



NOVEMBER 29 - DECEMBER 5, 2021



THROUGH THE LENS

DECEMBER 5, 1936: Annual convention of the Ohio National Guard Association at the Neil House, Columbus, Ohio.



WEEK IN REVIEW

Tu **NOVEMBER 30, 1864:** The Union Army of the Ohio, under Maj. Gen. John Schofield, defeats Confederate Gen. John B. Hood at the Battle of Franklin, Tenn. Schofield's force contained 26 Ohio infantry regiments, four artillery batteries and one cavalry regiment.

NOVEMBER 30, 1948: The shoulder sleeve insignia authorized for the Army Element, Joint Force Headquarters Ohio is approved for Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Ohio National Guard.

W **DECEMBER 1, 1942:** The 121st Air Refueling Wing is organized in the Army Air Force at Hamilton Field, Calif. as the 357th Fighter Group. The group contained three units that were also organized on this date: the 362d Fighter Squadron, currently the 162d Reconnaissance Squadron; 363d Fighter Squadron, currently the 164th Airlift Squadron; and the 364th Fighter Squadron, currently the 166th Air Refueling Squadron.

Sa **DECEMBER 4, 1875:** Company B, 1st Battalion, 145th Armored Regiment is organized in Akron as the Akron City Guard.

DECEMBER 4, 1945: The first troop ship carrying 37th Infantry Division Soldiers home from the Philippines arrives at San Francisco.

DECEMBER 4, 1969: The shoulder sleeve insignia for the 16th Engineer Brigade is approved by the Institute of Heraldry.



CONNECTING TO THE COLLECTIONS



ARMY OFFICER'S SERVICE COAT

Worn by Ohio adjutant general Maj. Gen. Albert E. Henderson, who held the position from 1952 to 1954. On the left sleeve is the shoulder sleeve insignia that was authorized for members of Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Ohio National Guard in 1948.

The insignia is described as a blue triangular background, one point down, with a white border and a red border, the whole measuring 2 1/2 inches wide by 3 inches high. A red disc with a white border and a white star is inside the triangle. The design of the insignia is based on the flag for the State of Ohio.

