

UNIT HISTORICAL SKETCH



"FIDES ET AUDAX"



BATTERY C, 1ST BATTALION, 134TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT

MARYSVILLE, OHIO

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Battery C, 1st Battalion, 134th Field Artillery Regiment was organized on July 18, 1877 in Marysville, Ohio as Company E, 14th Infantry Regiment. The company adopted the local designation of Curry Cadets, in honor of their first commanding officer, Capt. William L. Curry (left) who was a native of Union County and served in the 1st Ohio Volunteer Cavalry during the Civil War.

During the War with Spain the unit, now Company D, fought in Puerto Rico, taking part in the battle near Guayama on Aug. 5, 1898. The unit returned to Marysville in 1899 and was redesignated as Company E, 4th Infantry Regiment and served along the Mexican Border in 1916-17. Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler, future 37th Infantry Division commander, enlisted in the company in 1911 and was commissioned a second lieutenant in 1914. During World War I, the company was part of the 166th Infantry, 42d "Rainbow" Division, taking part in numerous campaigns in 1918.

During World War II, Company E was ordered into active service in October 1940 and trained at Camp Shelby, Miss. In 1942, the 166th Infantry was relieved from assignment to the 37th Division and remained in the United States as a training regiment. The unit reorganized in Marysville in 1947 as Anti-Tank and later Tank Company, 166th Infantry. In 1959, the unit was converted to Battery B, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 134th Artillery and returned to the 37th Infantry Division.



Soldiers in Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry stand in formation outside of the Delaware Armory during a call to duty ceremony for the unit in October 2001.

The unit remained field artillery until converting back to infantry in 1972 as a detachment of Company B, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry stationed in Delaware. On Sept. 1, 1992, the Doellinger Armory in Marysville was closed and the detachment was consolidated with Company B (organized Jan. 17, 1947 in Delaware) and Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry (organized July 5, 1928 in Columbus). The consolidated units were designated as Detachment 1, Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry and stationed in Delaware, with the parent company stationed in Bellefontaine.

On Sept. 1, 2001, the detachment was consolidated with Company C (organized May 2, 1929 in Bellefontaine) in Delaware. On Oct. 6, 2001, the 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry was the first unit in the Ohio Army National Guard ordered into federal service for the War on Terrorism. Company C was broken into three task forces that guarded Rock Island Arsenal, Ill.; Lima Army Tank Plant, Ohio; and Ravenna Training and Logistics Site, Ohio.

Due to a statewide reorganization, Company C was converted to the 585th Military Police Company on Sept. 1, 2007. A year later the Delaware Armory was closed and the unit returned home to the new Marysville Training and Community Center. The 585th served in Iraq in 2009-2010, where it earned the Meritorious Unit Commendation as an element of the 49th Military Police Brigade.

On Sept. 1, 2018 the company returned to the field artillery branch when the unit was reorganized as Battery C, 1st Battalion, 134th Field Artillery Regiment and was assigned to the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team. The battery was fielded the new M777 155 mm howitzers as part of the reorganization. The battery returned to active service on Sept. 23, 2022 and was deployed in support of Combined Joint Task Force - Operation Inherent Resolve.



LINEAGE AND HONORS

Organized 18 July 1877 in the Ohio National Guard at Marysville as Company E, 14th Infantry (Curry Cadets)

Redesignated 22 April 1879 as Company D, 14th Infantry

Mustered into Federal service 9 May 1898 at Camp Bushnell, Ohio as Company D, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry; mustered out of Federal service 20 January 1899 at Columbus and resumed state status as Company D, 14th Infantry

Disbanded 14 April 1899

Reorganized 14 March 1900 as Company E, 4th Infantry

Mustered into Federal service 11 July 1916 at Camp Willis, Ohio; mustered out of Federal service 3 March 1917 at Fort Wayne, Michigan

Called into Federal service 15 July 1917

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 20 August 1917 as Company E, 166th Infantry, an element of the 42d Division

Demobilized 17 May 1919 at Camp Sherman, Ohio

Reorganized and Federally recognized 21 October 1919 as Machine Gun Company, 4th Infantry



Company E, 4th Infantry Regiment, circa 1905.



Battery B, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 134th Artillery, Camp Grayling, Mich., circa 1960.

Reorganized and redesignated 23 April 1920 as Company M, 4th Infantry

Redesignated 1 May 1921 as Company E, 4th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1921 as Company E, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Division (later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Marysville

Released 1 February 1942 from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division

Inactivated 22 February 1944 at Camp Hood, Texas

Reorganized and Federally recognized 20 February 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at Marysville as Anti-Tank Company, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 December 1948 as Tank Company, 166th Infantry

Converted and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Battery B, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 134th Artillery, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Battery B, 1st Battalion, 136th Artillery

Reorganized and redesignated 15 February 1968 as Target Acquisition Platoon, Headquarters, Headquarters and Service Battery, 1st Battalion, 136th Artillery, an element of the 38th Infantry Division

Converted and redesignated 1 February 1972 as Detachment 1, Company B, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

(166th Infantry assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Brigade])

Consolidated 1 September 1992 with Company B, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry (see ANNEX 1) and Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry (see ANNEX 2); consolidated unit designated as Detachment 1, Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry; location changed to Delaware

(148th Infantry assigned 1 September 1993 to the 28th Infantry Division; assigned 1 September 1994 to the 38th Infantry Division)

Consolidated 1 September 2001 with Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry (see ANNEX 3); consolidated unit designated as Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

Ordered into active Federal service 6 October 2001 at Delaware; released from active Federal service 5 October 2002 and reverted to state control

Consolidated 1 September 2007 with Company E, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry Regiment (see ANNEX 4); consolidated unit designated as the 585th Military Police Company and relieved from assignment to the 38th Infantry Division

Location changed 1 September 2008 to Marysville

Ordered into active Federal service 13 August 2009 at Marysville; released from active Federal service 16 September 2010 and reverted to state control

Converted, reorganized and redesignated 1 September 2018 as Battery C, 1st Battalion, 134th Field Artillery Regiment, an element of the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team

Ordered into active Federal service 23 September 2022

ANNEX 1

Organized and Federally recognized 17 January 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at Delaware as Company B, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company B, 1st Battle Group, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company B, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

(166th Infantry assigned 15 February 1968 to the 38th Infantry Division; assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Brigade])

ANNEX 2

Organized 5 July 1928 in the Ohio National Guard at Columbus as Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 13 November 1931 as Company B, 166th Infantry

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Columbus

Released from assignment 1 February 1942 to the 37th Infantry Division

Inactivated 1 February 1944 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Consolidated 17 September 1947 with Anti-Tank Company, 166th Infantry (see ANNEX 5); consolidated unit Federally recognized at Columbus as Company A, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company A, 1st Battle Group, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

(166th Infantry assigned 15 February 1968 to the 38th Infantry Division; assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Brigade])



Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry, Rock Island Arsenal, Ill., August 2002.



The 585th Military Police Company in formation at the Marysville Training and Community Center prior to the unit's mobilization to Iraq in 2009.



Soldiers assigned to Battery C, 1st Battalion, 134th Field Artillery Regiment, 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, supporting Combined Joint Task Force - Operation Inherent Resolve, fire an M777 Howitzer during an operational rehearsal exercise at Mission Support Site Conoco, Syria, Dec. 4, 2022.

ANNEX 3

Organized and Federally recognized 2 May 1929 in the Ohio National Guard at Bellefontaine as the 134th Collecting Company, 112th Medical Regiment, an element of the 37th Division (later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Division)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1937 as Company A, 112th Medical Regiment

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Bellefontaine

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1942 as Company A, 112th Medical Battalion

Inactivated 13 December 1945 at Camp Anza, California

Reorganized and Federally recognized 27 February 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at Bellefontaine as Company H, 148th Infantry

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Bellefontaine

(Company H, 148th Infantry [NGUS] organized and Federally recognized 15 January 1954)

(Federal recognition withdrawn 14 May 1954 from Company H, 148th Infantry [NGUS]; concurrently Company F, 148th Infantry [NGUS] organized and Federally recognized 15 May 1954)

Released from active Federal service 15 June 1954 and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Company F, 148th Infantry (NGUS)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company D, 2d Battle Group, 148th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company A, 2d Battalion, 147th Infantry

For wounds received during action on Bougainville, Pfc. Guy J. Arbogast, surgical technician assigned to Company A, 112th Medical Battalion, is awarded the Purple Heart Medal by Maj. Gen. Robert S. Beightler, commanding general of the 37th Infantry Division, Dec. 22, 1943.



Reorganized and redesignated 15 November 1965
as Company C, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

(166th Infantry assigned 15 February 1968 to the
38th Infantry Division; assigned 1 March 1977 to
the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the
37th Infantry Brigade])

Consolidated 1 September 1992 with Detachment
1, Company A, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry
(see ANNEX 6); consolidated unit designated as
Company C, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

(148th Infantry assigned 1 September 1993 to
the 28th Infantry Division; assigned 1 September
1994 to the 38th Infantry Division)

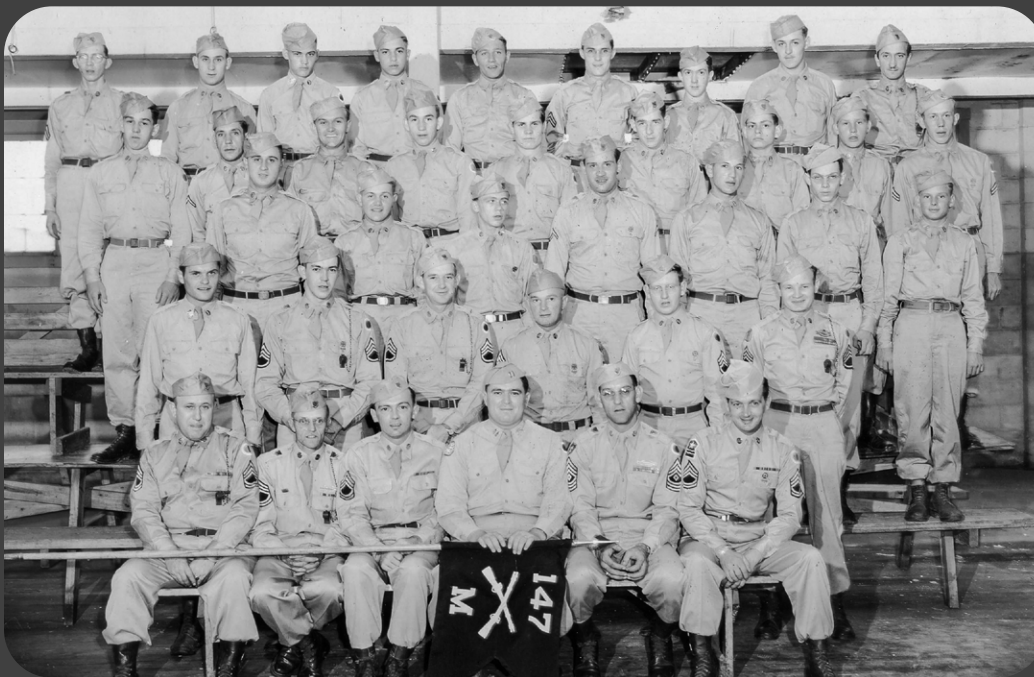
ANNEX 4

Organized and Federally recognized 12 November
1947 in the Ohio Army National Guard at Urbana as
Company M, 147th Infantry, an element of the 37th
Infantry Division



RIGHT: Spc. Ethan Allen, a radio telephone operator assigned to
Company C, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry, participates in field
exercises during annual training at Camp Grayling, Mich., in 1987.

BELOW: Company M, 147th Infantry, Camp Atterbury, Ind., 1950.





Company B, 137th Signal Battalion, Camp Grayling, Mich., 1965.



Company E, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry with members of the British Army attached to the unit for annual training at Camp Ripley, Minn., 1998.

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Urbana

(Company M, 147th Infantry [NGUS] organized and Federally recognized 18 January 1954 at Urbana)

Released from active Federal service 15 June 1954 and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Company M, 147th Infantry (NGUS)

Converted and redesignated 1 September 1959 as Company B, 137th Signal Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company C, 137th Signal Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1964 as Company B, 137th Signal Battalion

Converted and redesignated 15 February 1968 as 2d and 3d Engineer Platoons, Company D, 216th Engineer Battalion and relieved from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division

Converted and redesignated 1 February 1972 as Detachment 1, Company C, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry, an element of the 38th Infantry Division

(166th Infantry assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Brigade])

Consolidated 1 September 1992 with Company D, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry (see ANNEX 7) and Detachment 1, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 166th Infantry (see ANNEX 8); consolidated unit designated as Detachment 1, Company D, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

(148th Infantry assigned 1 September 1993 to the 28th Infantry Division)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1994 as Company E, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

(148th Infantry assigned 1 September 1994 to the 38th Infantry Division)

Ordered into active Federal service 6 October 2001 at Urbana; released from active Federal service 5 October 2002 and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 5 July 2004 at Urbana

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as Company E, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry Regiment

Released from active Federal service 1 November 2005 and reverted to state control

ANNEX 5

Organized 13 February 1879 in the Ohio National Guard at Delaware as Company K, 14th Infantry (Joy Guards)

Mustered into Federal service 9 May 1898 as Company K, 4th Ohio Volunteer Infantry at Camp Bushnell, Ohio; mustered out 20 January 1899 at Columbus and resumed state status as Company K, 14th Infantry

Redesignated 14 April 1899 as Company K, Unattached Infantry

Redesignated 14 July 1899 as Company K, 4th Infantry

Mustered into Federal service 11 July 1916 at Camp Willis, Ohio; mustered out of Federal service 3 March 1917 at Fort Wayne, Michigan

Called into Federal service 15 July 1917

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 20 August 1912 as Company K, 166th Infantry, an element of the 42d Division

Demobilized 17 May 1919 at Camp Sherman, Ohio

Reorganized and Federally recognized 9 November 1920 as Company K, 4th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1921 as Company K, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Division (later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Division)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1939 as Anti-Tank Platoon, Headquarters Company, 166th Infantry

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Delaware

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1942 as Anti-Tank Company, 166th Infantry and released from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division



Company K, 166th Infantry, Camp Klimer, N.J., 1919.

Inactivated 1 February 1944 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

ANNEX 6

Organized 10 October 1894 in the Ohio National Guard at Kenton as Company I, 2d Infantry (Kenton Guards)

Mustered into Federal service 10 May 1898 at Camp Bushnell, Ohio as Company I, 2d Ohio Volunteer Infantry; mustered out of Federal service 10 February 1899 at Macon, Georgia and resumed state status as Company I, 2d Infantry

Redesignated 14 April 1899 as Company I, Unattached Infantry

Redesignated 13 November 1899 as Company I, 2d Infantry

Mustered into Federal service in 19 June 1916 at Camp Willis, Ohio; mustered out of Federal service 24 March 1917 at Fort Sheridan, Illinois

Called into Federal service 15 July 1917

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 25 October 1917 as Company I, 146th Infantry, an element of the 37th Division

Demobilized 19 April 1919 at Camp Sherman, Ohio

Reorganized, redesignated and Federally recognized 19 December 1920 in the Ohio National Guard at Kenton as Company E, 2d Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1921 as Company E, 148th Infantry, an element of the 37th Division (later redesignated as 37th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at Kenton

Inactivated 18 December 1945 at Camp Anza, California

Reorganized and Federally recognized 18 August 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at Kenton as Company E, 148th Infantry

Ordered into active Federal service 15 January 1952 at Kenton

(Company E, 148th Infantry [NGUS], organized and Federally recognized 15 January 1954 at Kenton)

Released 15 June 1954 from active Federal service and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from Company E, 148th Infantry (NGUS)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959 as 1st Rifle and Weapons Platoon, Company E, 2d Battle Group, 148th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1960 as 2d Rifle and Weapons Platoon, Company E, 2d Battle Group, 148th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963 as Company B, 2d Battalion, 147th Infantry and relieved from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 15 November 1965 as 1st Rifle Platoon, Company C, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 15 February 1968 as 2d and 3d Rifle Platoons, Company C, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry, an element of the 38th Infantry Division

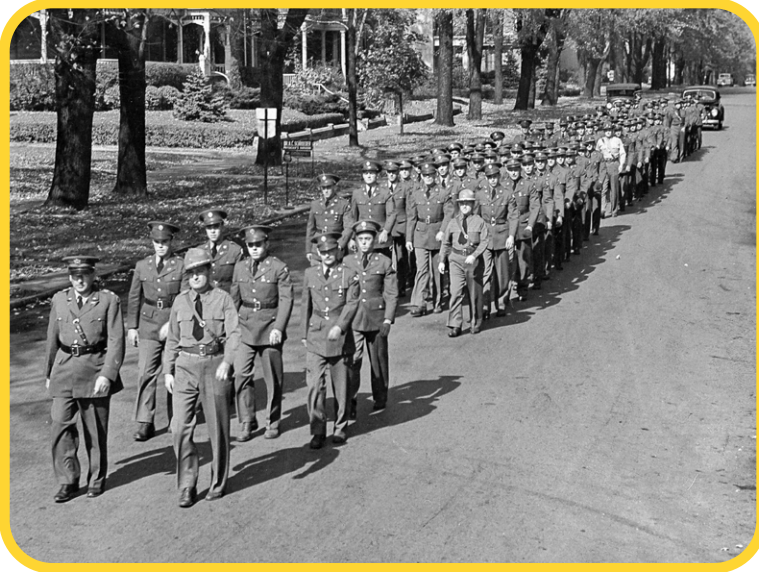
Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1968 as 2d and 3d Rifle Platoons, Company B, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

Redesignated 1 April 1970 as Detachment 1, Company B, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1972 as Detachment 1, Company B, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry



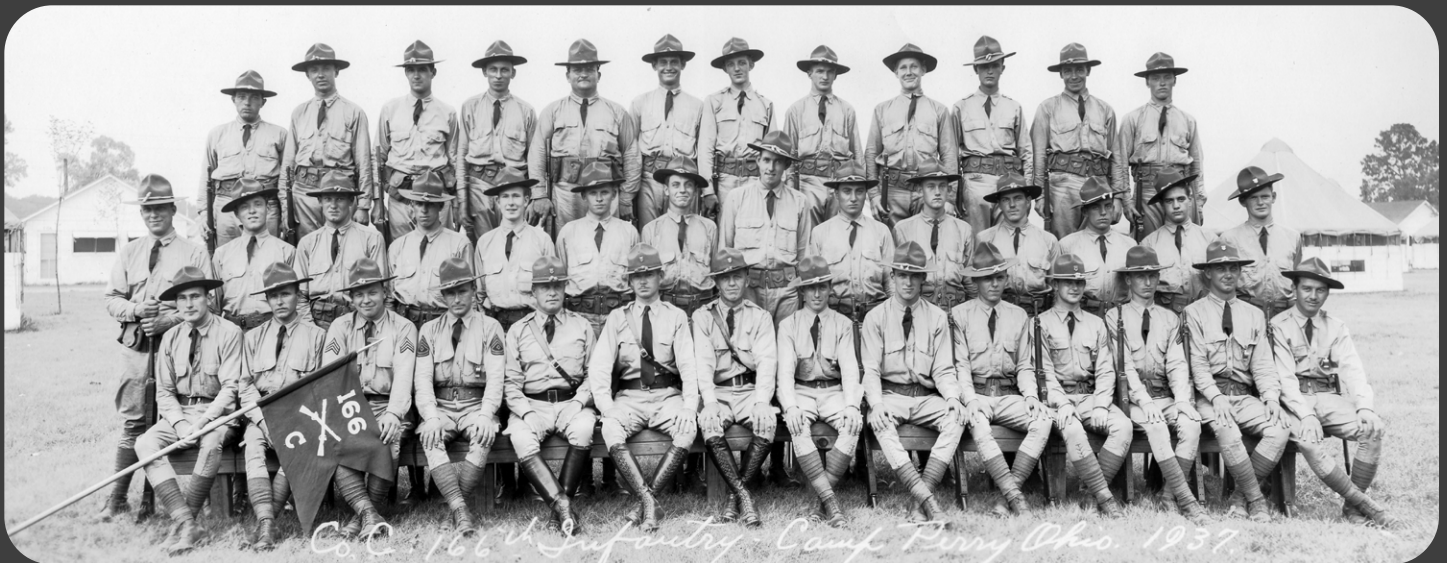
Company E, 148th Infantry boxing team, Camp Perry, Ohio, 1935.



Company E, 148th Infantry, marching down a street in Kenton, Ohio, just prior to entering active service for World War II in October 1940.



Pfc. George Mabrey of Company E, 148th Infantry, 37th Infantry Division, is shown guarding the Laruma River with a .30-cal. machine gun on Bougainville, Nov. 16, 1943.



Company C, 166th Infantry, Camp Perry, Ohio, 1937.

(148th Infantry assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Brigade])

Reorganized and redesignated 1 May 1977 as Detachment 1, Company A, 1st Battalion, 148th Infantry

ANNEX 7

Organized 7 July 1915 in the Ohio National Guard at London as Company C, 4th Infantry

Mustered into Federal service in 11 July 1916 at Camp Willis, Ohio; mustered out of Federal service 3 March 1917 at Fort Wayne, Michigan

Called into Federal service 15 July 1917

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 20 August 1917 as Company C, 166th Infantry, an element of the 42d Division

Demobilized 17 May 1919 at Camp Sherman, Ohio

Reorganized and Federally recognized 30 June 1919 in the Ohio National Guard at London as Company C, 4th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1921 as Company C, 166th Infantry an element of the 37th Division (later redesignated as the 37th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 15 October 1940 at London

Released 1 February 1942 from assignment to the 37th Infantry Division

Inactivated 1 February 1944 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Reorganized and Federally recognized 7 October 1947 in the Ohio National Guard at London as Cannon Company, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and Redesignated 1 December 1948
as Heavy Mortar Company, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1959
as Combat Support Company, 1st Battle Group,
166th Infantry, an element of the 37th Infantry
Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1963
as Battalion Reconnaissance, Anti-Tank, Mortar
and Davey Crockett Platoons, Headquarters and
Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th
Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1964 as
Battalion Reconnaissance, Anti-Tank and Heavy
Mortar Platoons, Headquarters and Headquarters
Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 15 February 1968
as Battalion Ground Surveillance, Transportation
and Supply Sections and Reconnaissance,
Anti-Tank, Heavy Mortar and Support Platoons,
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st
Battalion, 166th Infantry, an element of the 38th
Infantry Division

Redesignated 1 April 1970 as Detachment 1,
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st
Battalion, 166th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 February 1972 as
Support Company, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

(166th Infantry assigned 1 March 1977 to the 73d
Infantry Brigade [later redesignated as the 37th
Infantry Brigade])

Reorganized and redesignated 1 December 1988
as Company D, 1st Battalion, 166th Infantry

ANNEX 8

Constituted 1 December 1988 in the Ohio Army
National Guard as Detachment 1, Headquarters
and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 166th
Infantry

Organized and Federally recognized 12 February
1992 at London, an element of the 73d Infantry
Brigade (later redesignated as the 37th Infantry
Brigade)



Heavy Mortar Company, 166th Infantry stands in formation during annual training, circa 1950.

HOME STATION: Marysville

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

War with Spain

Puerto Rico

World War I

Champagne-Marne

Aisne-Marne

St. Mihiel

Meuse-Argonne

Lorraine 1918

Champagne 1918

Ypres-Lys

World War II

Northern Solomons

Luzon (with arrowhead)

Kosovo

Kosovo Defense

War on Terrorism

Iraq:

Iraqi Sovereignty

DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered BOUGAINVILLE

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered LUZON

Meritorious Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered BOUGAINVILLE

Meritorious Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2004-2005

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered 17 OCTOBER 1944 TO 4 JULY 1945

HERALDIC ITEMS



DISTINCTIVE UNIT INSIGNIA

Description/Blazon: A Gold color metal and enamel device 1 1/8 inches (2.86 cm) in height overall, consisting of a shield blazoned: Gules, on the dexter arm of a saltire Azure fimbriated Or three alerions bendwise Argent. Attached below the shield a Gold scroll inscribed "FIDES ET AUDAX" in Blue.

Symbolism: The red shield indicates the original allocation of the unit as Artillery. The blue saltire is representative of Civil War Service with the Union forces. The three alerions, taken from the arms of Lorraine, denote World War I service.

Background: The distinctive unit insignia was originally approved for the 134th Field Artillery Regiment, Ohio National Guard on 10 February 1930. It was amended to change the design and blazon of the shield on 2 January 1934. It was redesignated for the 134th Field Artillery Battalion, Ohio National Guard on 23 November 1944. It was redesignated for the 174th Field Artillery Battalion, Ohio National Guard on 19 March 1951. The insignia was redesignated for the 134th Artillery Regiment, Ohio National Guard on 23 November 1960. It was redesignated for the 134th Field Artillery Regiment effective 2 September 1993, with the description and symbolism revised.



COAT OF ARMS

Description/Blazon:

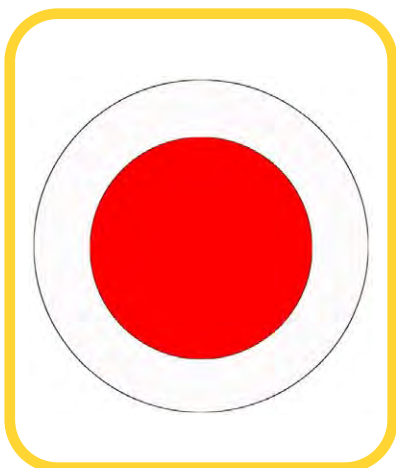
Shield: Gules, on the dexter arm of a saltire Azure fimbriated Or three alerions bendwise Argent.

Crest: That for the regiments and separate battalions of the Ohio Army National Guard: From a wreath Or and Gules, a sheaf of seventeen arrows Argent bound by a sprig of buckeye (Aesculus glabra) fructed Proper (two leaves with bursting burr).

Motto: FIDES ET AUDAX (Faithful and Bold).

Symbolism: The red shield indicates the original allocation of the unit as Artillery. The blue saltire is representative of Civil War Service with the Union forces. The three alerions, taken from the arms of Lorraine, denote World War I service.

Background: The coat of arms was originally approved for the 134th Field Artillery Regiment, Ohio National Guard on 7 February 1930. It was amended to change the design and blazon of the shield on 2 January 1934. It was redesignated for the 134th Field Artillery Battalion, Ohio National Guard on 22 November 1944. It was redesignated for the 174th Field Artillery Battalion, Ohio National Guard on 19 March 1951. The insignia was redesignated for the 134th Artillery Regiment, Ohio National Guard on 23 November 1960. It was redesignated for the 134th Field Artillery Regiment effective 2 September 1993, with the description and symbolism revised.



SHOULDER SLEEVE INSIGNIA

Description/Blazon: On a white disc 2 1/4 inches (5.72 cm) in diameter a red disc 1 1/2 inches (3.81 cm) in diameter.

Symbolism: The red and white disc is taken from the State Flag of Ohio.

Background: The shoulder sleeve insignia was originally approved for the 37th Division on 5 November 1918. It was redesignated for the 16th Engineer Brigade on 9 July 1968. It was canceled on 4 December 1969. The insignia was reinstated and redesignated effective 1 September 2007, for the 37th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, with the description updated and a symbolism added.

PAST COMMANDERS

COMPANY E, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1877: Capt. William L. Curry
1877-1879: Capt. William M. Liggitt

COMPANY D, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1879-1882: Capt. William M. Liggitt
1882-1884: Capt. John D. Buxton
1884-1886: Capt. John L. Sellers
1887: Capt. John F. Zwerner
1888: Capt. Frank F. Ford
1889: Capt. Charles A. Hopkins
1889-1893: Capt. Will B. Hershey
1893-1896: Capt. John L. Sellers
1896-1899: Capt. Charles F. Sellers

COMPANY E, 4TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1900-1901: Capt. Edward W. Porter
1902-1904: Capt. Abe Newlove
1905: Capt. Joseph A. Johnson
1906-1909: Capt. Frank D. Henderson
1909-1912: Capt. John F. Snitzler
1913-1917: Capt. Abe Newlove

COMPANY E, 166TH INFANTRY

1917-1918: Capt. Abe Newlove
1918-1921: Capt. Herman C. Doellinger
1921-1932: Capt. Orville R. Warden
1934-1941: Capt. Herbert L. Snapp

ANTI-TANK COMPANY, 166TH INFANTRY

1947-1948: Capt. John C. Williams

TANK COMPANY, 166TH INFANTRY

1948-1950: Capt. John C. Williams
1953-1958: Capt. Edward Montgomery

BATTERY B, 1ST BATTALION, 134TH ARTILLERY

1960: Capt. Robert Nash

BATTERY B, 1ST BATTALION, 136TH ARTILLERY

1963-1964: Capt. James V. Thorton

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 148TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

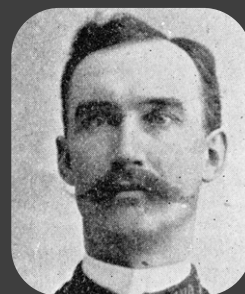
2001-2002: Capt. Neal O'Brien
2002-2004: Capt. James H. Smith III
2004-2005: Capt. William Logan

585TH MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

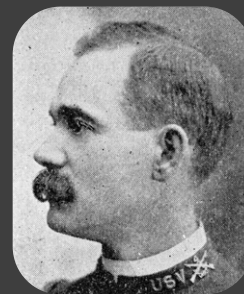
2007-2008: Capt. Daniel S. Gaffney
2008-2011: Capt. Kevin L. Harrold
2011-2014: Capt. Matthew K. Toomey
2014-2016: Capt. Jonathan Shaw
2016-2017: Capt. Jeremy Starry
2017-2018: Capt. Johnathan M. Huth



Capt. Curry



Capt. J. Sellers



Capt. C. Sellers



Capt. Porter



Capt. Henderson



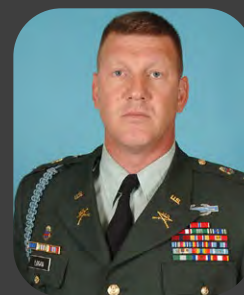
Capt. Doellinger



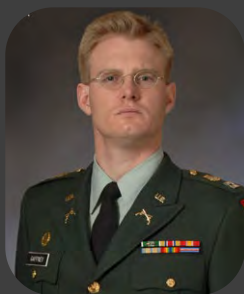
Capt. Snapp



Capt. O'Brien



Capt. Logan



Capt. Gaffney



Capt. Harrold



Capt. Toomey



Capt. Shaw



Capt. Starry



Capt. Huth

PAST COMMANDERS

BATTERY C, 1ST BATTALION, 134TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT

2018-2019: Capt. Dustin K. Hall
2019-2021: Capt. Robert E. McClurg
2021-: Capt. Jacob P. Reiber

ANNEX 1

COMPANY B, 166TH INFANTRY

1947: Capt. Edward Foor
1947-1952: Capt. Frank H. Ladd

COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1968: Capt. Herbert B. Eagon Jr.
1970: Capt. Ralph E. Frost
1971-1975: Capt. Gary O. Tagg
1975-1976: Capt. James R. Goslee III
1976-1977: Capt. Randall Dana
1979: Capt. John W. Cross
1984: Capt. Terry L. Kundert
1984-1988: Capt. Jeffrey A. Jones
1988-1989: Capt. Thomas G. Heitert
1991-1992: Capt. Phillip Brondson

ANNEX 2

HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

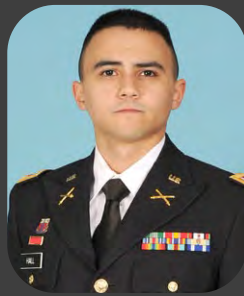
1929-1930: 1st Lt. Edward P. Gibson
1931: 1st Lt. Ralph L. Wolf

COMPANY B, 166TH INFANTRY

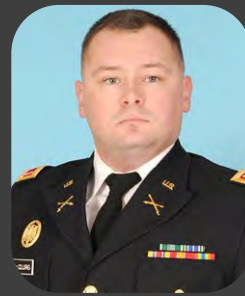
1938: Capt. Smith L. Myers
1941: Capt. Robert K. Kinner

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1968: Capt. Vincent D. Dorsey
1969: Capt. Gerald H. Thompson
1970: Capt. Gary C. Koontz
1972-1974: Capt. James R. Goslee III
1975: Capt. Dale J. Sungy
1975-1977: Capt. John J. Skaggs
1977-1978: Capt. James M. Chubb
1978: Capt. Daniel Q. Weaston
1984-1985: Capt. Phillip M. Prentice
1985-1987: Capt. Vincent L. Foulk
1987-1988: Capt. Norman D. Hessler
1988-1991: Capt. Brad Willette
1991-1992: Capt. Donald L. Barbee



Capt. Hall



Capt. McClurg



Capt. Ladd



Capt. Eagon



Capt. Dana



Capt. Cross



Capt. Jones



Capt. Heitert



Capt. Brondson



Capt. Myers



Capt. Kinner



Capt. Dorsey



Capt. Chubb



Capt. Willette



Capt. Barbee

PAST COMMANDERS

ANNEX 3

134TH COLLECTING COMPANY

1929: Capt. Arthur H. Corliss

1930-1937: Capt. Hobart L. Mikesell

COMPANY A, 112TH MEDICAL REGIMENT

1937-1938: Capt. Hobart L. Mikesell

1941: Capt. John C. Binn

COMPANY A, 112TH MEDICAL BATTALION

1945: Capt. Darrell D. Althouse

COMPANY H, 148TH INFANTRY

1947-1948: Capt. C.H. Hertenstein

1949-1951: Capt. John L. McLaughlin

1952: Capt. Robert R. Hindall

COMPANY F, 148TH INFANTRY

1954-1959: Capt. Boyd C. Manning

COMPANY D, 2D BATTLE GROUP, 148TH INFANTRY

1959: Capt. Boyd C. Manning

COMPANY A, 2D BATTALION, 147TH INFANTRY

Capt. Clemet S. Mihoci

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1968-1970: Capt. Leland C. Predmore

1972: Capt. Robert S. Herring

1972-1976: Capt. Gary E. Yoesting

1977-1978: Capt. James R. Goslee III

1980: Capt. James E. Roush

1982: Capt. Kenneth E. Young Jr.

1982-1985: Capt. Herman D. Presley

1985: Capt. Vincent L. Foulk

1985: Capt. Joseph H. Weir II

1987: Capt. Donald L. Barbee

1991-1992: Capt. John Kane

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 148TH INFANTRY

1992-1993: Capt. John Kane

1995-1996: Capt. Ajay Mattingly

1997-1999: Capt. Jerry L. Jones

2000: Capt. Neal O'Brien

ANNEX 4

COMPANY M, 147TH INFANTRY

1947-1949: Capt. William J. Gregg

1949-1951: Capt. John T. Rogers

1952: Capt. Lester S. Sheppard

1954: 1st Lt. Harlan E. Reichle



Capt. Mikesell



Capt. Binn



Capt. Hertenstein



Capt. McLaughlin



Capt. Hindall



Capt. Predmore



Capt. Yoesting



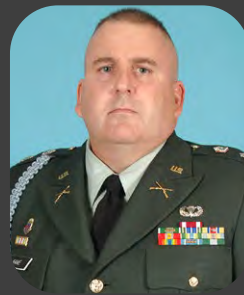
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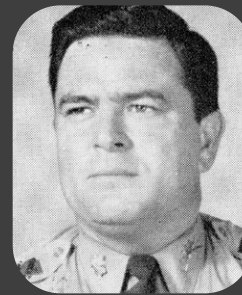
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Capt. Kane



Capt. Rogers



Capt. Sheppard

PAST COMMANDERS

COMPANY E, 1ST BATTALION, 148TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

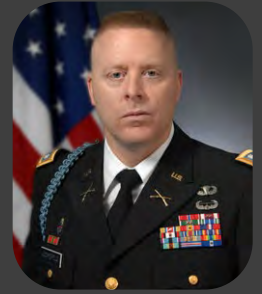
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1994-1996: Capt. Jerry L. Jones
1997-1999: Capt. Gregory W. Rogers
1999: 1st Lt. John Jeter
1999-2000: Capt. David S. Baird
2000-2001: Capt. Kevin W. Lochtefeld
2003-2005: Capt. Michael Riggs
2005-2006: Capt. Craig Brunner



Capt. Rogers



Capt. Baird



Capt. Lochtefeld

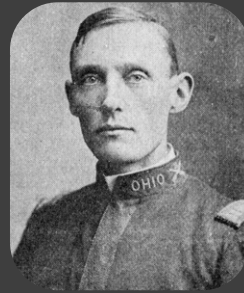
ANNEX 5

COMPANY K, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1879-1883: Capt. Frederick M. Joy
1883-1885: Capt. Charles A. Brown
1885-1887: Capt. Homer B. Abbott
1887-1893: Capt. C. Barton Adams
1893-1899: Capt. Harry L. Clark
1899: Capt. Oscar O. Koeppel
1899-1900: Capt. George A. Griebel
1902-1905: Capt. Benson W. Hough
1905-1906: Capt. Burt P. Benton
1907-1908: Capt. Oscar O. Koeppel



Capt. Adams



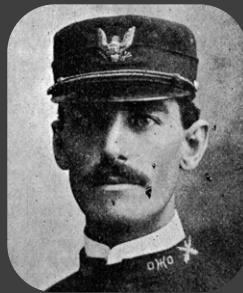
Capt. Clark



Capt. Koeppel

COMPANY K, 166TH INFANTRY

1917: Capt. James A. Samson
1918: Capt. Reuben B. Hutchcraft
1919: Capt. Sam H. Davis
1920-1921: Capt. John H. Miller
1921-1930: Capt. David R. Smith
1930-1938: Capt. John F. Gatton



Capt. Griebel



Capt. Hough



Capt. Smith

ANNEX 6

COMPANY I, 2D INFANTRY REGIMENT

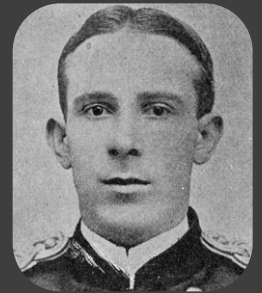
1894-1896: Capt. Hugh L. Runkle
1896: Capt. Ernest J. Howe
1897-1898: Capt. Henry J. May
1899: Capt. Albert S. Clucker
1899-1901: Capt. Frank S. Ansley
1902: Capt. Kent P. Johnson
1903-1904: Capt. George A. Callam
1905-1906: Capt. Herman D. Lease
1907-1909: Capt. Charles D. Kelly
1911-1913: Capt. Edward C. Sells
1916-1917: Capt. Edward H. Collins



Capt. Gatton



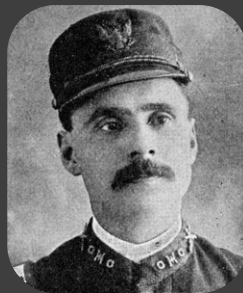
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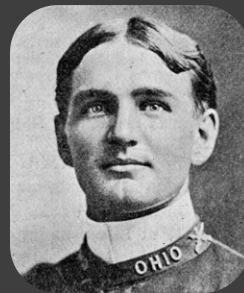
Capt. Howe

COMPANY I, 146TH INFANTRY

1917-1918: Capt. Edward H. Collins



Capt. Clucker



Capt. Ansley

PAST COMMANDERS

COMPANY E, 148TH INFANTRY

1920-1922: Capt. John Polly
1922-1929: Capt. Loucks B. Brown
1930-1931: Capt. Kenneth E. Young
1934-1940: Capt. Cecil J. Davis
1940-1941: Capt. Herbert W. Radcliffe
1942: Capt. James B. Gall
1943-1944: Capt. Richard J. Keller
1944-1945: Capt. Lawrence H. Homan
1945: Capt. Karl F. Schmidt
1947-1948: Capt. Dwight I. Carhart
1949-1952: Capt. William J. McFarland
1954-1958: Capt.. Vernon M. Cavin
1959: 1st Lt. Patrick E. Mullady

ANNEX 7

COMPANY C, 4TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1916: Capt. John C. Volka

COMPANY C, 166TH INFANTRY

1923: Capt. Joseph E. Welsh
1924-1928: Capt. Herbert C. Shough
1929-1931: Capt. Albert B. Rankin
1938: Capt. Elwood C. Carpenter
1941: Capt. Fred O. Barber

CANNON COMPANY, 166TH INFANTRY

1947-1948: Capt. Robert R. O'Brien

HEAVY MORTAR COMPANY, 166TH INFANTRY

1948-1955: Capt. Robert R. O'Brien

SUPPORT COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1974-1977: Capt. Richard W. Cooper
1977-1980: Capt. Randal M. Dana
1982-1985: Capt. Daniel O. Moorehead
1985: Capt. Herman D. Presley
1985-1986: Capt. Percy Squire
1987: Capt. John G. Thomas

COMPANY D, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1990: 1st Lt. George W. Wilbert
1992: Capt. Jerry Wade



Capt. Brown



Capt. Davis



Capt. Radcliffe



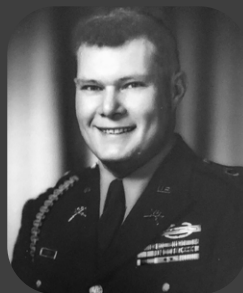
Capt. Gall



Capt. Keller



Capt. Homan



Capt. McFarland



Capt. Cavin



1st Lt. Mullady



Capt. Volka



Capt. Carpenter



Capt. Barber



Capt. Moorehead



Capt. Squire



Capt. Wade

PAST FIRST SERGEANTS

COMPANY D, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1880-1882: 1st Sgt. Edward W. Porter

1895-1899: 1st Sgt. Abe Newlove

COMPANY E, 4TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1910-1913: 1st Sgt. Herman C. Doellinger

1913-1914: 1st Sgt. Robert S. Beightler

1st Sgt. Orville Warden

COMPANY E, 166TH INFANTRY

1919: 1st Sgt. D'arle McGough

1932: 1st Sgt. Howard Daniels

1938: 1st Sgt. James A. Simpson

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION,

148TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

2001-2002: 1st Sgt. Kris Long

2003-2004: 1st Sgt. Dennis Livingston

2004-2006: 1st Sgt. Jonathon D. Cepek

585TH MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

2007-2009: 1st Sgt. Brian S. Koby

2009-2013: 1st Sgt. Jeffrey T. Schuster

2013-2015: 1st Sgt. James Phister

2015-2018: 1st Sgt. Ronald J. Endres

BATTERY C, 1ST BATTALION,

134TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT

2018-2021: 1st Sgt. Paul A. Hasman

2021-: 1st Sgt. Darrell R. Tiller

ANNEX 1

COMPANY B, 1ST BATTLE GROUP,

166TH INFANTRY

1961-1963: 1st Sgt. Douglas H. Smart

COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION,

166TH INFANTRY

1963-1978: 1st Sgt. Douglas H. Smart

1981-1986: 1st Sgt. Jerry L. Shirk

1986-1991: 1st Sgt. Guy A. Devito

1992: 1st Sgt. John Holloway

ANNEX 2

COMPANY B, 166TH INFANTRY

1938: 1st Sgt. Robert F. Nihart

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS

COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1975: 1st Sgt. Mark E. Thomas

1977-1979: 1st Sgt. Gary Clark

1982-1983: 1st Sgt. Guy A. Devito



1st Sgt. Doellinger



1st Sgt. Beightler



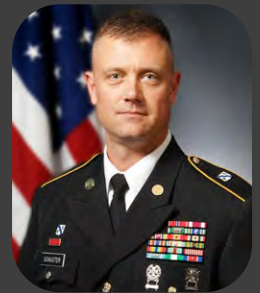
1st Sgt. Long



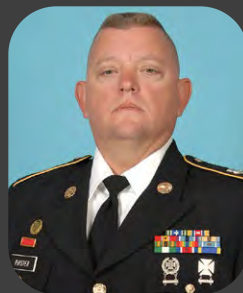
1st Sgt. Cepek



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1st Sgt. Phister



1st Sgt. Endres



1st Sgt. Hasman

PAST FIRST SERGEANTS

ANNEX 3

COMPANY A, 2D BATTALION, 147TH INFANTRY

1st Sgt. Lawrence Hildreth

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1968-1974: 1st Sgt. Lawrence Hildreth

1974-1980: 1st Sgt. Paul D. Krouse

1982-1989: 1st Sgt. James H. Rodman

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 148TH INFANTRY

1994-1996: 1st Sgt. Lawrence S. Malloy

1996-1999: 1st Sgt. Rodger M. Jones

1999-2001: 1st Sgt. Kris Long

ANNEX 4

COMPANY E, 1ST BATTALION, 148TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1994: 1st Sgt. James Barker

1995-1997: 1st Sgt. Lynn Chrisman

1999-2004: 1st Sgt. James Barker

2004-2006: 1st Sgt. Kevin Coble

ANNEX 5

COMPANY K, 14TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

1899: 1st Sgt. Orsain W. Patrick

1899-1900: 1st Sgt. Alexander K. Harmount

1909-1911: 1st Sgt. Robert E. Watson

COMPANY K, 166TH INFANTRY

1919: 1st Sgt. Don Engeroff

1938: 1st Sgt. Paul N. Gattton

ANNEX 6

COMPANY I, 2D INFANTRY REGIMENT

1910-1911: 1st Sgt. Edward H. Collins

1911-1912: 1st Sgt. Harry R. Smith

COMPANY E, 148TH INFANTRY

1938-1940: 1st Sgt. Harold Radcliffe

1945: 1st Sgt. Stephen S. Walker

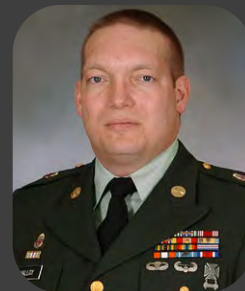
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COMPANY C, 166TH INFANTRY

1938: 1st Sgt. Otis Gambill



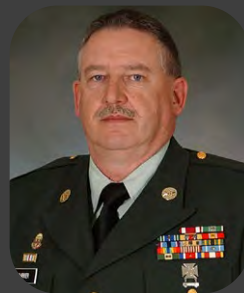
1st Sgt. Krouse



1st Sgt. Malloy



1st Sgt. Jones



1st Sgt. Barker



1st Sgt. Chrisman



1st Sgt. Coble

SUPPORT COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1973-1974: 1st Sgt. Thomas L. Dewitt

1975-1979: 1st Sgt. Thomas L. Dewitt

1979-1984: 1st Sgt. Preston W. Lowe

1984-1988: 1st Sgt. William R. Beck

COMPANY D, 1ST BATTALION, 166TH INFANTRY

1988-1989: 1st Sgt. William R. Beck



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