



### THROUGH THE LENS OCTOBER 17, 1962

Soldiers from Headquarters Troop, 107th Armored Cavalry enter Trinity Episcopal Cathedral in downtown Cleveland prior to church services for the 80th anniversary of the formation of the First Cleveland Troop.

### WEEK IN REVIEW:

October 15, 1940: The 37th Infantry Division is inducted into federal service by order of the President and sent to Camp Shelby, Miss. for 12 months of training.

October 15, 1962: The **178th Wing, 179th Airlift Wing and 180th Fighter Wing** are allotted to the Ohio Air National Guard and receive federal recognition as the 178th, 179th and 180th Tactical Fighter Groups in Springfield, Mansfield and Toledo.

### IN THEIR OWN WORDS

INDUCTION DAY: 2ND LT. CHARLES HENNE, COMPANY K, 148TH INFANTRY

“When receiving the Induction Order unit commanders put out the word by telephone, telegram and news releases. Many of the men learned about the muster upon reading notices in the newspapers and they either reported in or telephoned that they would report at the specified time, 0700 AM on 15 October.

On 15 October, every member of Company K reported before 0700. The men drew their uniforms and equipment in the usual way and dressed. It helped that the cooks had made hot coffee and the coffee helped getting the day started in a good way.

The hustle and bustle in the armory on the morning of 15 October was like that of an ordinary drill, but the 15 October assembly was no ordinary drill. It was the beginning of one year of active service. No one guessed that it was the beginning of five years of service for many, death and disablement for too many and life long military careers for others.”