battery

JACK C. BREYER
Second Lieut., Service Battery

LAURANCE METCALFE
Second Lieut., 56th Field Artillery
Brigade Headquarters





JOHN E. McDILL
Major, M. C.

CHARLES E. LEHMBERG
Captain, M. C., Commanding
Medical Detachment

GEORGE W. EUBANKS
Captain, M. C.

OSCAR W. CONNER
Captain, D. C.

LAWRENCE B. HUDSON
First Lieutenant, M. C.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT

114th Field Artillery

1. Resuscitation.
3. Bandaging.

2. Placing Patient on Litter.
4. Head Bandage.

Insert: First Sergeant Lemberg.





COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Major JOHN E. McDILL (M.C.)
Captain CHARLES E. LEHMBERG (M.C.)
Captain GEORGE W. EUBANKS (M.C.)
Captain OSCAR W. CONNER (D.C.)
First Lieutenant LAWRENCE B. HUDSON (M.C.)

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant CHARLES E. LEHMBERG, JR.

SERGEANT

DUCKWORTH, WM. A.

CORPORALS

CAMPBELL, LOUIE C. HARDY, ROBERT B.
WHITMAN, ELKINS O.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

COX, JAMES C. NORRIS, TROY B.
HUSBAND, RUSSELL B. SIMMONS, WILLIAM H.
SIMS, JOHN F. S.

PRIVATES

BROWN, WILLIAM L. SEAY, FRED B.
BROYLES, JAMES W. SHULL, EDWARD E.
ELLIS, LEWIS G., JR. SIMS, WILLIAM L., JR.
FRANK, EDWARD G. SMITH, JACK, JR.
GLOVER, JOHN D. WILSON, JULIUS B.
HARDY, ROU S. YARBROUGH, CLYDE D.
REICHLE, H. C., JR. JORDAN, JACKSON
RICHLE, HOHN A. POPE, WM. E., JR.
EAST, ROLAND

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SECOND ROW: R. L. East, J. E. Cox, J. D. Glover, E. E. Shull, L. G. Ellis, Jr., J. Smith, Jr., C. D. Yarbrough.

THIRD ROW: H. A. Reichle, J. B. Wilson, W. L. Sims, Jr., F. B. Seay, J. F. Jordan, W. H. Simmons, E. G. Frank.



Medical Department
DETACHMENT
COLUMBUS, MISSISSIPPI

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized and Federally recognized on June 9, 1931,
as the Medical Department Detachment, First Battalion.
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ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



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SECOND ROW: M. W. Stevens, O. C. Harlan, J. A. Mounger, J. L. Ball, W. J. Stockfish, W. R. McBride, V. V. French, D. Y. Morgan, S. M. Serio, J. W. Cockrell, C. W. Smith.

THIRD ROW: H. H. Lowry, T. C. Bilello, R. W. Moore, R. L. Tate, L. S. Kitchin, W. C. McMaster, W. H. Satterfield, B. R. McShan, G. T. Barrentine, W. E. McBunch, L. Scruggs, E. C. Carroll, J. B. Hathcock.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Granted Federal recognition in April, 1933, Headquarters Battery, 114th Field Artillery, has served under three commanders in its short history, but the personnel

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Headquarters
BATTERY
GREENWOOD, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain WILLIAM F. KERR
First Lieutenant PHILLIPS J. MYERS

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant GEORGE A. CHAMBLESS
First Sergeant JOHN E. ASHCRAFT
Staff Sergeant WALLACE R. CAMPBELL
Staff Sergeant CONGER H. JONES
Staff Sergeant JOSEPH R. PROPHET

SERGEANTS

CROSBY, JAMES JONES, DAVID W.
GAINES, WILFORD SMITH, CHARLES W.
Vining, Raymond P.

CORPORALS

CLARK, HENRY V., JR. MORGAN, DONALD Y.
DUCKETT, GRADY M. SERIO, SALVO M.
HARLAN, OSBORN C. SHARP, JAMES R.
KITCHIN, LEON S. WATSON, THOMAS A.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

AIKEN, HENRY M., JR. MCSHAN, BYRUM R.
BALL, JAMES L. MOORE, ROBERT H.
BILELLO, THOMAS C. MOORE, RODNEY W.
CAMPBELL, JACK W. MOUNGER, JAMES A.
DEFOORE, GRADY S. POSS, JEWEL P., JR.
DULIN, ROBERT O. SATTERFIELD, WM. H.
HATHCOCK, J. B., JR. STEVENS, MILTON W.

PRIVATES

BARRENTINE, GEO. T. MCBUNCH, WILLIAM E.
CARROLL, EARL C. McMASTER, WM. C.
CARTER, WM. H., JR. MEEKS, EDWIN L.
COCKRELL, JAMES W. MONK, RAYMOND C.
DAVES, ROY V. MYERS, GEORGE S.
FRENCH, VIRGIL V. POSS, JAMES L.
GALEY, GEORGE W. POSS, ROBERT N.
GORDON, JACK SCRUGGS, LEONARD, JR.
GORDON, WILLIAM D. SERIO, SALVO C.
GOSS, SAMMIE M. SMITH, BERNARD M.
JOINER, ROWELL A. SMITH, RAY L.
LOWRY, HIRAM H., JR. STOCKFISCH, W. J.
MAKAMSON, OTTO D. SULLIVAN, B. W., JR.
MCBRIDE, WILLIAM R. TATE, ROBERT L., JR.
UPSILUR, ROBERT A.

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY

has shown splendid spirit and cooperation as exemplified by the volunteer aid of the men when the Armory caught fire from unknown causes on August 25, 1938, causing loss and destruction to clothing and equipment. The Battery turned out almost to a man and voluntarily salvaged as much equipment as possible. Despite shortage of clothing and equipment because of the fire, the Battery carried on with its training. A W. P. A. project to build a suitable Armory for the organization is underway, being sponsored by the City of Greenwood and Leflore County.

In 1933, the Battery, as an organization, did not attend field training because of its recent organization. A few selected sergeants, however, attended field training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. In 1934 and 1935, the Battery trained with the regiment at Fort Knox. In 1936 and 1937, the Battery attended field training at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

In 1938, the organization participated in the Third Army maneuvers in South Mississippi. The unit received more practical training than most units because communications were installed and maintained during the entire operations and not "simulated" as other conditions had to be.

Capt. William V. Tarver, under whose command the unit was organized, was succeeded by Capt. Frederick W. Koops, Jr., then a Second Lieutenant. Captain Koops was transferred to the regimental staff on January 18, 1937, with Capt. William F. Kerr (then First Lieutenant) assuming command.



1. Non-Commissioned Officers.

2. Motor Detail.

3. Radio and Telephone Details.

4. Headquarters Detail.

Insert: William H. Carter, Jr.,
Clerk, Regimental Headquarters.

5. Instrument and Scout Details.





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FIRST ROW: M. Blanks, W. J. Harrington, E. T. Flanagan, H. L. Rainer, M. H. Brame, J. N. Harrington, H. C. Flanagan, L. M. Dudley, A. P. Nelson, J. R. Ison, H. W. Markline.

SECOND ROW: J. B. Johnson, H. R. Owen, H. C. Williams, B. F. Birdsong, T. L. Mitchell, O. E. Williams, R. T. Leigh, J. T. Fairchild, J. H. Melton, J. L. Flowers, W. B. May.

THIRD ROW: U. W. Camp, R. C. Webb, D. W. Jones, J. L. Carter, R. L. Butts, D. A. Powers, J. O. Harrison, H. L. Havens, R. W. Johnson, Sr., P. P. Bennett, W. P. Still, W. T. Douglas, C. V. Hinton.



Service

BATTERY

MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain FRANK McKEE
First Lieutenant ROBERT P. ALSTON
Second Lieutenant JACK C. BREYER
Second Lieutenant BEVERLY M. LEIGH, JR.
Second Lieutenant PAUL L. TATUM

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant DAN W. JONES
Master Sergeant CARL F. WALTERS
First Sergeant MOSBY BLANKS
Staff Sergeant WILLIAM J. HARRINGTON

SERGEANTS

FLOWERS, JACK L. MARKLINE, HUGH W.
MAY, WALTER B. MELTON, JAMES H.

CORPORALS

FLANAGAN, HENRY C. JOHNSON, ROBT. W., JR.
HARRISON, JACK O. POWERS, DENMAN A.
HAVENS, HENRY L. RAINER, LOUIE

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

COVINGTON, FRANCIS A. WEBB, RAE C.
STILL, WRIGHT P. WILLIAMS, OSWALD E.

PRIVATES

BENNETT, PRESTON P. FLANAGAN, EUGENE T.
BIRDSONG, BENJAMIN F. HARRINGTON, JOHN N.
BLANKS, ROBERT L., JR. HINTON, CHARLES V.
BRAME, MILTON H. ISON, JIMMY R.
BUTTS, ROBERT L. JOHNSON, JAMES B.
CAMP, USHER W. LEIGH, ROBERT T.
CARTER, JOHN L., JR. MITCHELL, TOM L.
DOUGLAS, WILLIAM T. NELSON, AUTHUR P.
DUDLEY, LAWRENCE M. OWEN, HENRY R.
FAIRCHILD, JOHN T. WILLIAMS, HARRIS C.

FACTUAL HISTORY

As all units of the Mississippi National Guard had been allotted to other cities shortly after the World War and no effort had been made to reorganize a unit in Meridian,
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Band Drilling

1. Field Stripping Pistol.
2. Field Stripping Automatic Rifle.
3. Trucks and Drivers.
4. Instruction in Truck Repair and Maintenance.
5. Administrative Staff Section.

SERVICE BATTERY AND BAND SECTION

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY



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SECOND ROW: H. C. Sanders, D. C. Hughes, E. W. Montgomery, E. Rappaport, D. L. Waterman, R. W. Sharpe, F. S. Bowling, C. W. Duckworth, C. P. Windham, H. E. Glazier, Jr.
THIRD ROW: H. L. Simmons, I. M. Sebelsky, C. S. Longino, H. T. Ross, L. T. Suber, Jr., H. F. Sherman, R. J. Barnett, G. Gerard, C. F. Dietz, J. P. Kirkpatrick.



RICHARD N. WHITFIELD, JR.
First Lieutenant and Warrant Officer

COMMISSIONED OFFICER

First Lieutenant RICHARD N. WHITFIELD, JR.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Technical Sergeant JOHN W. DELOACH
Staff Sergeant MORGAN G. ROSEBOROUGH

SERGEANTS

BOWLING, FRANCIS S. GLAZIER, MERVIN C.
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CORPORALS

KIRKPATRICK, JACK P. SUBER, LEWIS T., JR.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BRANIGIN, JAMES E. RUST, WILLIAM E., JR.
DIETZ, CHARLES F. SIMMONS, H. L., JR.
GERARD, GUS, II. TAYLOR, HERMAN E.
WATERMAN, DAVID L.

PRIVATES

BARNETT, ROBERT J. MORGAN, MINOR L.
BRANDT, JOHN J. RAPPAPORT, EDWARD
HUGHES, DANIEL C. ROSS, HARVEY T.
KEY, BEN O. SANDERS, HERBERT C.
LEVINE, HAROLD L. SEBULSKY, IRWIN M.
LONGINO, C. S., JR. SHARPE, ROBT. W., JR.
McLAUGHLIN, G. L. SHERMAN, HAROLD F.
MONTGOMERY, E. W. WINDHAM, CHAS. P.
WOODWARD, CLAUDE J.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized on May 27, 1933, the Band Section, Service Battery, 114th Field Artillery, was located at the University of Mississippi, with Warrant Officer Roscoe R. Coates, director of band work on the campus. Within the group, there was organized a dance band to furnish music for

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BAND
OXFORD, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



JAMES E. SHAW, JR.
Captain, Headquarters Battery
and Combat Train



DAVID P. LATHAM
Captain, Battery A



FRED O'BANNON
Captain, Executive Officer



THOMAS L. BAGGETTE
First Lieutenant (S-1)



JAMES A. LAKE, JR.
Major, Commanding First Battalion

Officers
FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED
FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

JOHN D. WINTER, JR.
First Lieutenant (S-3)

JAMES M. McCORMACK
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train

ELI S. DAVIS, JR.
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train

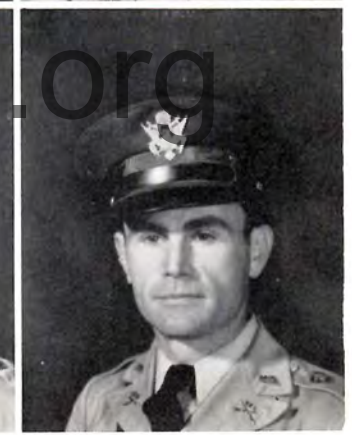
WILLIAM P. FULLER
Second Lieut., Battery A

WILLIAM H. WISEMAN
Second Lieut., Battery A

WILLIAM J. MARTIN
Second Lieut., Battery A

DABNEY W. TOWNSEND
First Lieut., Battery B

LESTER R. THOMPSON
Second Lieut., Battery B





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SECOND ROW: R. H. Murphy, D. A. Austin, V. C. Collins, J. L. Houston, W. K. Vick, C. H. Walker, J. E. Payne, Jr., L. B. Grantham, G. E. Clanton.

THIRD ROW: J. C. Austin, C. A. Roane, R. C. Griffin, Jr., H. J. Patterson, C. B. Hendricks, L. R. Thomas, E. E. Litten, John D. Grantham, H. M. Brown.



Headquarters

BATTERY AND
COMBAT TRAIN

FIRST BATTALION
GRENADA, MISSISSIPPI

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain JAMES E. SHAW, JR.
Second Lieutenant JAMES M. MCCORMACK
Second Lieutenant ELI S. DAVIS, JR.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant WILLIAM O. PRATHER
Staff Sergeant LOUIE C. ANGEVINE
Staff Sergeant ROY L. GRANTHAM

SERGEANTS

BIDDY, JAMES H. FINNEY, GEORGE R.

CORPORALS

AUSTIN, DWIGHT A. MING, NAPOLEON H.
BURT, BASIL G. MURPHY, ROBERT H.
HOOKER, JAMES R. NAIL, HOUSTON B.
PREWITT, THOMAS B.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

AUSTIN, JAMES C. PATTERSON, HUBERT J.
GRANTHAM, LOYD B. WALKER, CYRIL H.

PRIVATES

BROWN, HARRY M. LITTEN, EARL E.
CLANTON, GUY E. MANN, BILL
COLLINS, VERNON C. PAYNE, JOHN E., JR.
DAVIS, RALPH J. ROANE, CHAPMAN A.
GRANTHAM, JOHN D. SANDERS, WILLIAM D.
GRIFFIN, R. C., JR. THOMAS, LEE R.
HENDRICKS, CECIL B. VICK, WAYNE K.
HOUSTON, JAMES L. WEISSKER, WILLIAM L.
WHITAKER, W. W., JR.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized as Headquarters Battery and Combat Train,
178th Field Artillery, at Water Valley, Mississippi, on
December 17, 1926, this unit's original officer personnel

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY AND COMBAT TRAIN

FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY

consisted of Capt. G. L. Cafford, commanding; First Lieut. G. T. Edwards, and Second Lieut. W. R. West, who as a First Lieutenant, succeeded Lieutenant Edwards upon the latter's resignation. Sgt. L. O. Burris was promoted to Second Lieutenant.

The organization was moved from Water Valley to Grenada in November, 1929. Lieutenant Burris was made Captain and commander. Fred S. Nason, First Lieutenant, was assigned in March, 1930, resigning September, 1930. First Sgt. J. E. Shaw, Jr., was promoted to First Lieutenant on January 1, 1931, and in July Lieut. J. B. Owens was assigned to this Battery.

In April, 1933, the 114th Field Artillery Regiment was formed and assigned to Mississippi. This Battery was redesignated as Headquarters Battery and Combat Train, First Battalion, 114th Field Artillery. Captain Burris resigned in May, 1933. First Lieut. J. E. Shaw was made Captain and commander. Second Lieut. J. B. Owens was named First Lieutenant and Sgt. James M. McCormack was named Second Lieutenant. Owens resigned in June, 1936. In May, 1938, E. Davis, Second Lieutenant, was assigned to this Battery.

This organization served on duty during the Mississippi River flood, 1927; strike duty at Kosciusko, September, 1934; guard duty at Cleveland, February, 1935, during the trial of James Coyner; flood duty in Leflore County, March, 1935; and on tornado duty at Tupelo, April, 1936.

1. Battalion Switchboard.
2. Fire Direction.
Insert: Corporal Thomas Prewitt.
3. Panel Section.
4. Wire Section.
5. Instrument Detail.





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FIRST ROW: O. Holland, L. Lackey, T. L. Rose, D. A. Bean, W. B. Smith, R. L. Bean, A. A. Graves.

SECOND ROW: H. R. Kyle, R. E. Conner, F. B. Satterfield, A. A. Burgess, A. J. Finger, W. G. Ware, R. F. Gibbons.

THIRD ROW: C. R. Walton, W. L. Durham, W. F. Bates, H. E. Bean, J. T. Harmon, J. T. Gann, W. D. Pender, J. V. Edwards.



BATTERY A

First Battalion

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain DAVID P. LATHAM
Second Lieutenant WILLIAM P. FULLER
Second Lieutenant WILLIAM J. MARTIN
Second Lieutenant WILLIAM H. WISEMAN

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant OLIN HOLLAND
Staff Sergeant LEROY LACKEY

SERGEANTS

BEAN, DEMOUS A. ROSE, TOMMIE L.
FULLER, EVERETT H. SMITH, WILLIAM B.
SANDERSON, BYRON M.

CORPORALS

BEAN, ROBERT L. RUSSELL, SIDNEY W.
ELLIOTT, THOMAS J. SAIA, SAM
GRAVES, ALFRED A. FISHER, JOHN H.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BERRY, LEON GIBBONS, RUFUS F.
BERRY, WILLIAM N. KNOX, JOHN W.
BOATRIGHT, EDWARD E. MCGAUGH, EDMOND B.
DOTSON, JIMMIE W. O'HARA, HARRY E.
DURHAM, WILLIAM L. SPROLES, HENRY L.
WATSON, HENRY O.

PRIVATES

AXTON, SAM T. DAVISSON, ROBERT H.
BATES, WILLIAM F. EDWARDS, J. V.
BEAN, HOMER D. EVANS, WIGGINS E.
BEAN, HUBART E. FINGER, ALBERT J.
BURGESS, ALBERT A. GANN, JAMES T.
CONNER, ROBERT E. GRAVES, HAMPTON T.
DAVISSON, BERNARD L. HUGHWOOD, GILBERT B.



HARMON, JAMES T.
HOPKINS, WOODROW W.
JACKSON, LEROY P.
JACOBS, AARON
KELLEY, BOBBIE E.
KELLY, GENE F.
KYLE, ALVIN L.
KYLE, HERMAN R.
KYLE, VICTOR W.
MCCAIN, MITCHELL W.
MCGAUGH, JILES H.
MYRES, BILL
NICHOLS, JAMES D.

NORWOOD, QUINON M.
PENDER, WALTER D.
PHILLIPS, ROYCE L.
SATTERFIELD, FRED B.
SECOY, CHARLES G.
SIMS, DOYLE S.
SMITH, WILLIAM B.
UPCHURCH, JAMES H.
WARE, WILLIAM G.
WALDROP, DUELL E.
WALTON, CHARLES R.
WHORTON, ALVIN D.
WISE, JOHN F.

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FIRST ROW: E. H. Fuller, S. Saia, J. H. Fisher, T. J. Elliot, H. E. O'Hara, W. B. Smith, W. N. Berry, B. M. Sanderson.

SECOND ROW: D. E. Waldrop, B. L. Davidson, D. S. Sims, R. H. Davidson, G. F. Kelly, J. H. McGaugh, A. L. Kyle, Q. M. Norwood, L. Berry.

THIRD ROW: M. W. McCain, E. B. McGaugh, B. E. Kelley, J. W. Dotson, A. D. Whorton, A. Jacobs, W. E. Evans, H. D. Bean, S. W. Russell.

FACTUAL HISTORY

This unit was first organized in 1924 as Battery "A," 178th Field Artillery, by Capt. Forrest Fowler, with First Lieut. Haycraft Finlay, and Second Lieuts. S. B. Thomas and George E. McMillan. Captain Fowler and Lieutenant Finlay resigned in 1926, with Thomas being promoted to Captain and McMillan to First Lieutenant. In 1926, Fred O'Bannon was commissioned Second Lieutenant with the Battery.

The unit served with distinction on flood duty from April 14 to July 16, 1927. Sgt. David P. Latham was promoted to Second Lieutenant at this time.

GREENVILLE, MISS.

In October, 1929, Captain Thomas resigned. Lieutenant McMillan, promoted to Captain, assumed command. O'Bannon was promoted to First Lieutenant and First Sgt. Robert H. Dawson to Second Lieutenant.

R. S. McFarlane, appointed Second Lieutenant in May, 1933, resigned on June 1, 1934. Second Lieut. Laurence Metcalfe joined the Battery in November, 1933, being transferred to the Brigade Staff in October, 1934. Sgt. William P. Fuller was commissioned Second Lieutenant on November 27, 1934. Second Lieut. John D. Winter, assigned in March, 1935, remained until August 5, 1936, when he was transferred to the Battalion Staff.

When Captain McMillan was promoted to Major, O'Bannon assumed command as Captain, with Latham as First Lieutenant. Captain O'Bannon transferred to the Battalion Staff in January, 1937. Latham was appointed Captain on December 21, 1937. Second Lieut. William J. Martin, transferred from the O. R. C., was assigned to the Battery June 24, 1937.



BATTERY A

FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY
GREENVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

- (1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Coupling to Prime Mover.
(3) Company Front. (4) First Gun Crew at Cannoneers Post.
(5) Telephone Section. (6) Map Section. (7) Installing Lines.



B A T T E R Y B
 FIRST BATTALION
 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY
 LEXINGTON, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Trucks and Drivers. (2) Non-Commissioned Officers. (3) Loading Piece. (4) Wire and Telephone Detail. (5) Laying. (6) Instrument Section. (7) Switchboard.



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FIRST ROW: M. K. Ginn, P. J. Rogers, A. P. Shepherd, M. E. Holloman, W. H. Fincher, W. F. Elmore, Jr., J. L. Harrison.

SECOND ROW: C. E. Brown, B. F. Byrd, S. W. Hodges, B. J. Allen, T. E. Haffey, A. R. Farmer, J. E. Fowler, G. A. Johnson.

THIRD ROW: A. H. Johnson, H. S. Johnson, J. L. Moorhead, R. W. Owen, L. H. Johnson, G. P. Farmer, R. B. Carroll, D. F. Malone.



BATTERY B

First Battalion

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ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain EDWIN T. NEILSON

First Lieutenant DABNEY W. TOWNSEND

Second Lieutenant GEORGE O. POVALL

Second Lieutenant LESTER R. THOMPSON

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant MARION K. GINN

Staff Sergeant PETER J. ROGERS

SERGEANTS

FINCHER, WM. H., JR. LAWSHE, VAN L., JR.

HOLLOMAN, MILES E. MOSES, JOHN W.

SHEPHERD, A. P.

CORPORALS

BALDWIN, PAUL A. HATHCOCK, JOHN H.

DUKE, ROBERT L. HARRISON, JESSE L.

ELMORE, WM. F., JR. JOHNSON, LINWOOD M.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

EDWARDS, JAMES W. JOHNSON, LUCIUS H.

FOWLER, JAMES E. JOHNSON, WILL B.

HAFFEY, CHARLES M. LAMMONS, BENJAMIN

HANNA, WILL A., JR. MALONE, DANIEL F.

HILDERBRAND, C. P. SALLIS, AMBROSE J.

HOLDER, R. C. SALLIS, MARTIN E.

JOHNSON, HYMON S. TAYLOR, T. R., JR.

PRIVATES

ALLEN, BISHOP J., JR. BAUGHN, WALTER J.

BARRENTINE, JAS. R. BENNETT, GEORGE W.



PRIVATES

BOUCHILLON, AMZY W.	JOHNSON, AUBREY H.
BROWN, CHARLES E.	JOHNSON, GRAYDON A.
BROWN, PERRY H.	JOHNSON, RICHARD E.
BYRD, BENNIE F.	MARTIN, JOHN V.
CARROL, ROBERT B.	MOORHEAD, FRED M.
DICKEN, JAMES A.	MOORHEAD, JAS. L., JR.
DOUGLAS, WILL E.	MORRIS, HERBERT C.
DURHAM, WILLIAM E.	OWEN, ROY W.
FARMER, GARY P.	PEPPER, DANIEL G.
FARMER, LESLIE	PORTER, NORMAN D.
FERRELL, CECIL C.	PRESLEY, SAM
GILMORE, WILLIAM C.	RICKS, WILLIAM S.
HAFFEY, THOMAS E.	STEEN, ALFRED C.
HODGES, SAM W.	WILSON, CURRY V.
WHITTEN, PAUL A.	

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SECOND ROW: C. P. Hilderbrand, D. G. Pepper, W. B. Johnson, W. J. Baughn, R. E. Johnson, B. M. Lammons, P. A. Whitten, T. R. Taylor, Jr.

THIRD ROW: J. W. Edwards, F. M. Moorhead, J. A. Dicken, W. C. Gilmore, H. C. Morris, C. C. Ferrell, J. R. Barrentine, P. H. Brown.

Lieutenant that the organization had its full quota of officers.

The unit did not attend field training in 1933, but in July, 1934, attended field training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. On June 8, 1934, the unit moved into its Armory, which was built by the city with Federal aid. The unit was on duty in Tupelo during the visit of President Roosevelt on November 18, 1934.

Making the trip in trucks, the unit attended field training at Fort Knox in the summer of 1935, while the field training periods for 1936 and 1937 were at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

Sgts. George O. Poval and Lester R. Thompson were commissioned Second Lieutenants in June, 1936. The unit attended the Third Army Maneuvers in DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi, in August, 1938.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Battery "B," 114th Field Artillery, was organized in April, 1933, and mustered in on April 26, 1933, with one officer and fifty enlisted men. Capt. Andrew B. Holder, who transferred from the Officers Reserve Corps, was in command. In June, 1933, Edwin T. Neilson and Hillery E. White, original members of the Battery, were commissioned Second Lieutenants. It was not until June, 1934, when Dabney W. Townsend was commissioned Second

LEXINGTON, MISS.



ROBERT H. HOLMES, JR.
Major, Commanding Second Battalion



DAVID D. PATTY
Captain, Executive Officer



HENRY H. HUNTER
Captain, Headquarters Battery
and Combat Train



SAM H. LONG
Captain, Battery C

Officers

SECOND BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



JESSE R. McPHERSON
Captain, Battery D



THOMAS H. CRIGLER
First Lieutenant (S-1)



JOHN D. JOHNSTON
First Lieutenant (S-2 and S-3)



JULIAN T. REEDER
First Lieut., Battery D



LAWRENCE L. MULLINS
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train



JACK D. MULLEN
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train



RALPH E. MEANS
Second Lieut., Battery C



JAMES G. MARTIN
First Lieut., Battery C



JOHN D. WATSON, JR.
Second Lieut., Battery D



BENTON B. IMES
Second Lieut., Battery D



COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain HENRY H. HUNTER
Second Lieutenant LAWRENCE L. MULLINS
Second Lieutenant JACK D. MULLEN

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant JAMES H. W. TREADWELL
Staff Sergeant CHARLES F. CRIGLER
Staff Sergeant JOE PHILLIPS

SERGEANT

MOOREHEAD, JAMES W.

CORPORALS

CORHERN, THOMAS J., JR.	LEWIS, ELBERT E.
ELLZEY, WESLEY P.	PUGH, CHARLES W.
JONES, ERNEST E., JR.	REED, JAMES W.
TUMBERLINSON, R. L.	

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

DIDLAKE, TOM W.	OAKLEY, MARION G.
LOWE, JAMES R.	RETHETFORD, JAMES A.
MCCREIGHT, JAMES H.	YEATES, HARRIS S.

PRIVATES

BOYETT, ROBERT S.	MATHEWS, NON Q.
COHEN, JAMES M.	MCCREYNOLDS, R. W.
CREWS, OREN W.	NICKELS, LEROY H.
CRIGLER, JAMES C.	PORTER, JOHN B.
DALE, CONLEY B.	THAXTON, JAMES P.
GUYTON, JOSEPH R.	WAX, JOHN I.
HAYS, CECIL L.	WRAY, WILLIAM C.
JEFcoat, JAMES N.	MULLINS, RAYMOND A.
MURPHY, JESSE W.	

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SECOND ROW: R. W. McReynolds, J. P. Thaxton, J. I. Wax, R. S. Boyett, C. B. Dale, J. W. Reed, L. H. Nickles, C. L. Hays, W. C. Wray, M. G. Oakley, N. Q. Mathews, H. S. Yeats.

THIRD ROW: R. A. Mullins, J. N. Jefcoat, J. W. Murphy, J. R. Lowe, J. R. Guyton, J. H. McCreight, J. B. Porter, J. A. Retherford, O. W. Crews, J. M. Cohen, T. W. Didlake, J. C. Crigler.



Headquarters
BATTERY AND
COMBAT TRAIN

SECOND BATTALION

STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized at Starkville on April 17, 1933, as part of the 114th Field Artillery, Headquarters Battery and Combat Train, Second Battalion, was Federally recognized
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ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



Headquarters

BATTERY AND COMBAT TRAIN

SECOND BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY

STARKVILLE, MISSISSIPPI



1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Instrument Section.
3. Radio Section.
4. Telephone Operator and Recorder.
5. Switchboard and Operator.

1. Ramming Home.
2. Drivers.
3. Communications Section.
4. Store Room.
5. Instrument Section.
6. Trail Right.

BATTERY C

SECOND BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY

TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI





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FIRST ROW: C. E. Lilly, Jr., M. L. Chenault, F. C. Pound, P. Parker, V. R. McCulley, C. B. Borden, C. O. Branyan.

SECOND ROW: C. A. Plunkett, J. A. Livingston, L. A. Braden, T. L. Harris, J. A. McCombs, A. G. Turner, G. R. Earrey, J. W. Lawson.

THIRD ROW: B. B. Powell, H. Smith, O. P. Gregory, J. A. Rasberry, F. H. Hamner, G. L. Baldwin, T. J. Carr, W. E. Johnson, J. E. Estes.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain SAM H. LONG
First Lieutenant CLAUDE F. CLAYTON
Second Lieutenant JAMES G. MARTIN
Second Lieutenant RALPH E. MEANS

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant CLIFTON E. LILLY, JR.
Staff Sergeant MAYNARD L. CHENAULT

SERGEANTS

BORDEN, CLAYTON B. MCCULLY, MILFORD R.
BRANYAN, CHARLES O. PARKER, PERCY
POUND, FRANK C.

CORPORALS

BOREN, JOHNNIE B. GRISSOM, BRUCE
COGGINS, WILLIAM C. MARCY, ARNOLD L.
CREELY, ALBERT F. TOWERY, JOE H.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BEAN, WILLIAM M. HARRIS, ROY
BIRMINGHAM, FRANK HARRIS, TRAVIS L.
BUKE, ROBERT H. JOHNSON, WILLIAM E.
ESTES, CARL LAWSON, JAMES W.
ESTES, JESSE E. LIVINGSTON, JAMES A.
FILGO, LUCIAN MCOMBS, JOHN A.
GREGORY, OSCAR P. RASBERRY, JOHN A.
 SPROUSE, ELMER C.

PRIVATES

ANGLIN, JOHN W. JR. BRADEN, LOYCE A.
BALDWIN, GROVER L. BRADEN, OLEN



BATTERY C
Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



PRIVATES

CANTRELL, EARSY
CARR, JOE F.
CARR, THOMAS J.
CHEEK, CECIL
CHRISTIAN, LELAND J.
COOK, GRADEN J.
COWAN, CLETUS
DAWSON, EUGENE S.
DYE, JAMES H.
DYE, RUFUS H.
EARREY, PHILLIP B.
EARREY, GRADY R.
HAMNER, F. H.

KNIGHT, WILLIAM D.
MEANS, DOUGLAS
NICHOLS, JOSEPH L.
O'CALLAGHAN, JIM H.
PLUNKETT, CLYDE A.
POWELL, BERLIN B.
RAINS, LOUIS C.
ROWLAND, MELVIN L.
SCOTT, HAYES
SMITH, HENRY
TACKETT, ROY L.
TURNER, ARTHUR G.
WALTERS, LEEROY

WHITE, CLARENCE

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SECOND ROW: J. L. Nichols, R. Harris, L. C. Rains, L. J. Christian, W. M. Bean, P. B. Earrey, F. Birmingham, H. Scott.

THIRD ROW: C. Estes, O. Braden, R. L. Tackett, M. L. Rowland, E. C. Sprouse, J. H. Dye, L. R. Walters, J. F. Carr, D. Means.

FACTUAL HISTORY

When a Regiment of Artillery was authorized in Mississippi in the year 1933, Tupelo was allotted one battery. Battery "C" was mustered in by Capt. Derril deS. Trenholm on April 28, 1933, with four officers and fifty men. The officers were Capt. Sam H. Long, First Lieut. Thomas E. Trice, Second Lieuts. Claude F. Clayton and Ralph Means.

The first year was spent in training in basic subjects and in familiarizing the officers and men in the rudimentary principles of artillery. In 1934, the Battery went to its first field training at Fort Knox, Kentucky. For two years the Battery trained there, and in 1936-37-38 at Camp

Shelby, Mississippi. On February 6, 1935, Lieutenant Clayton, who had taken the course at Fort Sill, was promoted to First Lieutenant in place of Lieutenant Trice, resigned. First Sgt. James G. Martin was promoted to Second Lieutenant. In 1939, Lieutenant Clayton was promoted to Captain and transferred to Headquarters, Third Battalion, 114th Field Artillery; Lieutenant Martin to First Lieutenant, and First Sgt. Clifton E. Lily to First Lieutenant.

The Battery's state service was in 1936 at Tupelo for three weeks after the tornado there. Very gallant, effective service was rendered by both officers and men. The other years have been spent in constant endeavor to better the spirit, knowledge, and efficiency of the Battery, both in armory and field training. Certain faithful non-coms who have been in the Battery at various times, some of them from the start, are Sergeants Chenault, Pound, Jackson, McCully, Boren; Corporals Blair, Coggins, Scott, the two Gunters, and others. The men of the Battery have throughout given the best of cooperation. The Battery looks forward to a great future.

TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI



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SECOND ROW: F. L. Thurman, B. D. Reeves, M. A. Daves, R. B. Beatty, C. E. Hildreth, K. C. Ponds, C. E. Brown, D. L. Lawrence, J. L. Smith, R. R. Cline.

THIRD ROW: O. G. Blasingame, A. E. Gore, J. L. Cooley, B. C. Sparks, A. M. Oswalt, V. C. Harris, H. M. Pendley, A. H. Smith, G. E. Gilbert, R. S. Hearon.



BATTERY D

Second Battalion

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain JESSE R. McPHERSON
First Lieutenant JULIAN T. REEDER
Second Lieutenant JOHN D. WATSON, JR.
Second Lieutenant BENTON B. IMES, JR.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant JOHN E. WHITAKER
Staff Sergeant LUKE J. HANKS, JR.

SERGEANTS

EGGER, THOMAS D. LAWRENCE, JAMES E.
 FORD, CHARLEIGH D. ODOM, JOE R.
 STORY, JAMES C., JR.

CORPORALS

FORD, WILLIAM S. HALL, VIRGIL M.
 HALL, GEORGE L. HAYSLETT, CHARLES N.
 MOODY, JOHN M.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

ASHCRAFT, BELTON C. HILDRETH, CHARLES E.
 BLASINGAME, OWEN G. HONEYCUTT, M. J.
 FAVRE, CARROLL R. LAWRENCE, DAVID L.
 GORE, ARTHUR E. ODOM, HOWARD N.
 HARRIS, VERNER C. PENDLEY, HOLLIS M.
 HILDRETH, ALBERT E. PONDS, KIRBY C.
 SPARKS, BERNARD C.

PRIVATES

ANDREWS, ATWELL C. CLOPTON, ROBERT B.
 BARKSDALE, JAMES F. COLE, RICHARD M.
 BEATY, ROBERT B. COOLEY, JOHN L.
 BROWN, CARL E. COOPER, EARL W.
 BURKHALTER, JAMES L. COX, JAMES W., JR.
 BRYANT, BROWN O. DAVES, MILLARD A.
 CHASTAIN, JOHN C. DOWDLE, WILLIAM W.
 CLINE, RICHARD R. EVANS, WILLIAM E.
 CLARK, ELWOOD E. EVANS, JAMES E.



PRIVATE

GILBERT, GROVER E.	REEVES, BENNETT D.
HAWKINS, FRANK P.	SELE, FELIX S.
HEARON, ROBERT S.	SMITH, ARLEY H.
JORDAN, CHARLES K.	SMITH, JEFFERSON L.
MASSEY, HARMON O.	SMITH, SHERRILL A., JR.
McCOWN, H. M., JR.	STEGER, JAMES J.
MITCHELL, CARROLL E.	SWIFT, J. D.
OSWALT, ARLIE M.	THURMAN, FRED L.
PETTY, CLARENCE A.	TRUITT, GORDON A.
RAULINS, JEWEL W.	WALLACE, PRINTUS A.

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SECOND ROW: M. J. Honeycutt, A. E. Hildreth, F. P. Hawkins, B. O. Bryant, J. E. Evans, C. K. Jordan, G. A. Truitt, C. E. Mitchell.

THIRD ROW: A. C. Andrews, W. E. Dyess, E. W. Cooper, J. J. Steger, B. C. Ashcraft, H. M. McCown, Jr., E. E. Clark, R. M. Cole, H. N. Odom, P. A. Wallace.

FACTUAL HISTORY

With a World War captain of infantry, Thomas S. Evans, in command, Battery "D," 114th Field Artillery, was Federally recognized as Battery "B," 178th Field Artillery, on May 20, 1926. First Lieut. William E. Roberts, World War naval officer, and Second Lieuts. Joseph Windham and Joseph Lloyd completed the officer personnel.

Field training at Camp Knox, Kentucky, and emergency service during the Tombigbee flood in December, 1926, highlighted the first year of organization. In 1927, Battery "B" again saw emergency service during the Mississippi flood. Field training for 1927 was at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana; 1928, Camp Knox; 1929, Camp McClellan, Mississippi Gulf Coast; and Camp Knox, 1930, 1931, and 1932.

Following the 1930 camp, First Lieutenant Roberts was

transferred to the Battalion Staff as Captain. First Lieut. Thomas H. Crigler, former cadet at the United States Military Academy, was transferred to the Battery as Executive Officer. Just before camp in 1932, Captain Evans resigned after six years as commander. Capt. W. E. Roberts, transferred from the Battalion Staff, assumed command.

The 178th Field Artillery was redesignated the 114th Field Artillery in November, 1932. In 1933, the 114th Field Artillery became a full regiment. Battery "B" was redesignated Battery "D." Its commander, Captain Roberts, was made Major and commander of the newly-organized Second Battalion. The original First Battalion again trained at Fort Knox in 1933.

The Regiment trained at Fort Knox in 1934 and 1935 and at Camp Shelby in 1936 and 1937. Battery "D" saw active duty following the disastrous Tupelo tornado in April, 1936. On returning from Tupelo, Captain Crigler transferred to the Second Battalion Staff and First Lieut. McPherson was placed in command.

C O L U M B U S , M I S S .



BATTERY D

SECOND BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED
FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COLUMBUS, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) First Gun Section, Trail Right. (3) Wire Detail. (4) Second Gun Section Loading. (5) Cooks and Rolling Kitchen. (6) Instrument Detail. (7) Trucks and Drivers.





WILLIAM P. WILSON
Captain, Headquarters Battery
and Combat Train



DEWEY R. REAGAN
Captain, Battery F



ROLLIN S. ARMSTRONG
First Lieut. (S-3)



HENRY N. EASON
Major, Commanding Third Battalion

Officers
THIRD BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY



JOHN G. SCHAFER
First Lieut. (S-1)



DOYLE W. WALDROP
First Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train



JOE B. PHILLIPS, JR.
First Lieut., Battery E



HORACE R. ADAIR
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Battery and Combat Train



JULIAN L. JONES
Second Lieut., Battery E



LOUIS C. CADENHEAD, JR.
Second Lieut., Battery E



JOSEPH C. WINK
Second Lieut., Battery F



JOHN B. JOYCE
Second Lieut., Battery F



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SECOND ROW: O. D. Dickinson, H. R. Linch, F. B. Hunter, W. C. Smith, L. B. Mitchell, C. E. Pace, J. W. Jones, R. F. McMullan, Jr., A. P. Thomas, V. C. McGhee.

THIRD ROW: B. O. Smith, C. R. Johnson, Jr., W. H. Latimer, R. L. Staton, J. H. Gillis, W. D. Wall, E. S. Mason, H. J. Crosby, A. C. Parkis, W. W. Doolittle, J. R. Gallaspy, G. L. Mullins.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain WILLIAM P. WILSON
First Lieutenant DOYLE W. WALDROP
Second Lieutenant HORACE R. ADAIR

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant MARKS W. JENKINS
Staff Sergeant HARRY R. LINCH
Staff Sergeant JOHN C. TAYLOR, JR.

SERGEANTS

DICKINSON, OTHO D. HUNTER, FRANK B.

CORPORALS

COLEMAN, BILLY M. PACE, CHARLES E.
CROSBY, H. J., JR. PHILLIPS, CLARENCE P.
MCMULLAN, R. F., JR. WALTER, CHARLES O.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CARSON, BILLIE M. GALLASPY, JOHN R., JR.

PRIVATES

BARRETT, ROBERT V. MULLINS, GRADY L.
BLACK, HENRY G. SMITH, BURRIS O.
DOOLITTLE, WADDIE W. SMITH, WALTER C.
GILLIS, JOHNNY H. STATON, ROBERT L.
JONES, JOHN W. TEMPLE, RALPH W.
JOHNSON, CHARLES R., JR. THOMAS, ALBERT P.
LATIMER, WILLIAM H. WALL, MCCAGER D.
MASON, EARNEST S. WALLACE, ROGER W.
MCGHEE, VERNON C. WHITE, JAMES A.
MITCHELL, LONDON B. WHITTINGTON, W. C.

Headquarters

BATTERY AND
COMBAT TRAIN

THIRD BATTALION

DECATUR, MISSISSIPPI

FACTUAL HISTORY

Headquarters Battery and Combat Train, Third Battalion, 114th Field Artillery, Mississippi National Guard, was organized at Decatur, Mississippi, in the spring of 1933, mustered in by Derrill DeS. Trenholm, Major, U.

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

Headquarters BATTERY AND COMBAT TRAIN

THIRD BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTEENTH
FIELD ARTILLERY

DECATUR, MISSISSIPPI



S. A., then assigned to this state as Field Artillery Instructor. The unit received Federal recognition May 2, 1933. Issac W. Walton was its first commanding officer with Charles R. Johnson, Sr., First Lieutenant, and Doyle W. Waldrop, Second Lieutenant.

As the unit was organized so late in the spring, it did not make camp that summer. Captain Walton resigned in June of the same year due to a change in civil vocation positions, and William P. Wilson was appointed commanding officer. With one year of Armory experience, the unit trained for two weeks at Fort Knox, Kentucky, during the summer of 1934.

The next summer the unit made truck convoy to Fort Knox, Kentucky. In 1936, the unit made camp at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, the 114th Field Artillery being the first state guards to encamp at Shelby since the camp was organized. The trip was made in motor vehicles assigned permanently to the unit. The 1937 camp was also made at Camp Shelby, Mississippi. During camp, on July 21, 1937, Horace R. Adair was appointed Second Lieutenant to fill the vacancy vice Lieutenant Guild.

In the summer of 1938, the unit engaged in war maneuvers held in DeSoto National Park located in South Mississippi.

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Fire Direction Center.
3. C. P.
4. Message Center.
5. Radio Section.





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SECOND ROW: A. E. Hegwood, J. R. Welford, B. C. Ellis, M. R. McLendon, J. E. Forsmark, L. W. Myrick, J. N. Tyner, B. L. Gilleon, J. E. Adamo.

THIRD ROW: C. R. Kirk, J. H. Craig, H. C. Collier, M. P. Collier, H. N. Craig, Jr., D. E. Smith, S. J. Maxwell, Jr., J. F. Heath, J. S. Black.



BATTERY E

Third Battalion

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Lieutenant JOE B. PHILLIPS, JR.
Second Lieutenant LOUIS C. CADENHEAD, JR.
Second Lieutenant JULIAN L. JONES

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant OTTO O. PHILLIPS
Staff Sergeant H. M. HARPER

SERGEANTS

COWART, DONIVAN S. HURDLE, JAMES E.
GRAHAM, FRANK P. McLEMORE, GRADY M.
WICHT, WILLIAM W.

CORPORALS

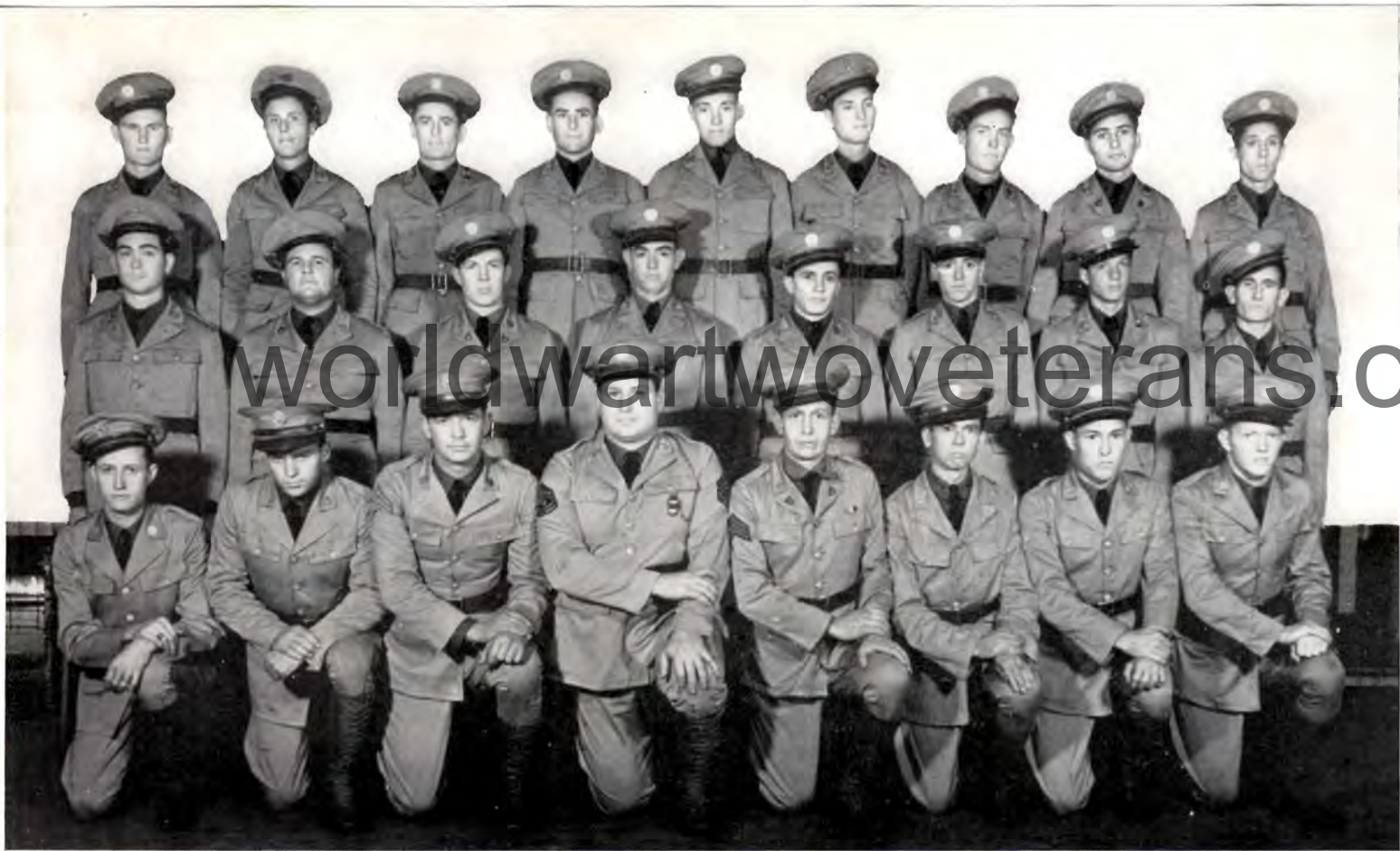
ARRINGTON, ROBT. E. MORGAN, AUDICE D.
GILLEON, EDWARD A. MURRAY, HENRY E.
RUMPH, RAY L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BLACK, JOHNNY S. HOWELL, ROY A.
BUCHAN, HENRY M. HEATH, JOHN F.
COLLIER, HULON C. HOLLINGSWORTH, L. T.
COLLIER, MARTIN P. IRBY, CHARLES R.
COLLIER, WILLIAM R. MAXWELL, SAM J., JR.
ELLIS, BERNICE C. McAULAY, EMMETT C.
FORSMARK, JOE E. SMITH, NOBLE S.
STEPHENSON, H. R.

PRIVATES

ADAMO, JOHN ANDERSON, JOE J.
ADAMO, MICHAEL APPLEWHITE, C. W., JR.
ALDRIDGE, ALTON T. CARTER, CYRUS H.



PRIVATES

CARTER, JOHN E.	McLENDON, MARTIN R.
CRAIG, HENRY N., JR.	MESSER, RAYMOND G.
CRAIG, JOHN H.	MALLOY, ERNEST A.
DAVIS, FRANK A.	MILSTEAD, PERRY M.
EASTERLING, WM. G.	MOZINGO, MACK T.
FAIRLEY, DANIEL J.	MYRICK, LEWIS W.
GATLIN, R. C.	PIERCE, IRA L.
GILLEON, BYRON L.	REID, IRVIN
HEGWOOD, ALBERT E.	RUNNELS, JACKSON D.
HELTON, WALTER T.	SMITH, DALLAS E.
HOLCOMB, THOMAS H.	TYNER, JOHN N.
HOWELL, MORRIS S.	VAN HOOK, CLOYD D.
KIRK, CLEM R.	VAN SLYKE, WM. R.
McCLELLAND, C. O.	WELFORD, JOHINIE R.
WILSON, CARLEY B.	

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SECOND ROW: R. G. Messer, R. A. Howell, H. M. Buchan, H. R. Stephenson, E. C. McAulay, W. G. Easterling, T. H. Holcomb, W. T. Helton.

THIRD ROW: I. Reid, F. A. Davis, R. E. Arrington, H. E. Murry, W. R. Collier, R. C. Gatlin, C. B. Wilson, N. S. Smith, W. R. Van Slyke.

1935, Fort Knox; July 5-19, 1936, Camp Shelby, Mississippi; July 18-31, 1937, Camp Shelby; and July 31-August 14, 1938, with the Third Army Maneuvers in the DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi.

The following officers have commanded the unit: Second Lieut. Donald N. Dana, April 27 to May 19, 1933; First Lieut. R. A. Hood, May 19 to June 21, 1933; First Lieut. William Haralson, June 21, 1933, to January 24, 1934; Capt. David W. Eddy, January 24 to November 23, 1934; First Lieut. William Haralson, November 23, 1934, to March 9, 1938; and First Lieut. Joe B. Phillips, Jr., March 9, 1938, to the present.

Present Battery officers received Federal recognition as follows: Joe B. Phillips, Jr., First Lieutenant, January 6, 1937; Julian L. Jones, Second Lieutenant, March 7, 1935; and Louis C. Cadenhead, Jr., Second Lieutenant, October 14, 1935.

FACTUAL HISTORY

With five field training periods and two special calls to duty to its credit, Battery "E," 114th Field Artillery, is in its sixth year of existence, having been Federally recognized on April 27, 1933.

The unit served on April 28 and April 29, 1937, at Biloxi during President Roosevelt's visit. It also did relief duty at Hattiesburg on April 9 and April 10, 1938, during the flood disaster.

Battery "E" has attended the following field training camps: July 2-22, 1934, Fort Knox, Kentucky; July 4-19,

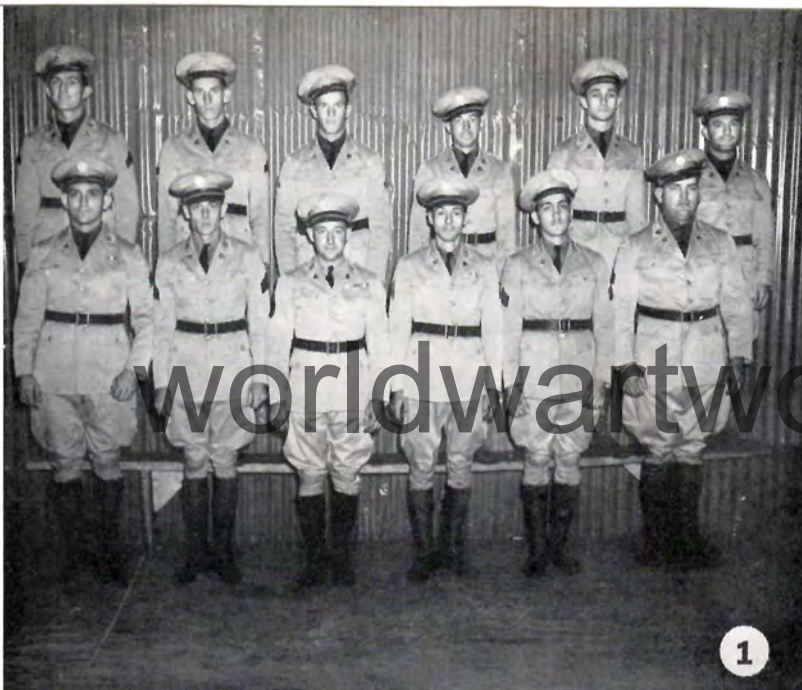
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BATTERY
THIRD BATTALION
114TH FIELD ARTILLERY
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI

(1) Gun Section Cleaning Up. (2) Prepare for Action.
(3) Drivers. (4) Non-Commissioned Officers. (5) Instru-
ments and Signal Section. (6) Fire. (7) Trucks with Drivers.





BATTERY F

THIRD BATTALION

114TH FIELD ARTILLERY

BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI

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(1) Non-Commissioned Officers. (2) Supply Room. (3) Loading. (4) Mascot. (5) Instrument Section. (6) Un-limbering.



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SECOND ROW: J. Ramsey, R. V. Bass, W. B. Curtis, J. E. Stewart, R. E. Hill, C. D. Jenkins, E. G. Webb, A. S. Balus, W. A. Tisdale.

THIRD ROW: B. S. Bowermaster, P. W. Hudson, S. L. Flanagan, L. H. Richard, R. J. Hall, G. P. Kelly, E. T. Flanagan, E. H. Frazier, S. H. Seymour, J. G. Coffey.

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain DEWEY R. REAGAN
First Lieutenant GEORGE R. STANNUS
Second Lieutenant JOHN B. JOYCE
Second Lieutenant JOSEPH C. WINK

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant ROLAND V. HARVEY
Staff Sergeant FLOYD A. BALIUS

SERGEANTS

BLOMBERG, HOWARD M. SCARBOROUGH, T. A.
RICHARDS, ARTHUR E. ST. AMANT, EUGENE F.
WILLIAMS, CLARENCE L.

CORPORALS

JACQUOT, WALLACE A. RYAN, CYRIL W.
LANDRY, DENNIS M. SEYMOUR, WILFORD E.
RAGUSIN, ALBERT J. WALLACE, JAMES E.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BOWERMASTER, BEN S. HUNGERFORD, W. W.
BYRD, EDGAR JENKINS, CHARLES D.
COFFEY, JESSE G. MARIE, OSCAR B.
ELLIS, JAMES POULOS, JOHN T.
ENDRIS, LOUIS J. RAMSEY, JOHNNY
GAUTIER, HORACE P. RANDAZZO, HENRY J.
GILL, JOHN A. ROBINSON, MAX A.
RYAN, CHARLES W.



BATTERY F

Third Battalion

ONE HUNDRED FOURTEENTH FIELD ARTILLERY



PRIVATES

BALUS, ANTHONY S.	IBELE, EVERETT A.
BASS, RAYMOND V.	JAYCOX, FLOYD S., JR.
BILLS, ROY H.	JERMYN, JASON T.
CURTIS, WAKEMAN B.	KELLY, GEORGE P.
DIAZ, CECIL S.	PARKER, RAYMOND J.
ELDER, JOSEPH M.	PURCELL, GEORGE P.
ENTREKIN, A. W.	QUAVE, DOUGLAS L.
FAYARD, FRANKLIN R.	RICHARD, LOUIS H.
FLANAGAN, SIDNEY L.	ROSS, ROBERT A.
FLANAGAN, EMMITT T.	ROUSSEAU, EMILE E.
FOUNTAIN, FLOYD G.	SCHRIEBER, A. E.
FRAZIER, EDWARD H.	SEYMOUR, SAMUEL H.
GILLY, PAUL A.	STEVENS, JAMES E.
HARBISON, ORA R.	STEWART, THOMAS W.
HALL, RUDOLPH J.	TISDALE, WILLIAM A.
HILL, RUSSELL E.	VAN COURT, C. E.
HUDSON, PAT W.	WEBB, ELVIN G.

WILLIAMS, JACK E.

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SECOND ROW: J. E. Williams, G. P. Purcell, O. B. Marie, J. A. Gill, J. E. Stevens, C. E. Van Court, E. A. Rousseau, A. E. Schrieber, R. H. Bills, C. W. Ryan.

THIRD ROW: O. R. Harbison, E. G. Byrd, J. E. Ellis, H. P. Gautier, P. A. Gilly, L. J. Endris, F. S. Jaycox, Jr., H. J. Randazzo, M. A. Robinson, J. M. Elder.

Year Battery in camp. The first emergency duty for the unit was at the textile strike at Magnolia, September 10-25, 1934, with two officers and fifteen men acting as a Headquarters and Communication unit.

Capt. Derril DeS. Trenholm, instructor on duty with the Battery from 1934-1936, established the monthly battalion schools which are still held. During May, 1935, the Battery received its first motor equipment under the plan to motorize the Artillery.

The second field training was at Fort Knox. Going more than 700 miles one way in trucks, the members gained valuable information. In January, 1935, the Battery went to Jackson for the Governor's parade, and in April two officers and seven men did emergency duty at Tupelo as part of the General Headquarters.

Field training at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, was held for the first time in 1936. In April, 1937, the Battery served during President Roosevelt's visit to Biloxi.

The Battery served with the Brown force during the Third Army Maneuvers in DeSoto National Forest in 1938. It won the regimental athletic cup after the maneuvers. A gopher was adopted as the Battery's official mascot.

Each year on the day of Federal recognition is a banquet, as the first roll is called. After six years, seven original members are still with the unit.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized April 21, 1933, Battery "F" was Federally recognized April 28, 1933. The initial issue of 155 mm. Howitzers was received in August, 1933, while the first public appearance of the Battery was on Memorial Day, 1934, when it paraded and attended services at the grave of Sgt. Edward H. Walcott.

The first field training period was at Fort Knox, Kentucky, in July, 1934. The unit was voted the best First

BILOXI, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH

Engineers

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COAT OF ARMS: Approved April 12, 1927; amended July 25, 1931.

SHIELD: Per fess indented argent and gules, in chief a fleur-de-lis azure.

CRESTS: Those for regiments of Mississippi and Florida National Guard.

MOTTO: Virtute Et Armis (By valor and arms).

DESCRIPTION: The shield is white and red, the CE colors, and the partition line is indented (a saw-tooth line) to indicate the regiment is a combat unit; the fleur-de-lis represents service in France.

DISTINCTIVE INSIGNIA: Approved April 12, 1927. Shield and motto of coat of arms.

STREAMERS AUTHORIZED: World War—Meuse-Argonne.

The 106th Engineers had its beginning during the World War when it was organized as the 114th Engineers, Thirty-ninth Division, from Company "A," Engineers, on September 27, 1917, and new units then or subsequently organized. This organization participated in the Meuse-Argonne operation in France and was mustered out May 21, 1919. The 106th Engineers, Thirty-first Division, was organized from Company "A," Georgia Engineers, in 1917, and new units organized largely from the personnel of the First Florida National Guard. It served in France, but not in actual combat, then was mustered out on July 12, 1919. Reorganized as 114th Engineers in 1921-1922, it was redesignated the 106th Engineers on January 29, 1924. The World War 106th Engineers organization was reconstituted and a consolidation effected on October 9, 1926.

The 106th Engineers is mainly located in Mississippi, with the Second Battalion in Florida. Originally, Headquarters was at Jackson, Headquarters and Service Company at Drew, the Band at Ruleville, Company "A" at Indianola, Company "B" at Rolling Fork, and Company "C" at West Point. Later the Band was mustered out and reorganized at Millsaps College in Jackson, Company "A" moved to Moorhead, and Company "B" reorganized at Vicksburg.

Col. Charles T. Bookout, retired on January 17, 1934, is the only officer retired for age from this Regiment. The

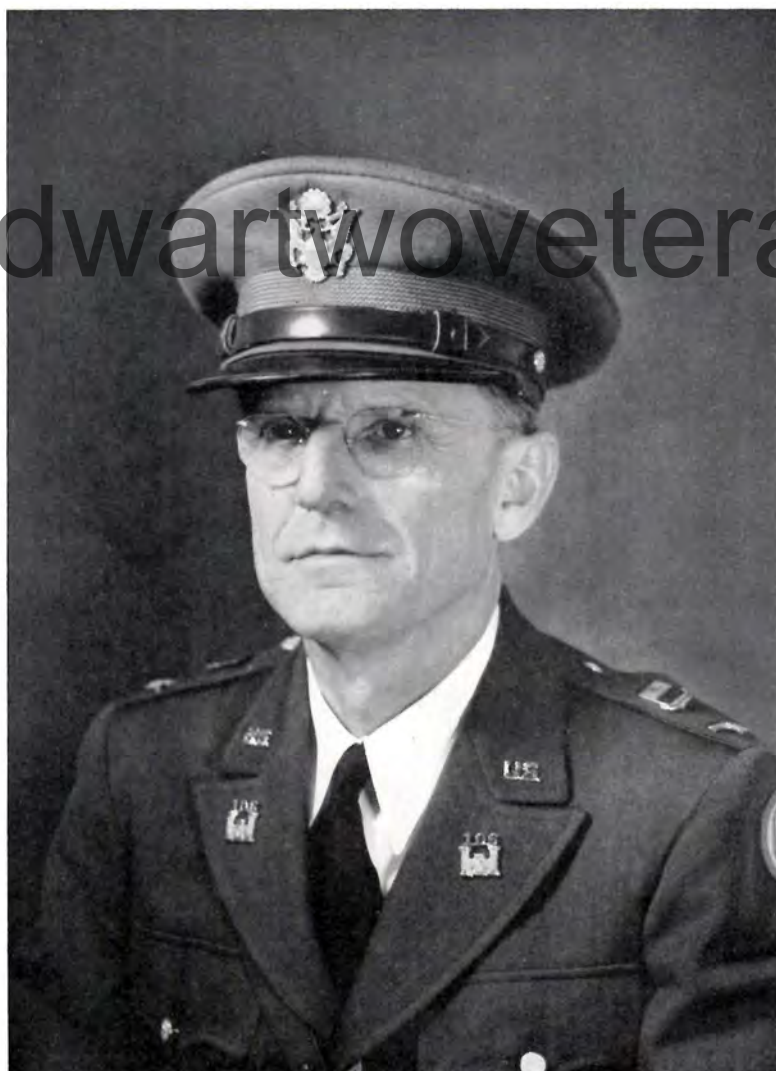
first commander of the First Battalion, he was later promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and served as Executive Officer, giving commendable service in both positions. "Uncle Charlie," as he is lovingly called by both officers and men, is the Regiment's guest each summer during field training. Without his presence, the Regiment would not seem intact.

Priding itself on "esprit de corps" and morale, this organization has never held a summary court. No charges have ever been preferred against either officer or enlisted man, and no one has been confined in the guard house or in quarters for seven years. The Regiment also prides itself upon having always carried out its field training program in its entirety.

The 106th Engineers has received nine commendations in the last four years, one from the Chief of Engineers, one from the Chief of the Map Reproduction Plant, and several each from the Chief of the National Guard Bureau, Corps Area Commander, and the Adjutants General of Mississippi and Florida.

During the 1938 Third Army Maneuvers, the Regiment gave assistance wherever needed, maintaining roads and supplying water under great difficulties. The men's zeal and attention to duty and eagerness to work on through the rest periods were very commendable. Their objective is to do the job thoroughly and efficiently regardless of any obstacles.

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H A R R Y H U L E N

Colonel

Commanding One Hundred and Sixth Engineers

January 31, 1901, to May 30, 1905, Private, Infantry. June 15, 1905, to May 31, 1907, Cadet at United States Military Academy. April 22, 1917, to July 30, 1917, First Lieutenant, Field Artillery. August 1, 1917, appointed Captain. August 1, 1918, appointed Major. November 4, 1918, to March 23, 1919, Lieutenant Colonel. September 25, 1919, assigned as Lieutenant Colonel, O. R. C., Field Artillery, active to July 15, 1923. July 31, 1923, to March 31, 1925, inactive. January 21, 1925, appointed Lieutenant Colonel, Engineers. July 2, 1925, appointed Colonel. A graduate from the School of Fire for Field Artillery, February, 1917, served as Instructor in Field Artillery Reconnaissance at this school until August, 1917. Graduated from Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth, June, 1938. He designed the floating foot bridge in use in the organization.

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JAMES E. HAMLIN
Major, Commanding First Battalion
ORA S. ANDERSON
Captain, Headquarters and
Service Company



HENRY C. FLOYD
Captain (S-1)
JOHN R. BAIRD
Captain, Company A



WILLIAM F. WHEATLEY
Captain (S-3)
CHARLES R. WARNDORF
Captain, Company B

Officers
FIELD AND STAFF
106th Engineers



ALFRED O. HAMLIN
Captain, Company C



DANIEL B. SEAELEY
First Lieut., Headquarters
and Service Company
SHERMAN B. ANDERSON
Second Lieut., Headquarters
and Service Company



RODNEY F. HAMLIN
First Lieut. (S-1), First Bn.

WILLIAM V. CROOK
Second Lieut., Company A



CHARLES L. HOOKER
First Lieut., Company A

EUGENE P. FORTSON, JR.
First Lieut., Company B

FRANK J. PAJERSKI
Second Lieut., Company B

JOHN A. CRAWFORD, JR.
Second Lieut., Company C



THOMAS J. TUBB
First Lieut., Company C



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and Service Company
SHERMAN B. ANDERSON
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and Service Company



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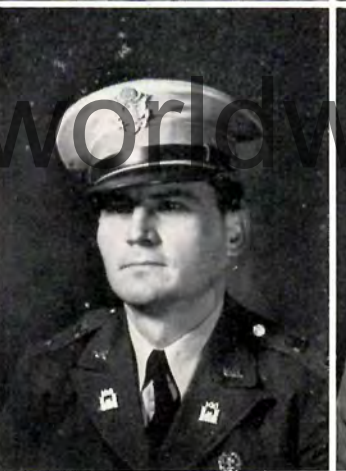


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JOHN A. CRAWFORD, JR.
Second Lieut., Company C



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Second Lieut., Company A



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JAMES H. FOX
Major, M. C.



ANDREW K. NAUGLE, JR.
Captain, D. C.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT 106TH ENGINEERS

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

1. Thomas Splint.
3. Litter Drill.

2. Bandaging.
4. Artificial Respiration.



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COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Major JAMES H. FOX (M.C.)
Captain ANDREW K. NAUGLE, JR. (D.C.)

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Staff Sergeant JOHN B. LILLEY

SERGEANTS

BOWERS, LEMUEL V. MEADERS, DAN, JR.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

COLE, WOODROW F. MORRIS, CHARLES W.
ROBERTSON, EDGAR H.

PRIVATES

ALLBRITTON, C. H. MCGARAH, JOSEPH M.
BOND, WOODROW W. MORRIS, DAVID E.
GODWIN, FRANK D. SIMMONS, ORVELL H.
HEARD, ROBERT P. STEEL, ROBERT H.



Medical Department

DETACHMENT
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

FACTUAL HISTORY

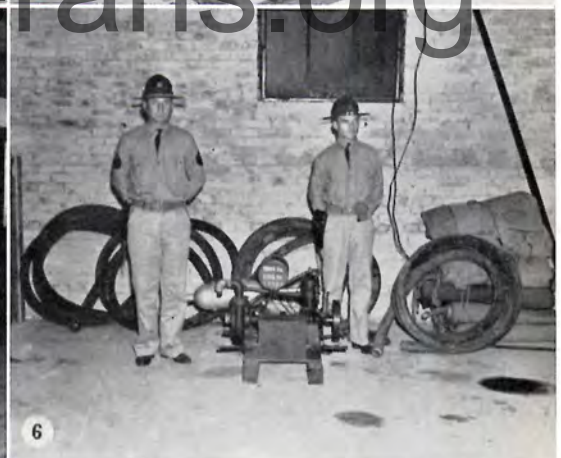
Since its splendid service to the refugees at Leland, Mississippi, shortly after its organization on March 15, 1927, under Capt. A. A. Sparkman, the Medical Department Detachment, 106th Engineers, has been called out several times on riot duty and assisted materially during the Tupelo tornado disaster in 1936.

Disbanded at Cleveland, its original location, on November 28, 1928, the unit was reorganized at Jackson, its present location, on February 15, 1929, under the command of Capt. James H. Fox.

The first Regimental Surgeon was Maj. Sidney A. Bre-

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS



1. Company Front with Guidon.
2. Section of Stringer Bridge.
3. Lighting Plant.
4. Non-Commissioned Officers.
5. Map Section.
6. Regimental Water Plant.
7. Supply Room.
8. Reed Section, Band.
9. Company Clerk.
10. Brass Section.
11. Percussion.
12. Non-Commissioned Officers, Band.

HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE COMPANY

DREW, MISSISSIPPI
BAND SECTION
JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH
ENGINEERS



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SECOND ROW: J. C. Davidson, J. P. Clark, D. H. Ray, J. M. Tidmore, A. H. Oglesby, B. N. Marlow, J. B. Cummins, J. W. Erwin, W. H. Wilson, R. L. Shurden.

THIRD ROW: J. B. Moore, J. B. Simpson, L. A. Norwood, W. B. Stringfellow, A. G. Clark, F. M. Shepherd, Jr., O. M. Baughman, M. E. Blackwood, E. M. Bridges, J. L. Pollan, J. E. Safley.



*Headquarters and
Service*

COMPANY
DREW, MISSISSIPPI

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain ORA S. ANDERSON
First Lieutenant DANIEL B. SEALY
Second Lieutenant SHERMAN B. ANDERSON

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant DAVID D. HILL
Master Sergeant WILLIAM D. OTT
Master Sergeant LORENZA A. SEALY, JR.
Technical Sergeant JAMES T. HOUSE
Technical Sergeant PERVIE B. SIMPSON
First Sergeant LEATH E. SMITH
Staff Sergeant WILLIAM P. MOSES
Staff Sergeant GEORGE A. ROBERTSON

SERGEANTS

ARNOLD, ODIS D. MCBEE, FRANK
BECK, GEORGE E. MIMS, JOE
SHURDEN, EZRA E.

CORPORALS

CLARK, JAMES P. RAY, DREWRY H.
DAVIDSON, JOHN C. TIDMORE, JONNIE M.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

CUMMINS, JOSEPH B. MOORE, JAMES B.
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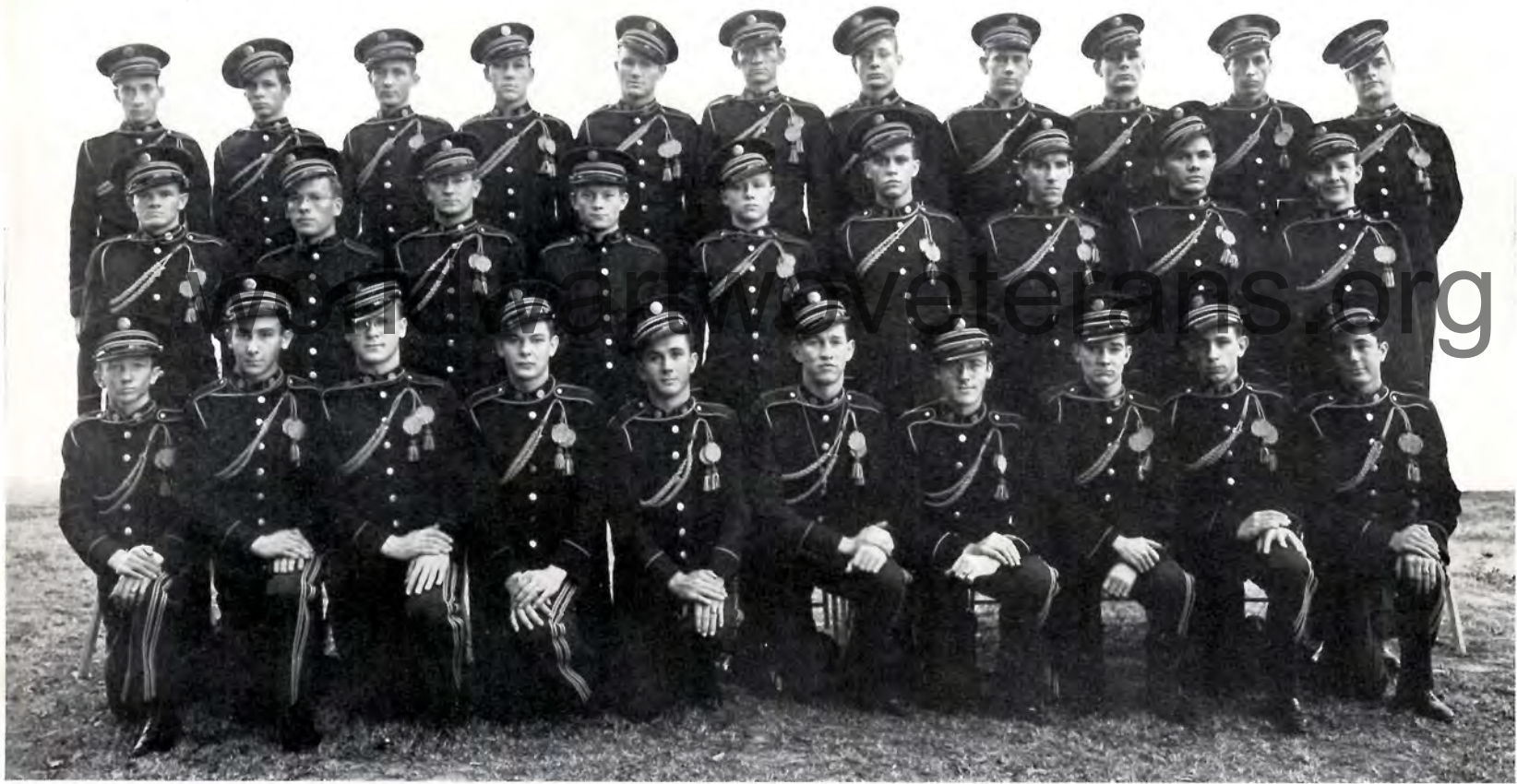
PRIVATES

BAUGHMAN, ODIE M. ROTH, JAMES P.
BLACKWOOD, MARION E. SAFLEY, JAMES E.
BRIDGES, EWELL M. SHEPHERD, F. M., JR.
COUSANS, HARRY P. SIMPSON, JASON B.
CLARK, ALBERT G. STRINGFELLOW, W. B.
MARLOW, BILLIE N. WICKS, ALONZO R.
NORWOOD, LOYD A. WALTON, JOHN H., JR.
OGLESBY, AUBREY H. WILSON, WILLIAM H.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Headquarters and Service Company, 114th Engineers,
was Federally recognized on November 15, 1923, and re
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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS



COMMISSIONED OFFICER

First Lieutenant ARMAND G. COULLET

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Technical Sergeant ALBERT L. MAY, JR.
Staff Sergeant HENRY C. RICKS, JR.

SERGEANTS

LUKE, EDWARD B. WALL, JAMES D.
WHITE, MILTON R.

CORPORALS

BARNES, EDMUND F., JR. BROYLES, E. NASH, JR.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

FAZAKERLY, WILLIAM B., JR. RIMMER, JAMES C.
HOLYFIELD, THOMAS K. TUCKER, ALFRED T.
KENNEDY, ROBERT A., JR. TURNER, WALLACE B.
VENTERS, ANDREW L.

PRIVATES

CARPENTER, JESSE L., JR. LEGGETT, WESLEY F.
CLARK, EDWARD L. MARTIN, ALBERT F.
DANIEL, JAMES E. MCFARLANE, GRAHAM R.
DOSS, WILFORD C. MESSINA, AURELIO P.
GULLETT, WILLIAM L., JR. O'CALLAGHAN, GEO. F.
HAMPTON, JEFF G., JR. O'CALLAGHAN, JAS. P., JR.
HUDSON, MARZINE F. SIMS, ROY V.
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LARR, DAVID B., JR. WATTS, DAVID E.
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SECOND ROW: R. A. Kennedy, Jr., W. B. Turner, D. B. Larr,
Jr., H. Jones, W. C. Doss, J. D. Wall, W. B. Frazakerly, Jr.,
E. F. Barnes, W. L. Gullett, Jr.
THIRD ROW: R. V. Sims, A. L. Venters, J. E. Daniel, A. F.
Martin, E. N. Broyles, Jr., E. L. Clark, T. K. Holyfield, J. R.
Snyder, J. G. Hampton, Jr., W. F. Leggett, J. L. Carpenter, Jr.



ARMAND G. COULLET
First Lieutenant and Warrant Officer

FACTUAL HISTORY

Band Section, 106th Engineers, originated in Ruleville as part of Headquarters and Service Company. Transferred to Millsaps College in Jackson, it received Federal recognition with Frank Slater as Warrant Officer. Mr. Slater resigned in 1937, being succeeded by Armand Coullet, who was recently made a First Lieutenant. Both Mr.

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BAND SECTION

JACKSON, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS



PRIVATES

ELMORE, ELBERT D.	PIERCE, EUGENE T.
FERGUSON, LEWIS F.	ROBERTS, ENOCH T.
FLOWERS, WILLIAM C.	ROBERTS, MARION E.
HAMBRICK, JOHN H.	SCARBOROUGH, HAYWARD E.
HEAD, JAMES A.	SCOTT, CLYDE
HICKMAN, ROBERT H.	SMITH, ROBERT E.
JOHNSON, JOHN S.	SMITH, RUSSELL J.
KEMP, ROBERT L.	SULLIVAN, BILBO
KNIGHT, HOWARD A.	SWITZER, LEVY E.
KNOX, HOMER L.	TOWNSEND, PASCOL J., JR.
LANHAM, WILLIAM W.	TYLER, JOHNNIE H.
LEWIS, LESTER G.	TYLER, TROY V.
MERRITT, JAMES O.	WILSON, JOHN H.
NEAL, OLIVER I.	WILSON, JOSEPH C.

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SECOND ROW: M. Ellis, R. J. Smith, W. C. Flowers, H. S. Daves, S. C. Carter, M. E. Roberts, J. H. Tyler, T. V. Tyler.

THIRD ROW: E. D. Elmore, J. H. Wilson, B. Sullivan, J. M. Harmon, P. T. Ferguson, E. T. Roberts, C. Scott, L. G. Lewis.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Organized as Company "A," Mississippi Engineers, this unit was mustered in the National Guard March 22, 1917, at Indianola, Mississippi. Mobilized June 23, 1917, it was ordered to Jackson for training with the First Mississippi Infantry (now the 155th Infantry). Its officers were Capt. Jacob Stein, First Lieut. Charles T. Bookout, and Second Lieut. G. K. Smith.

Ordered to Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, on August 27, 1917, this unit was redesignated Company "A," 114th Engineers, Thirty-ninth Division, forming the nucleus of

this regiment. Captain Stein died at Camp Beauregard on January 15, 1918, and Capt. Shelton W. Greer took command.

Ordered overseas on August 10, 1918, the unit arrived in France on September 3, 1918, when the Thirty-ninth Division was designated as the Fifth Depot Replacement Division. The 114th Engineers were kept intact.

Company "A" entered the Meuse-Argonne sector with the regiment on October 3, 1918, where it built and repaired roads and bridges until January 17, 1919. The regiment was twice cited by the Chief Engineer of the First Army Corps for its meritorious work. Company "A," on returning from overseas, was mustered out May 21, 1919.

Company "A" was reorganized at Jayess, Mississippi, in 1921. When the regiment designation was changed to 106th Engineers, the Company was mustered out. Company "A," 106th Engineers, was organized at Indianola in 1924, Capt. Hudson B. Trotter, commander. In 1925, the Company was moved to Moorhead. In 1926, Capt. John R. Baird was promoted to commander. The Company saw active duty during the 1927 Mississippi flood.

MOORHEAD, MISSISSIPPI

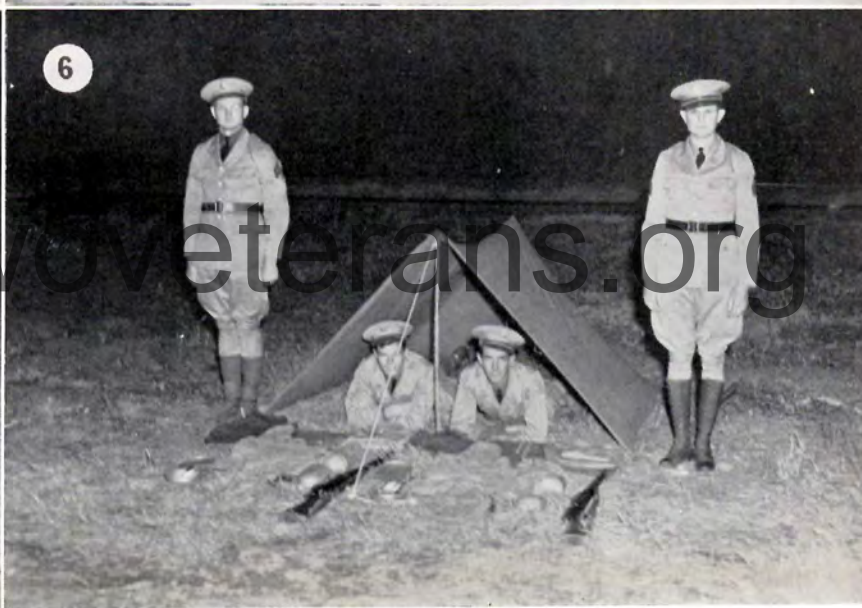
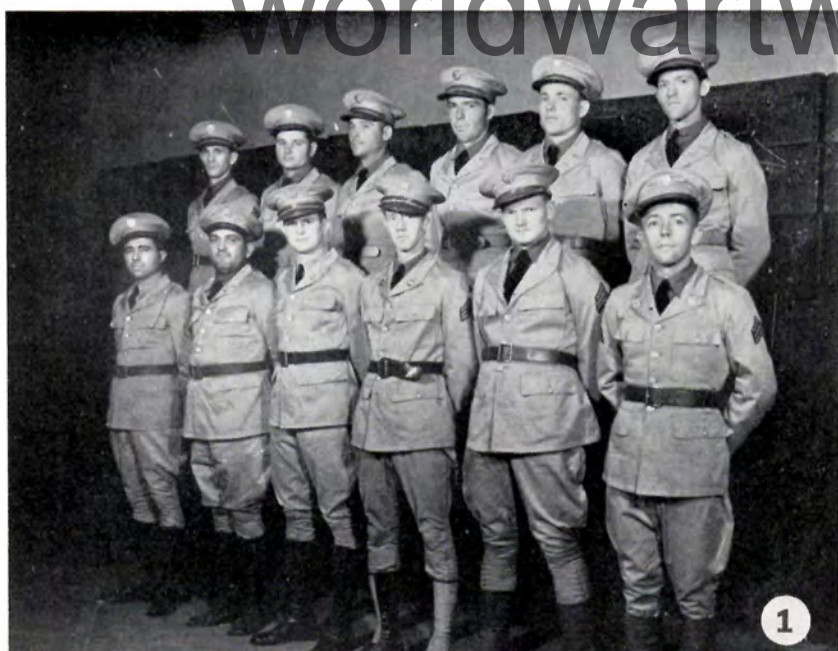
COMPANY A

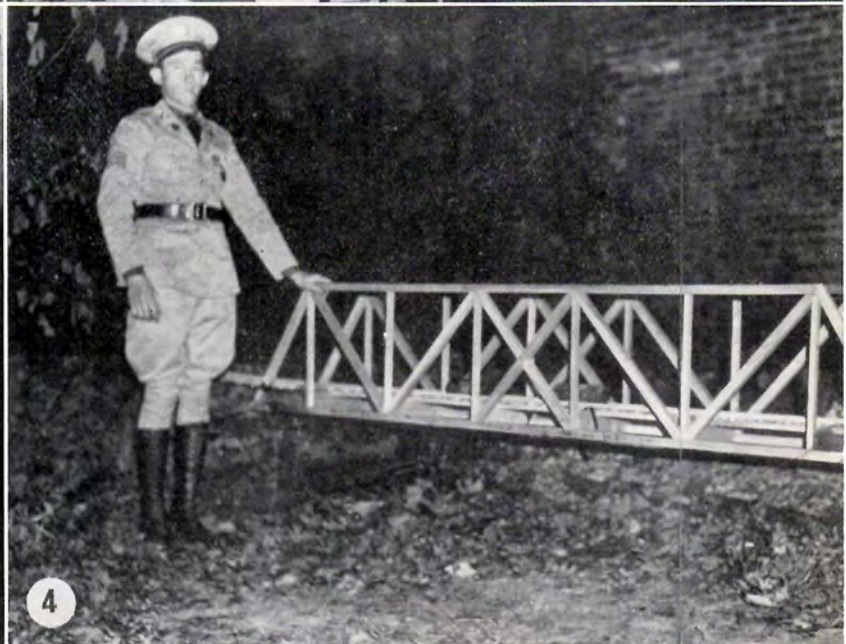
FIRST BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS

MOORHEAD, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Mess Line and Kitchen.
3. Miniature Bridge.
4. Sketching Section.
5. Demolition.
6. Display of Equipment.





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1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Company Front.
3. Instruction in Defensive Measures.
4. Model Bridge.
5. Demolition.
6. Close-up of Damage.

COMPANY B
FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH
ENGINEERS
VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI



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SECOND ROW: J. T. Ransome, H. L. Miller, P. A. Boggan, E. D. Harmon, T. W. Green, J. W. McGee.
THIRD ROW: W. G. Gill, J. E. Leagan, D. R. Cole, F. B. Toffaleti, C. L. Gastrell, H. J. Barnes, R. A. Bendinelli.



COMPANY B
First Battalion

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain CHARLES R. WARNDORF
First Lieutenant EUGENE P. FORTSON, JR.
Second Lieutenant FRANK J. PAJERSKI

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant WILLIAM H. DAVIS
Technical Sergeant JAMES T. HOUSE
Staff Sergeant SIDNEY F. TATE, JR.

SERGEANTS

BOLOS, JOSEPH E. JOHNSON, GLEN P.
EIKERT, KENNETH P. McCARY, ROBERT D.
JACOBS, MARTIN B. SCHROEDER, EDWARD G., JR.
WILLIAMS, JOHN S.

CORPORALS

CLOUD, HENRY E. GREEN, TRELLIS W.
ELLISON, DAVE A. HERROD, BILLY L.
SORENSEN, IVAN L.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

ARNOLD, WILLIAM A. MCGEE, JOSEPH W.
BLUE, RICHARD R. PALMER, HALSEY L.
GIBSON, TERRY A. PASCHAL, WALTER R.
GILL, WILLIAM G. PUGH, EDWARD L.
GREEN, ELVIN T. RANSOME, JOE T.
HARPER, ROBERT C. SCHNETZLER, JOHN F.
KIRKLAND, ROY M. SOLOMON, JAMES E., JR.

PRIVATES

BARNES, HOWARD J. BOGGAN, PARKER A.
BENDINELLI, RALPH A. BRUCE, HERCIL C.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS



PRIVATES

CARPENTER, JAMES B.
CHRISP, JOSEPH D.
COLE, DAN R.
GANN, ALBERT
GASTRELL, C. L.
GREEN, THOMAS J.
GRIFFING, LOUIS A.
HANNA, MARTIN L.
HARMON, ETHEL D.
HARPER, JAMES A.
HOGAN, THOMAS J.
HUDE, JOHN, JR.
JOHNS, ROBERT K.
JACOBSON, RICHARD C.
KING, RICHARD G.

KNOX, RICHARD G.
LEAGAN, JAMES E.
LEMIEUX, LAURANCE J.
LIBBEY, LE L.
MARSAIS, WILTON L.
MEADERS, GEORGE E.
MILLER, HOWARD L.
MILLER, JACKS
MILLER, LOUIS
MONTGOMERY, H. W., JR.
RICHIE, JOSEPH J.
STEVENSON, FRANK E.
RODENBAUGH, GEORGE S.
TOFFALETI, FRED B.
WALKER, G. W.

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SECOND ROW: J. T. House, R. R. Blue, R. M. Kirkland, G. P. Johnson, E. L. Pugh, H. W. Montgomery, Jr., D. A. Ellison, E. T. Green.

THIRD ROW: L. L. Libbey, T. J. Green, R. K. Johns, F. A. Arnold, E. G. Schroeder, M. B. Jacobsen, R. C. King, F. E. Stevenson.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Formerly stationed at Rolling Fork, Mississippi, this unit was organized and mustered into service at Vicksburg, Mississippi, on May 8, 1934. Company "B" soon distinguished itself, not only for its military excellence, its outstanding esprit de corps, and for the high caliber of its personnel, but also for the many services it performed for its regiment, for the state, and for the military service at large.

During the field training period of 1935, this unit revised and corrected the existing maps of Camp Beauregard, Louisiana. In the summer of 1936, it revised and brought up-to-date the Special Military Map of Fort McClellan, Alabama, for which the unit was commended by the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, by the Chief of the National Guard Bureau, by the Corps Area Commander, and others. It was during the same period that this unit was instrumental in the design, construction, and operation of an improvised footbridge.

In the summer of 1937, Company "B" made the surveys and a fire control map of the Artillery Range at Camp Shelby. During 1938, the unit developed a new type of road mine which was mentioned favorably by the Board of Engineers, Fort Belvoir, Virginia. Many other similar services and the continuously high standard maintained by this Company have earned it a steady stream of commendations and recognition as one of the State's outstanding military organizations.

VICKSBURG, MISSISSIPPI



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THIRD ROW: J. E. Reed, J. T. Bridges, G. R. Higginbotham, A. R. Higginbotham, J. T. Ruble, W. A. Jorden, J. W. Coleman, J. W. Eason, C. H. Sorrels.



COMPANY C

First Battalion

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain ALFRED O. HAMLIN
First Lieutenant THOMAS J. TUBB
Second Lieutenant JOHN A. CRAWFORD, JR.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant RALPH L. GOODSON
Staff Sergeant CLARENCE B. THOMPSON

SERGEANTS

DURRETT, WILLIAM G.	SMITH, CURTIS L.
ELLIS, RAYMOND F.	SHIRLEY, HERMAN M.
HANLIN, WILBUR G.	WELLS, JOHN S.
ZIMMER, RALPH W.	

CORPORALS

BARKEMEYER, RAYMOND P.	STEPHENS, JOHN C.
HARPER, RALPH S.	TAYLOR, WILEY W.
THOMAS, GEORGE J.	

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BLAKE, TOMMIE	DEXTER, ROY H.
BLANKENSHIP, THOMAS J.	GATES, HARRY P., JR.
BRIDGES, JOE T.	MITCHELL, JAMES L.
COMPTON, DEWEY C.	POSS, JOHNIE L.
COOK, JAMES L.	SOUTH, JAMES W. O.

PRIVATES

ANDREWS, WILLIAM B.	BRIDGES, ROY Q.
ARMSTRONG, FESTUS L.	CHANDLER, LOUIS D.
BENSON, MILTON C.	COLBERT, PEYTON H.



PRIVATES

COLEMAN, JAMES W.	MAY, ELDRED C.
COMPTON, RALPH E.	MCADAMS, HERMAN V.
CROMWELL, WILLIAM B.	MCCARTY, SAM
DUKEMINIER, JAMES W.	MURPHY, ROBERT H.
EASON, JACK W.	O'NEAL, JOHN M.
FRANKS, JOHN H.	PALMER, LORAIN L.
GILDER, RICHARD M.	REED, JOHN E.
HAMLIN, GRAHAM W.	RUBLE, JOE T.
HARPER, VANCE W.	SANDERS, JESSE F.
HIGGINBOTHAM, ANCEL R.	SORRELS, CHELSEA H.
HIGGINBOTHAM, GEORGE R.	STAGGS, HOMER J.
JENNINGS, CLANNIE D.	STEWART, ROBERT J.
JORDAN, WILLIAM A.	THOMAS, JAMES C.
YEATMAN, JOHNNIE P.	

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SECOND ROW: R. Compton, G. W. Hamlin, W. B. Cromwell, R. H. Murphy, H. P. Gates, Jr., J. L. Poss, L. L. Palmer, J. C. Thomas.

THIRD ROW: J. F. Sanders, R. H. Dexter, S. P. McCarty, M. C. Benson, C. D. Jennings, R. Q. Bridges, J. Franks, R. M. Gilder, T. Blake.

The unit performed extended emergency duty during the 1927 flood of the Mississippi River at Vicksburg, and during the tornado at Tupelo, Miss., in 1936. It performed special duty in connection with the visit of President Roosevelt to Tupelo in 1935.

This Company has always been used as the Engineer component of special troops placed on riot duty in the northern part of Mississippi since its organization.

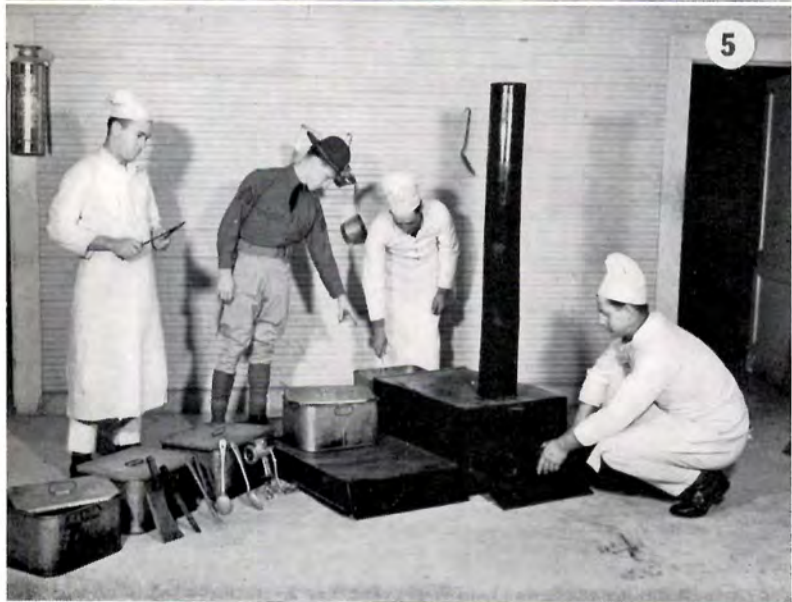
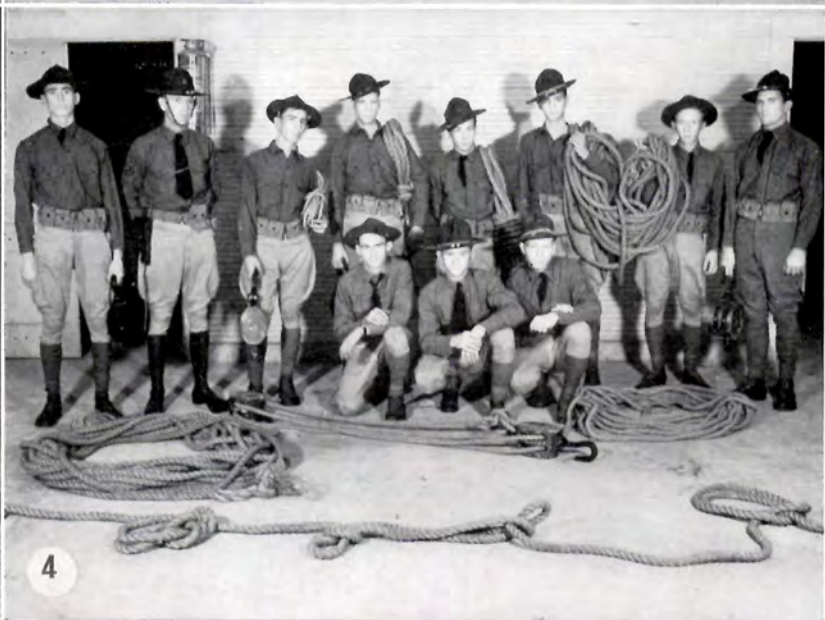
Annual field training has been at the following camps: 1924, 1925, and 1936, Camp McClellan, Anniston, Alabama; 1926, 1927, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, Camp Beauregard, Alexandria, Louisiana; 1928, 1930, Camp Benj. F. McClellan, Biloxi, Mississippi; 1929, Camp Clifford R. Roster, Jacksonville, Florida; 1937, Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Mississippi, and 1938, Third Army Maneuvers, DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi.

FACTUAL HISTORY

Company "C," 106th Engineers, was organized in June, 1924, by Capt. James E. Hamlin, assisted by First Lieut. W. K. McWilliams and Second Lieut. Alfred O. Hamlin. It was Federally recognized June 30, 1924.

Besides the original officers, the following have served: First Lieut. Rodney F. Hamlin, First Lieut. David I. Dodanhoff, First Lieut. Thomas J. Tubb, Second Lieut. Lawrence L. Mullins, and Second Lieut. John A. Crawford, Jr.

WEST POINT, MISS.



COMPANY C
FIRST BATTALION
ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH ENGINEERS
WEST POINT, MISSISSIPPI

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Sketching.
3. Demolition Party.
4. Block and Tackle.
5. Kitchen Personnel in Action.
6. Riflemen.

One Hundred Sixth QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT



The following coat of arms for the 106th Quartermaster Regiment, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida National Guard, was approved under the provisions of Par. 5, AR 260-10:

SHIELD: Per bend sanguine and buff, to chief a prickly pear cactus, to base a fleur-de-lis all argent.

CRESTS: Those for the regiments of the Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama and Florida National Guard, in the following order:

LOUISIANA: On a wreath of the colors (argent and sanguine) a pelican in her piety affronte with three young in nest, argent armed and vulned proper.

MISSISSIPPI: On a wreath of the colors (argent and sanguine) a slip of magnolia full flower with leaves proper behind a trident sable.

ALABAMA: On a wreath of the colors (argent and sanguine) a slip of cotton plant with full bursting boll proper.

FLORIDA: On a wreath of the colors (argent and sanguine) an alligator statant proper.

MOTTO: Pret d'accomplir (Ready to accomplish).



Organized in January, 1924, as the Thirty-first Division Quartermaster Train in the National Guard of Mississippi, Louisiana, Alabama, and Florida, this organization was redesignated the 106th Quartermaster Regiment on May 1, 1936.

The regiment is entitled to a streamer in the colors of the Victory Ribbon, without inscription, to commemorate the services of Companies "A" and "D" (one-third of the lettered companies of the Regiment) during the World War.



ALBERT T. CALLICOTT
Lieutenant Colonel, Executive
Commanding One Hundred and Sixth Quartermaster Regiment
(Mississippi Allotment)

Received basic military training at the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical College. May 30, 1914, enlisted in Infantry, Mississippi National Guard. March 31, 1915, commissioned Second Lieutenant of Infantry. June 19, 1916, called into Federal service, was promoted to First Lieutenant, Infantry, and continued to serve in the 155th Infantry, Thirty-ninth Division. Saw service in France with his division and was discharged on May 28, 1919. February 17, 1920, commissioned First Lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, O. R. C. Organized 154th Motor Transport Company, Mississippi National Guard, and was commissioned First Lieutenant and commanding officer of the unit on April 6, 1922. Was promoted to Major, Quartermaster Corps, Mississippi National Guard, and assigned to command the Thirty-first Division Quartermaster Train on August 11, 1924. When the 106th Quartermaster Regiment was organized, the position of Lieutenant Colonel and Executive Officer was assigned the Mississippi National Guard. Major Callicott was promoted to that rank on July 20, 1936, and assigned the duties of Executive Officer. He was graduated from Quartermaster School, 1928, and Motor Transport School, 1936.



The four units of the Regiment stationed in Mississippi are Headquarters, Headquarters Company, Medical Detachment, and Company "A."

Headquarters unit was organized in August, 1924, as Headquarters, Thirty-first Division Quartermaster Train, being redesignated Headquarters, 106th Quartermaster Regiment, Mississippi National Guard, on July 20, 1936.



JOSEPH F. ARMSTRONG
Major, M. C.
Medical Department Detachment



GAVAN C. ROBERTSON
Captain (S-2 and S-3)



ELDON L. BOLTON
Captain, M. C.
Medical Department Detachment



WALTER HOLLOWAY
Captain, Headquarters Company

OFFICERS, STAFF AND FIELD ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

Headquarters Company and the Medical Detachment were both organized and recognized in the Mississippi National Guard on June 1, 1936.

Company "A" history dates back to the organization in July, 1917, of Troop "E," Second Separate Squadron Cavalry, Mississippi National Guard. This unit was mustered into Federal service on August 9, 1917, redesignated as Company "F," 114th Supply Train, and served in France

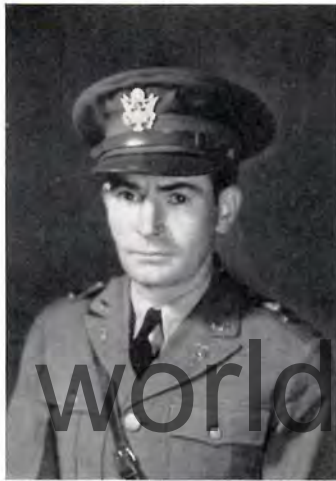
with the Thirty-ninth Division. After the Armistice, the personnel was transferred to other units and the records returned to the United States by cadre. The unit was demobilized on January 23, 1919. It was reorganized on April 21, 1922, as the 154th Motor Transport Company, redesignated as the 122nd Motor Transport Company, January 29, 1924, and as Company "A," 106th Quartermaster Regiment, Mississippi National Guard, on May 13, 1936.

THOMAS V. DIXON
First Lieut., Company A

ERNEST F. HENLEY
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Company

JOHN S. B. JOHNSON
Second Lieut., Company A

DANIEL B. VAN COURT
Second Lieut., Headquarters
Company





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FIRST ROW: F. C. Buehler, A. F. Catchot, M. O. Joachim, F. V. Hulsey, H. Weyerstall, A. J. VanCourt, M. J. Seymour, C. N. Seymour, G. W. Dale.

SECOND ROW: G. W. Fluker, Jr., N. J. Seymour, F. N. Seymour, J. K. Ladnier, J. C. Wieder, C. B. Catchot, J. W. Milsted, I. L. Cox, C. D. Parlin, S. Poitevent, Jr.

THIRD ROW: E. J. Benezue, H. C. Seymour, J. King, G. A. Trebotich, F. X. Collins, W. J. Duvernay, Jr., E. F. Beaugez, A. J. Webber, M. J. Beaugez, F. Williams, A. A. Jakins.



Headquarters

COMPANY

OCEAN SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Captain WALTER HOLLOWAY
Second Lieutenant ERNEST F. HENLEY
Second Lieutenant DANIEL B. VAN COURT

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

Master Sergeant FRANK C. BUEHLER
Technical Sergeant FABIAN V. HUSLEY
Technical Sergeant MARK O. JOACHIM
Technical Sergeant HENRY WEYERSTALL
First Sergeant ANTHONY F. CATCHOT

SERGEANTS

SEYMOUR, MILTON J. VAN COURT, ARNOLD J.

CORPORALS

DALE, GERARD W. SEYMOUR, CHARLES N.

PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

BEAUGEZ, MALCOLM J. SEYMOUR, FOSTER N.
DUVERNAY, W. J., JR. SEYMOUR, HUGH C.
POITEVENT, S., JR. WIEDER, JOSEPH C.

PRIVATES

BEAUGEZ, ERNEST F. KING, JOHN
BENEZUE, EDWARD J. LADNIER, JAMES K.
CATCHOT, COLLUS B. MILSTED, JOSEPH W.
COLLINS, FRANCIS X. PARLIN, CHARLES D.
COX, IRVIN L. SEYMOUR, NARVIN J.
FLUKER, GEO. W., JR. TREBOTICH, GEO. A.
JAKINS, ALVIN A. WEBBER, ARTHUR J.
WILLIAMS, FLOYD

FACTUAL HISTORY

Headquarters Company, 106th Quartermaster Regiment, was organized on June 1, 1936, with Headquarters Company (less Division Quartermaster Platoon), at Ocean Springs, and Division Quartermaster Platoon at Senatobia. First Lieut. Walter Holloway was in command at Ocean Springs, assisted by Second Lieut. Norman C. Holmes, with Second Lieut. John T. Kizer at Senatobia. Headquar-

Headquarters COMPANY

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH
QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

OCEAN SPRINGS, MISSISSIPPI

ters Company was organized with seventeen new men and eight men transferred from Battery "F," 114th Field Artillery, Biloxi. Division Quartermaster Platoon was recruited from new men.

First Field Training was at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, August 9 to August 23, 1936. Headquarters Company (less Division Quartermaster Platoon), served at Biloxi during President Roosevelt's visit on April 28-29, 1937. At Camp Shelby, Mississippi, July 4 to July 18, 1937, the Company participated in a convoy which transported the personnel of the camp to the Gulf Coast and return.

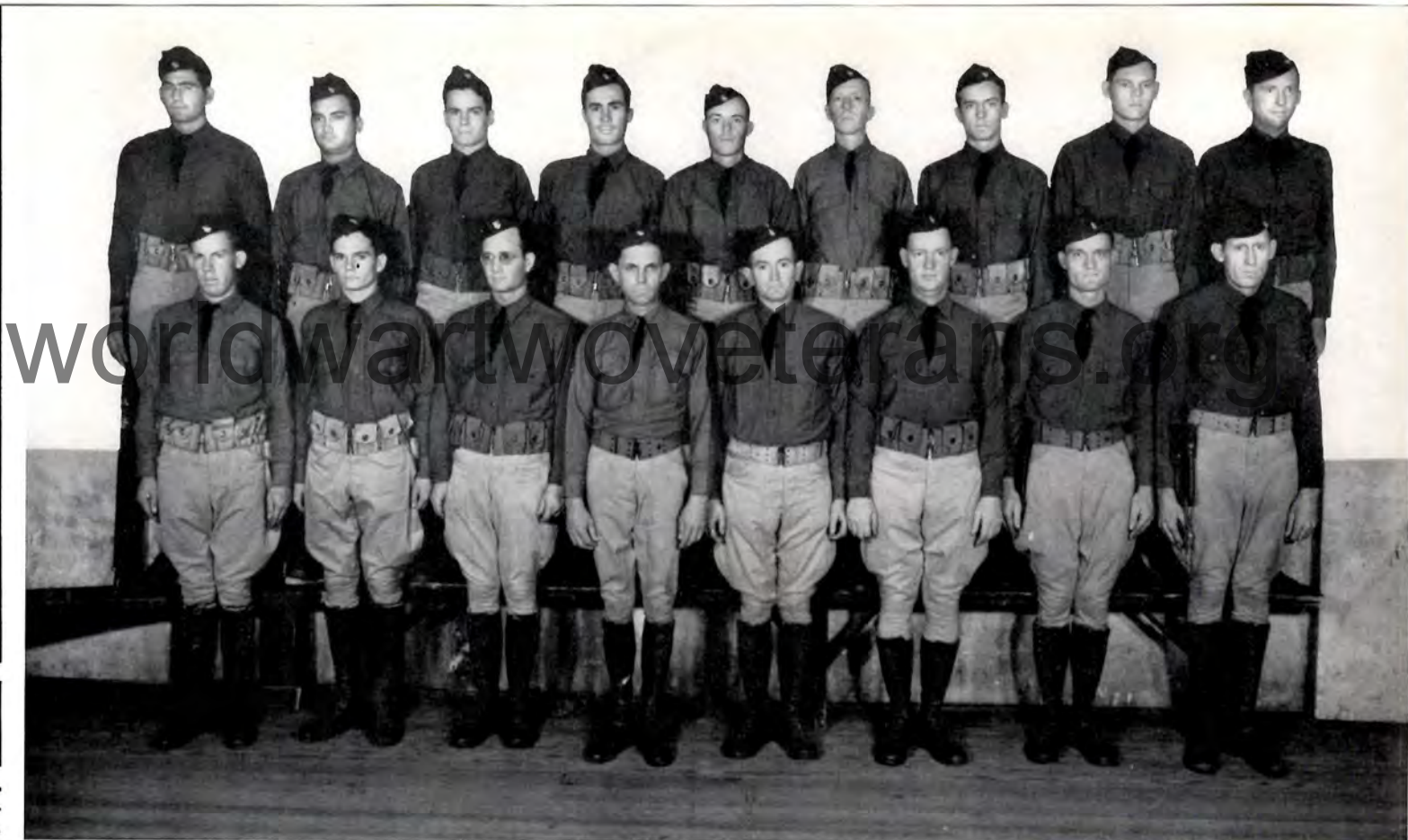
In April, 1938, the strength of the Company was increased from thirty to thirty-two enlisted men. In July, 1938, the Division Quartermaster Platoon was transferred to Ocean Springs.

During the Third Army Maneuvers in DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi, July 31 to August 14, 1938, Headquarters Company for the first time operated with the complete 106th Quartermaster Regiment. Headquarters Company furnished the clerical force for the Regimental Commander, who was also Division Quartermaster. Division gasoline supply for the Thirty-first Division was operated by the Gasoline Supply Platoon of Headquarters Company, which also gave assistance in the issuing of Class 1 supplies.

The Company, now in its third year and perhaps the youngest unit in the Mississippi National Guard, is fast reaching the stage of experience that comes with maturity.

1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. Motor Instructions.
3. Pistol Instruction.
4. Company Front.
5. Clerk's School.





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SECOND ROW: D. R. Stamphill, T. F. Daniel, J. H. Rayburn, R. L. Craig, J. C. Williams, O. B. Powers, A. G. Johnson, F. Puryear, H. Taylor.



COMPANY A

First Battalion

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ONE HUNDRED SIXTH QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Lieutenant THOMAS V. DIXON
Second Lieutenant JOHN S. B. JOHNSON

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS

First Sergeant MELVIN W. LASSITER

SERGEANTS

DANIEL, CLYDE	MONTGOMERY, JOHN L.
JANNEY, THOMAS A.	SCOTT, WARREN A.
MONTGOMERY, HOMER L.	SEALY, WILLIAM C.

CORPORALS

DICKERSON, JOHN E.	MILLER, SIM R.
GOLIGHTLY, WM. L.	PACK, DAVID B.
WALKER, WILLIAM C.	

PRIVATE FIRST CLASS

DANIEL, THOMAS F.	PURYEAR, FRANK E.
HALL, EDGAR S.	TAYLOR, HUGH
HUFFSTATLER, H. A.	WALKER, ALFORD L.
MORGAN, EDWARD B.	WILLIAMS, JOHN C.
PRIDE, JOE D.	WALKER, ELBERT R.

PRIVATE

CALLICOTT, ALBERT L.	JOHNSON, A. G., JR.
CRAIG, ALONZO M.	KOPF, GEORGE L.
CRAIG, JOHN R.	McFERRIN, WILBUR R.
CRAIG, ROBERT L.	MORGAN, JACK
DEAN, BENJAMIN H.	McMASTER, JAMES H.
JONES, LEONARD N.	MONTGOMERY, L. E.



PRIVATES

POPE, DANIEL P.	RAYBURN, JOHN H.
PORTER, LEON D.	STAMPBILL, D. R.
POWELL, ALBERT H.	SMITH, NORMAN
POWERS, OLLIE B.	SOUTH, WILLIAM J.
PRICE, HOWARD A.	WALKER, GEORGE T.
RAYBURN, JACK H.	WHALEN, CHESTER H.
WHITT, RAIFOD L.	

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FIRST ROW: J. H. Morgan, A. M. Craig, D. P. Pope, L. E. Montgomery, W. J. South, J. D. Price, S. R. Miller, J. E. Dickerson, T. A. Janney.

SECOND ROW: H. A. Huffstatler, A. L. Walker, B. H. Dean, L. N. Jones, G. L. Kopf, L. D. Porter, J. R. Craig, G. T. Walker, C. H. Whalen, A. L. Callicott.

FACTUAL HISTORY

This unit was Federally recognized as the 154th Motor Transport Company at Senatobia on April 6, 1922, later redesignated 122nd Transport Company.

First Lieut. Albert T. Callicott, organizer and first company commander, served as such until 1925, when he was made Major and Commander, Thirty-first Division Quartermaster Train. He was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and Commander of the 106th Quartermaster Regiment in 1936.

When the village of Savage was destroyed by a tornado in 1923, Lieutenant Callicott and entire company, serving without pay, restored order and rendered relief. During the 1927 Mississippi River flood, this unit served eighty consecutive days at Vicksburg, being on constant duty

without rest for twenty-four hours a day the first three days.

Serving with Memphis, Tennessee, postal authorities on a civilian basis during the Christmas rush season for nine consecutive years, the unit established an enviable record for careful driving and efficient service.

When City of Tupelo was almost destroyed by tornado in May, 1936, the unit for three weeks did guard duty and aided in relief and rehabilitation work.

In July, 1936, Lieutenant Colonel Callicott, using Company "A" personnel and equipment, augmented by several trucks and drivers from the 114th Field Artillery, organized a convoy of 105 vehicles, which transported the personnel of the 117th Infantry, Tennessee National Guard, from their home stations to Camp Jackson, South Carolina, and return, travelling approximately 1,200 miles without accident and on schedule.

Picked detachments have served on guard duty during trials and during floods.

SENATOBIA, MISSISSIPPI



C O M P A N Y A

FIRST BATTALION

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH
QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

SENATOBIA, MISSISSIPPI



1. Non-Commissioned Officers.
2. First Aid.
3. Drivers and Assistant Drivers.
4. Rifle Marksmanship.
5. Hot Line for Recruits.
6. Blanket Toss.



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A. A. HOFMAN
Colonel, Infantry

AMOS T. AKERMAN
Captain, Corps of Engineers

GEORGE S. SMITH
Captain, Field Artillery

Officer Instructors

ARMY INSTRUCTORS

Sergeant Instructors

JACOB KAPLAN
Staff Sergeant

HAROLD B. McCULLOUGH
Sergeant



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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT, 155TH INFANTRY

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September 6, 1924, it was finally moved to Jackson on June 3, 1929. Staff Sgt. Nicholas Berbiglia and Supply Sgt. Arthur B. Henry have served in their respective positions from that time to the present. The former has qualified as a Second Lieutenant in the Medical Administrative Corp.

An important part in the development of the Regiment is credited to Maj. William R. Grady, retired, previous Regimental Surgeon. He served in the Mississippi Militia before the World War, in the Medical Corp of the United States Army, and the American Expeditionary Forces. He was rated one of the best sanitary officers in the A. E. F. Always ready to aid a junior officer, he was also respected for his medical military ability. His retirement on September 9, 1936, was deeply regretted.

The whole-hearted cooperative spirit of the medical officers with the enlisted personnel and line officers of this Regiment has been a significant and outstanding fact for the past few years. The personnel is trained and equipped sufficiently to care for all emergencies which may arise in the field training periods in which this Detachment serves.

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 155TH INFANTRY

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panies in the state. At that time its membership composed all of Warren County.

Regimental Headquarters Company served with the First Mississippi in the Creek Indian Wars from 1812 to 1814. It became incorporated in 1837 as the Vicksburg Volunteers and later when there became a distinction between the North and the South, the name was changed from Vicksburg Volunteers to the Volunteer Southrons. The word "volunteer" is taken to show they were not in regular service, but would chance all willingly and without draft or compulsion for love of their country.

The Company saw service in the Mexican War with the First Mississippi Regiment under the command of Jefferson Davis. After the Mexican War the name was changed and was known as Company "A." The unit served with the Twenty-first Mississippi Regiment under Colonel Moody during the Civil War from 1861 to 1864.

Company "A" was mustered into Federal service at Camp Pat Henry, Jackson, Mississippi, in 1898 for the Spanish-American War. This Company also took part in the strife along the Mexican Border in 1916, and served with the Thirty-ninth Division of War in 1918 and 1919.

The name was again changed and designated as the Regimental Headquarters Company on November 2, 1921, and has retained that name for the last eighteen years.

SERVICE COMPANY, 155TH INFANTRY

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Lieutenant. Upon Captain Wise's promotion in 1923, Lieutenant Duggan was promoted to Captain, and commanded the Company until August, 1927. Captain Duggan was then transferred to the Regimental Staff and was succeeded by Louis A. Cary, who has served as Company Commander until the present time.

This unit has been called on for many tours of state duty, the most important being during the 1927 flood. During this disaster, the Company organized and carried out rescue work and established a refugee camp at Yazoo City, Mississippi, providing shelter and food for a total of 15,000 flood refugees. The Company served for forty days.

In 1927, the Service Company had the sad but signal privilege of serving as honor guard at the funeral of Col. George Quekemeyer, personal aide to General Pershing during the World War.

Other state service consisted of two tours of storm duty at Yazoo City in 1925 and in 1932; guard duty, Tallahatchie Basin, 1933; and three tours of duty in defending prisoners from mobs, at Jackson, at Cleveland, and at Hernando.

The personnel of this organization probably has changed less than that of any other unit in the state. The officers have served with it for more than a combined total of sixty years. Master Sergeants Applebaum, Hood, Netherland, and Mess Sergeant Jenne have a combined record of service of more than sixty years. Many other members have served for more than ten years.

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 155TH INFANTRY

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the units were comparatively unstable and changed names frequently. In the course of time, this unit has been known as the Warren Light Artillery, First Mississippi Rifles, Second Independent Company of Infantry, and First Battalion Headquarters Company of the 155th Infantry.

As First Battalion, Fifth Independent Battalion, it had the present Regimental Commander, Col. George E. Hogaboom, as Battalion Commander.

In 1916, the Company was mustered into Federal service for duty on the Mexican Border and was sent to Fort Sam Houston for training. It was mustered out of service at 8 a. m., March 27, 1917, and because of serious relations with Germany was mustered back into service at 1 p. m. of the same day. They trained at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana, until August, 1918, at which time they sailed for France, arriving at Brest about September 1, 1918. There they were assigned to the Fifth Depot Division, Thirty-ninth Division.

Since 1921, the latest designation of the organization as the 155th Infantry and the accomplishments of the Com-

CONTINUATION OF HISTORIES

pany as a separate unit may be more specifically followed. Upon being mustered into service under its present designation in June, 1928, the organization had as its commander First Lieut. W. J. Voller.

In 1934, First Lieut. C. H. Mackey assumed command when Lieutenant Voller was assigned to the Regimental Staff. In 1936, First Lieut. G. A. Morris was made commander when Lieutenant Mackey was given command of Regimental Headquarters Company. Due to circumstances requiring Lieutenant Morris's services on the Regimental Staff, early in 1938 Lieut. F. W. Melsheimer assumed temporary command of the unit.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT, 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY (Continued from page 73)

178th Field Artillery, this unit consisted of one Captain, Charles E. Lehmberg, and seven enlisted men. It was redesignated the Medical Department Detachment, First Battalion, 114th Field Artillery, on November 15, 1932. When the Regiment was organized, May 3, 1933, this unit was redesignated the Medical Department Detachment, 114th Field Artillery, with a strength of twenty-eight enlisted men and five officers, four medical and one dental.

This unit has attended all eight encampments of the Regiment since its organization, five at Fort Knox, two at Camp Shelby, and at the Third Army Maneuvers in DeSoto National Park.

Members of the Detachment served with credit to the Regiment in April, 1936, following the Tupelo tornado disaster.

Staff Sgt. Charles E. Lehmberg, Jr., has served as Staff Sergeant since the organization of the Detachment.

SERVICE BATTERY, 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY (Continued from page 76)

it was not until the early spring of 1933 that this city had an opportunity to get a unit. When the 178th Field Artillery Battalion was expanded to a Regiment, the Service Battery, 114th Field Artillery, was assigned to Meridian. Organized April 18, 1933, it was Federally recognized May 1, 1933.

Consisting of a personnel above the average, this unit has received commendations for outstanding work during field training every year since its organization. It received the regimental attendance cup for the highest attendance in 1936 and 1938. This Battery passed the 1937 and 1938 Federal inspections without a single deficiency reported by the inspector.

The Service Battery attended field training at Fort Knox in 1934 and 1935, at Camp Shelby in 1936 and 1937, and participated in the Third Army Maneuvers in the summer of 1938.

Original officers of the Battery were First Lieuts. Frank

McKee and Lee B. Preister, Jr., and Second Lieuts. Beverly M. Leigh, Jr., and Paul L. Tatum. First Lieut. Robert P. Alston succeeded Lieutenant Priester, when the latter moved to another section of the state in 1933. The other three original officers are still with the Battery. Second Lieut. Jack C. Breyer also has been assigned to the unit.

BAND, 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY (Continued from page 78)

officers and enlisted men during field training. The band attended field training at Fort Knox and Camp Shelby each summer through 1936.

In 1936, an R. O. T. C. department was established at the University, and approximately three-fourths of this unit's personnel enrolled in the military classes, resulting in a marked increase in "military consciousness." All members enroll in the R. O. T. C. if possible.

In April, 1937, following an increase from twenty-six to thirty-two enlisted men, several additional instruments were secured by the U. S. P. & D. O. for the band. At Camp Shelby in 1937, the band, in addition to furnishing music for parades, played many concerts in the camp area and in Hattiesburg.

During the Third Army Maneuvers at DeSoto National Forest in 1938, two concerts each day were given while the Regiment was in concentration area. In addition to this, the members were assigned to various units for the maneuvers and rendered valuable service as messengers. The members of the band receive excellent training through participation in work of the R. O. T. C. together with instruction given in the Band Section.

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY AND COMBAT TRAIN, SECOND BATTALION, 114TH FIELD ARTILLERY (Continued from page 89)

April 29, 1933, with three officers and thirty-five enlisted men. Officers were Capt. Arthur L. Goodman and Lieuts. Henry H. Hunter and Lawrence L. Mullins.

Due to lack of experience, this organization did not participate in field training during 1933, but it went to Fort Knox, Kentucky, in 1934 and 1935, and to Camp Shelby, Mississippi, in 1936 and 1937. Highlight in the unit's training was in 1938, when the Battery, as part of the Regiment, performed satisfactorily, with the other two Regiments of the Fifty-sixth Brigade, during the Third Army Maneuvers in DeSoto National Forest, Mississippi.

The Battery won the regimental athletic trophy in 1934 and the regimental attendance cup in 1937.

Captain Goodman tendered his resignation, due to business reasons, on January 6, 1937, and Lieutenant Hunter took command. First Sgt. Jack D. Mullen was commissioned a Lieutenant on February 21, 1937, and on July 2, 1938, he was promoted to Captain and given command of the unit.

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MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT, 106TH ENGINEERS

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vard, who served in this capacity until his retirement in 1931 as Lieutenant Colonel, M. C., on account of ill health. Capt. Reuel May was Dental Surgeon of this Regiment until 1937 when he was promoted to Major and assigned as Thirty-first Division Dental Surgeon.

Capt. Andrew K. Naugle is the present Dental Surgeon, residing at West Point, Mississippi. Maj. James H. Fox, Regimental Surgeon and Commanding Officer of the Detachment, was promoted to this rank to succeed Major Brevard. Staff Sgt. John B. Lilly, ranking non-commissioned officer, is a graduate of the Non-commissioned Officers Service School at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania.

One member of this unit, Pvt. Billie Quinn, won the National Guard competition examination and entered the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1936.

HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE COMPANY, 106TH ENGINEERS

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designated Headquarters and Service Company, 106th Engineers, January 1, 1924. It was organized by Capt. Ora S. Anderson at Drew, Sunflower County. The oldest Company Commander in years of service in the Mississippi National Guard and Regimental Supply Officer for the 106th Engineers, Captain Anderson still commands this unit.

The Band section was Federally recognized June 6, 1922, at Ruleville, with Chandler Worley as Warrant Officer. It was transferred to Millsaps College, Jackson, on October 16, 1931, with Warrant Officer Frank Slater, who was succeeded on October 8, 1937, by Armand G. Coulet, present warrant officer.

The Company has the custody of all the Engineering, Transportation, and Electric Light and Water equipment of the 106th Engineers Regiment.

The organization did special duty at Cleveland, flood duty, June 23 to July 17, 1927, in charge of refugee concentration camp; at Tupelo, April 6 to April 23, 1936, rehabilitation and sanitary work in area destroyed by tornado, and on several occasions for minor riot duty.

BAND SECTION, 106TH ENGINEERS

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Slater and Lieutenant Coulet saw service in the World War.

The Band marched in President Roosevelt's inaugural parade in 1932 and was present at the installations of Governors Connor and White of Mississippi.

Also an integral part of Millsaps College, the Band maps its programs so that its two functions do not overlap. The traditional purple and white Millsaps colors are worn for college events and the official blue dress regalia for National Guard activities.

Membership is encouraged by the college, which offers scholarships to musicians. One extra curricular hour of college credit is offered as further inducement to band membership. Although National Guard enlistment is limited to thirty-six men, other students may belong to the college band. Some members use their National Guard money to help defray college expenses.

Service in the band entails excellent musical training, for classical as well as military tunes are taught.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT DETACHMENT, 106TH QUARTERMASTER REGIMENT

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as Regimental Surgeon, has been in command of the unit since its organization, while Capt. Eldon L. Bolton has served as Assistant Regimental Surgeon and has administered command of the Medical Detachment since its formation. The unit was organized with a personnel of two officers and ten enlisted men.

During the field training period of 1936, August 9 to August 23, the Medical Detachment served at Camp Beauregard, Louisiana. From July 4 to July 18, 1937, the unit spent in field training at Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

The 1937-1938 Armory training period was spent in training the Medical Detachment in duties in the field in anticipation of the Third Army Maneuvers in the DeSoto National Forest a short distance from this unit's home station. The Detachment was highly commended for their efficiency during these maneuvers.

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