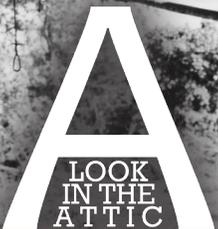


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THIS WEEK IN OHIO NATIONAL GUARD HISTORY



### THROUGH THE LENS:

**May 12, 1944:** Pfc. Walter R. Hurst, Headquarters Battery, 140th Field Artillery Battalion, 37th Infantry Division, inspecting pear tomatoes from the 37th Infantry Division gardens at Bougainville.

 Battery A, 1st Battalion, 134th Field Artillery Regiment

### WEEK IN REVIEW:

May 13, 1920: **Company A, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment** is organized in Delaware as Sanitary Detachment, 4th Infantry Regiment.

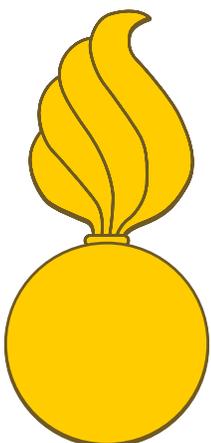
May 14, 1921: The **684th Medical Company** is organized in Westerville as the 134th Ambulance Company, 112th Medical Regiment.

May 14, 1812: The Ordnance Corps is established by an act of Congress as the Ordnance Department. It acquired its present designation in 1950.

May 16, 1973: The **179th Security Forces Squadron** is federally recognized in Mansfield as the 179th Weapons System Security Flight.

### BRANCH BASICS: THE ORDNANCE CORPS

The Ordnance Corps branch insignia (below) is represented by the "Shell and Flame". It is considered to be the oldest branch insignia in the U.S. Army and has been used since the 17th century by various armies of Western Europe. Crimson and yellow are the branch colors. The list of units below represents ordnance force structure allotted to the Ohio Army National Guard over the years.



- 50th Ordnance Group, 1947-1963
- 37th Ordnance Battalion, 1947-1968
- 38th Ordnance Battalion, 1948-1961
- 138th Maintenance Battalion, 1970-1977
- 737th Ordnance Battalion, 1953-1963
- 737th Maintenance Battalion, 1963-2007
- 112th Ordnance Company, 1921-1968
- 115th Maintenance Company, 1968-1969
- 155th Maintenance Company, 1969-1989
- 211th Maintenance Company, 1972-Present
- 212th Maintenance Company, 1968-77, 2000-01, 2010-Present
- 213th Maintenance Company, 1972-2001
- 213th Ordnance Company, 2001-2007
- 214th Maintenance Company, 1968-1994
- 357th Ordnance Company, 1949-1952
- 372d Maintenance Company, 1989-2007
- 493d Ordnance Company, 1959-1961

- 494th Ordnance Company, 1959-1961
- 737th Ordnance Company, 1943-1953
- 997th Ordnance Company, 1990-1997
- 3640th Ordnance Company, 1950-1963
- 3641st Ordnance Company, 1948-1963
- 3660th Ordnance Company, 1949-1961
- 328th Ordnance Detachment, 1980-1989
- 357th Ordnance Detachment, 1952-1963
- 371st Maintenance Detachment, 1972-1973
- 405th Ordnance Detachment, 1954-1962
- 406th Ordnance Detachment, 1954-1962
- 446th Ordnance Detachment, 1972-1974
- 123d Motor Repair Section, 1924-1936
- 164th Signal Radar Maintenance Unit, 1951-1953
- 165th Signal Radar Maintenance Unit, 1952-1953
- 166th Signal Radar Maintenance Unit, 1952-1953
- 188th Signal Radar Maintenance Unit, 1950-1953