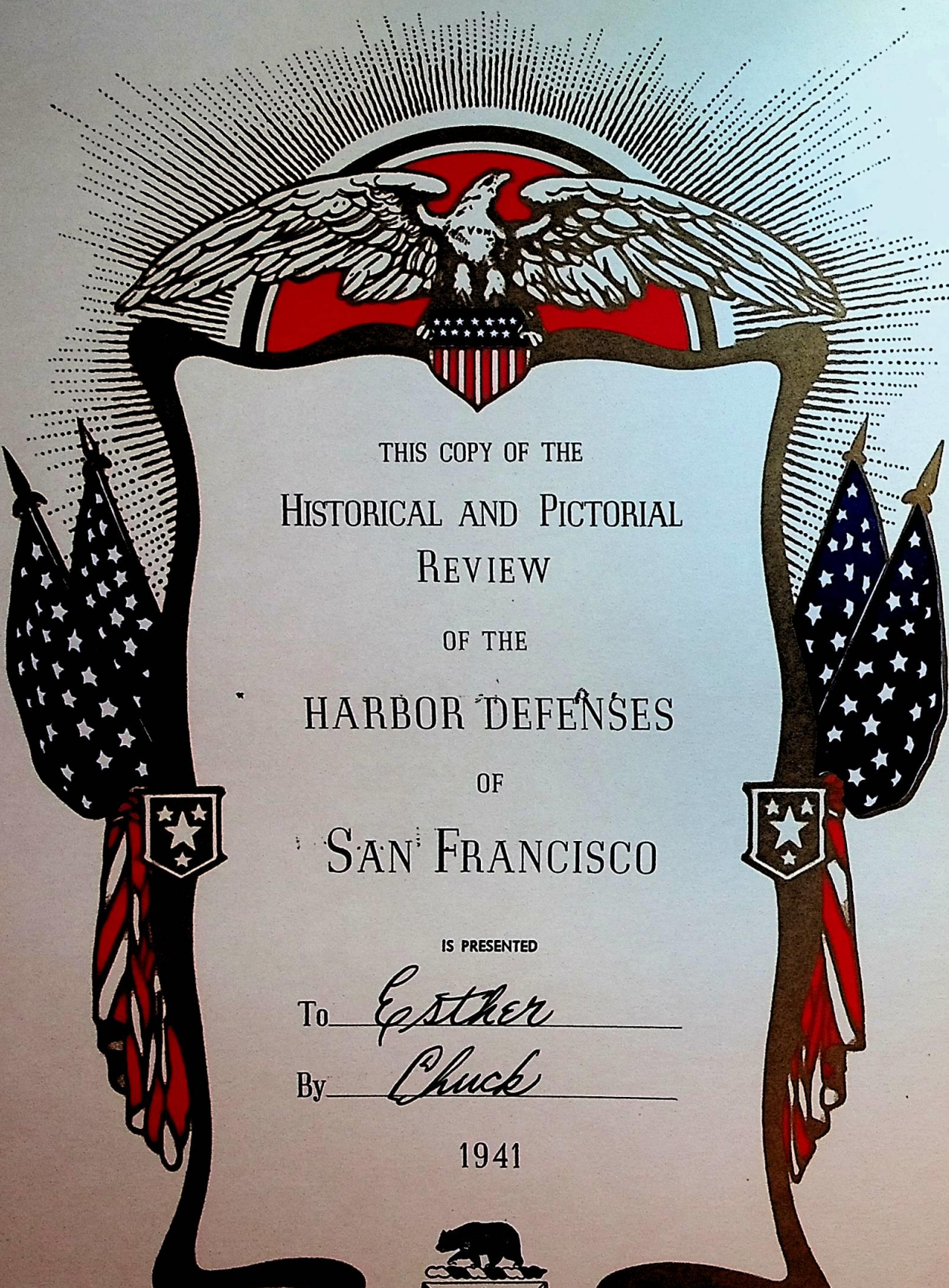


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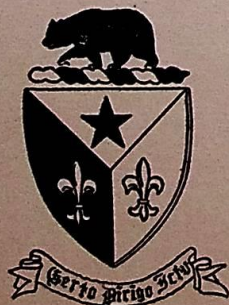
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Commanding Officer

CAPTAIN, 6TH C.A.



John Zarbo.



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HEADQUARTERS, HARBOR DEFENSES OF SAN FRANCISCO
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FORT WINFIELD SCOTT, CALIFORNIA



To the officers and men of the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco, whose names and pictures appear in this book, I am honored in addressing these greetings.

Since the first conquistadors looked through the portals of this bay and beheld the gold in the sunset from which the Golden Gate derives its name, the physical protection for the great industries that have grown and flourished in this region have been important.

Today we have crossed the threshold of the greatest military activation in modern times. Today as never before the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco are important to our country. Could this famous military reservation describe in its own words some of its history in the past seventy years, a tale would unfold likened only to the struggle of this great country for its place in the world. This area has always been vital to us as a nation and as individuals. The Harbor Defenses of San Francisco are the military guardians of the Golden Gate.

Should it become our good fortune to remain here indefinitely, or should we move into the far parts of the world, we can depend that this area so glorious in history, so vital to the present, will remain as a strategic military center, one in which we can justly be proud to have served our country.

To all of you in the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco I extend my sincere best wishes for your continued success and excellent work.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "E. A. Stockton Jr." with a period at the end.

*Brigadier General, U. S. A.,
Commanding.*



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Commanding Harbor Defenses of
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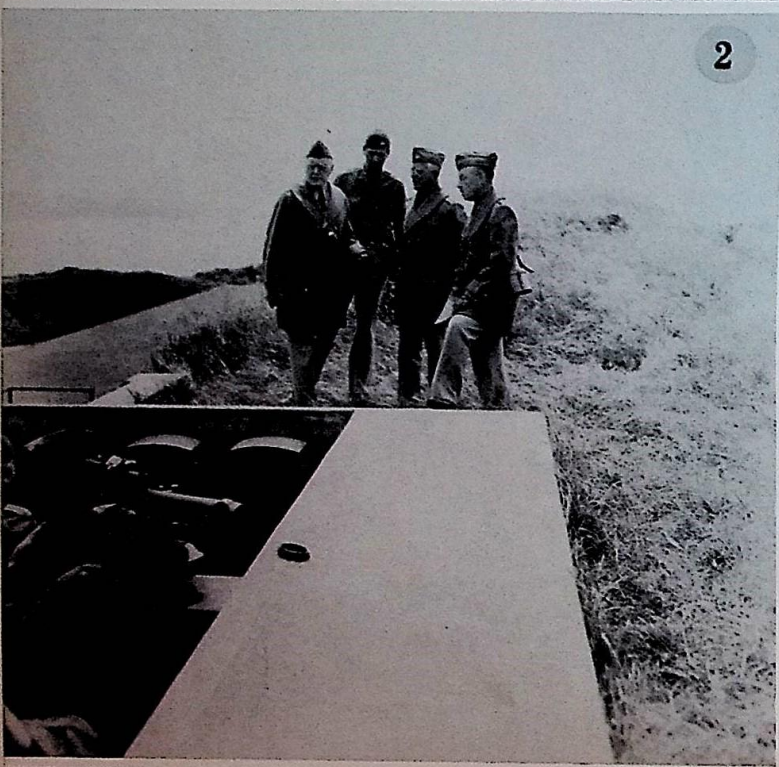


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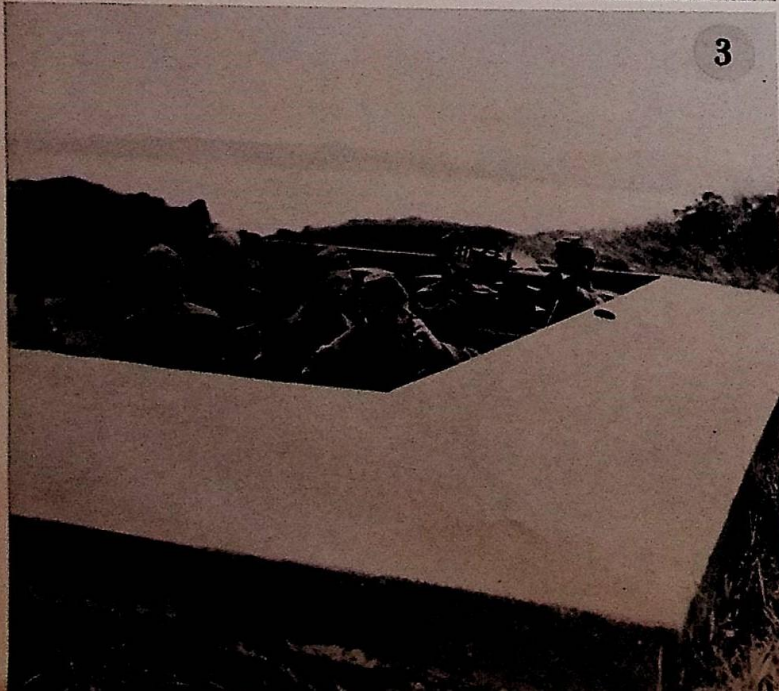




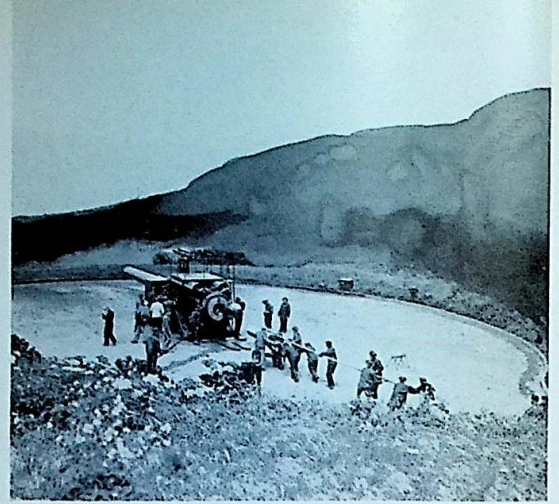
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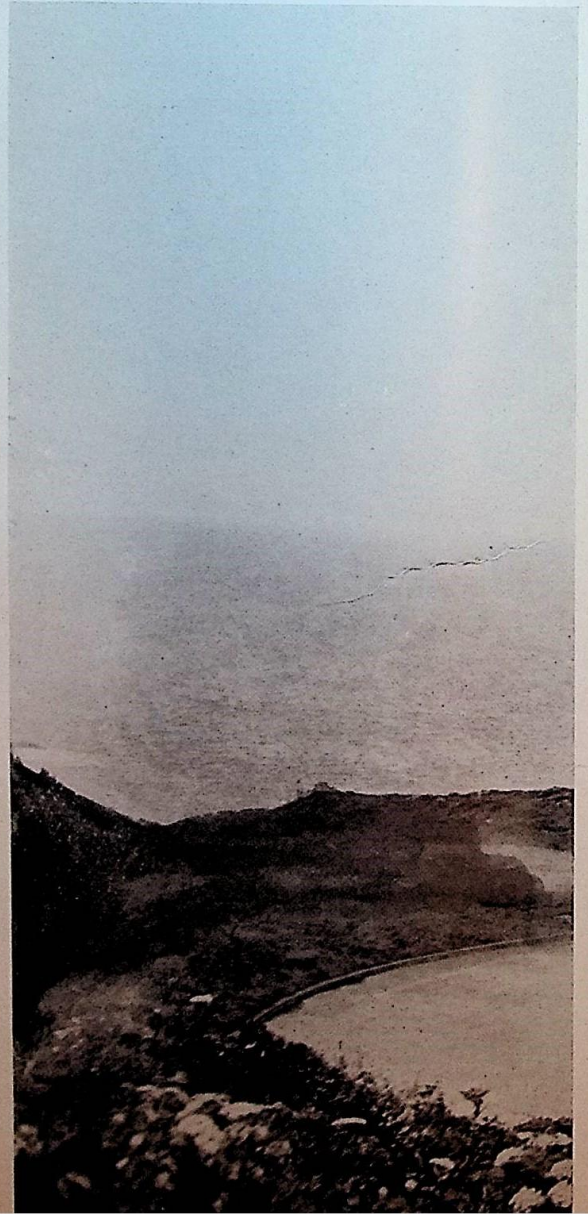


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Ramming the shell home.

1. Harbor Defense officers direct fire from a 12-inch sea coast gun emplacement, 2. Brigadier General Stockton, commanding officer of the Harbor Defenses; Colonel Allison, commanding officer of Fort Barry; and Lieutenant Colonel Doney, executive officer of the Harbor Defenses, watch battery firing. 3. Lieutenant Colonel LaFrentz, plans and training officer of the Harbor Defenses, directs fire of a 12-inch sea coast gun.





As the smoke clears away, the gun crew carry another shell towards the breach of the gun.

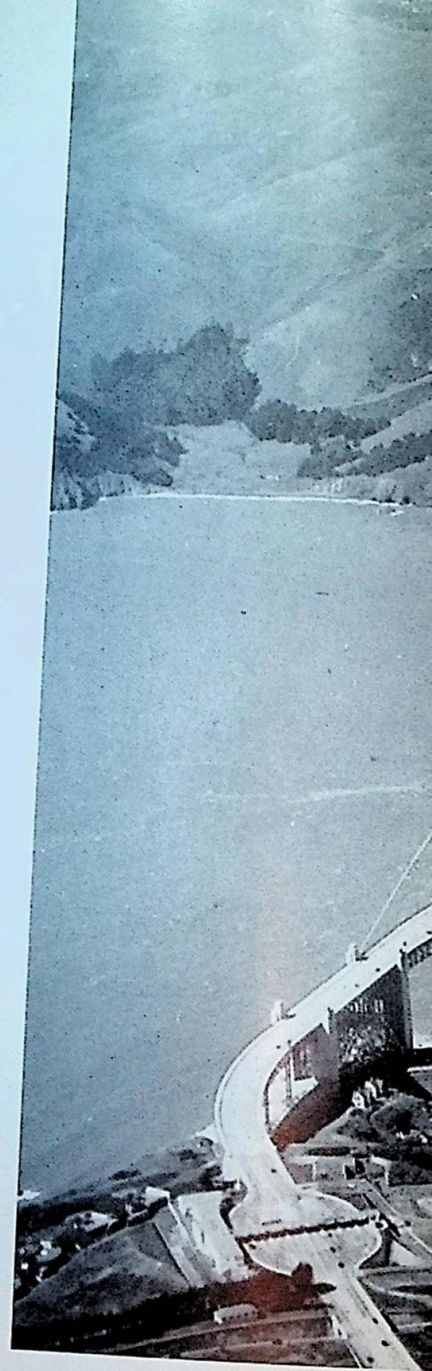


"It's on its way, Sir!" and the shell from the 12-inch long range sea coast gun shoots 14 miles out to sea, the blast sending a gunner's hat flying.

HARBOR DEFENSES

in Action





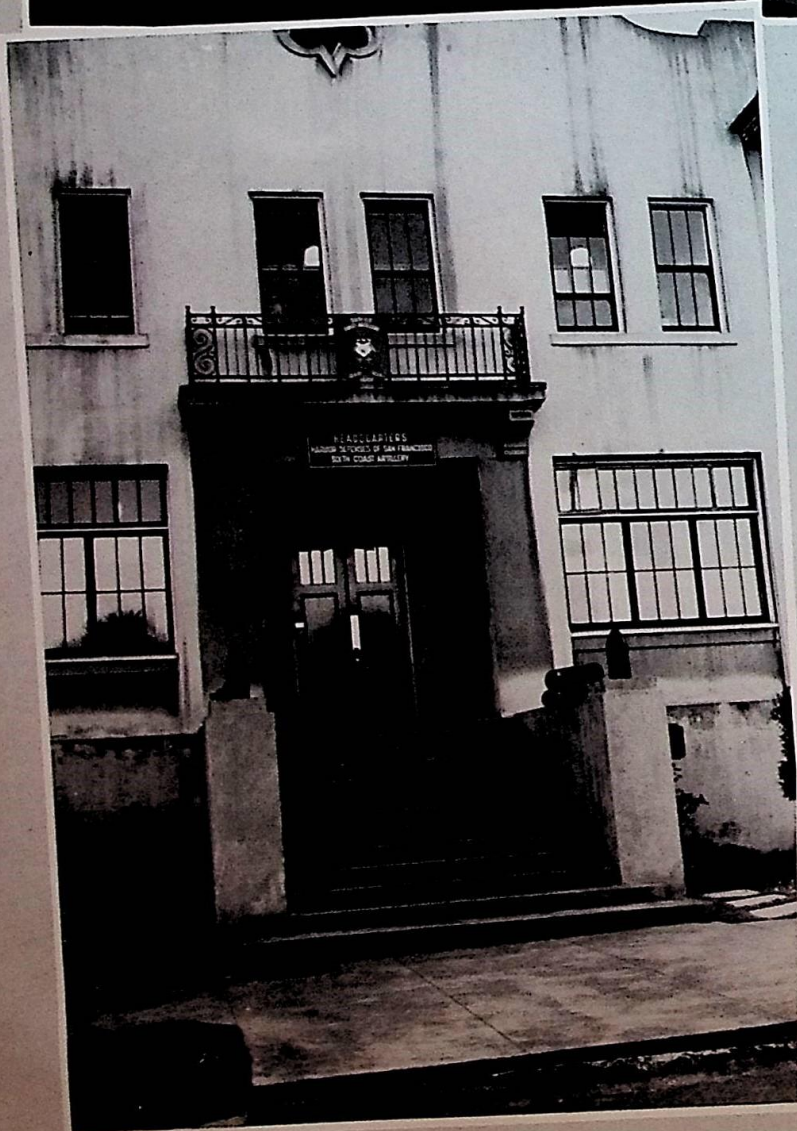
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HARBOR DEFENSE SECTOR

The Harbor Defense sector, including Fort Winfield Scott, headquarters for the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco, Fort Baker, Fort Barry, Fort Funston, Fort Miley and Fort Cronkhite, is today the scene of realistic simulated warfare as new soldiers learn to fire the large coastal guns and become skilled in laying mines to pro-

tect the vital coastal points from enemy invasion. The forces of men stationed at the various forts of the Harbor Defenses have been considerably increased, and the development and introduction of the Army's most modern equipment has been speeded up to assure military preparedness.



HARBOR DEFENSE

Below the Golden Gate bridge approach to San Francisco, is the entrance to Fort Winfield Scott, shown above, headquarters of the Harbor Defenses, guarded by old cannon of the Civil War days, obtained from Fort Point; the entrance to the headquarters building of the Harbor Defenses appears at left. Below is the headquarters building of the Ninth Coast Artillery District.

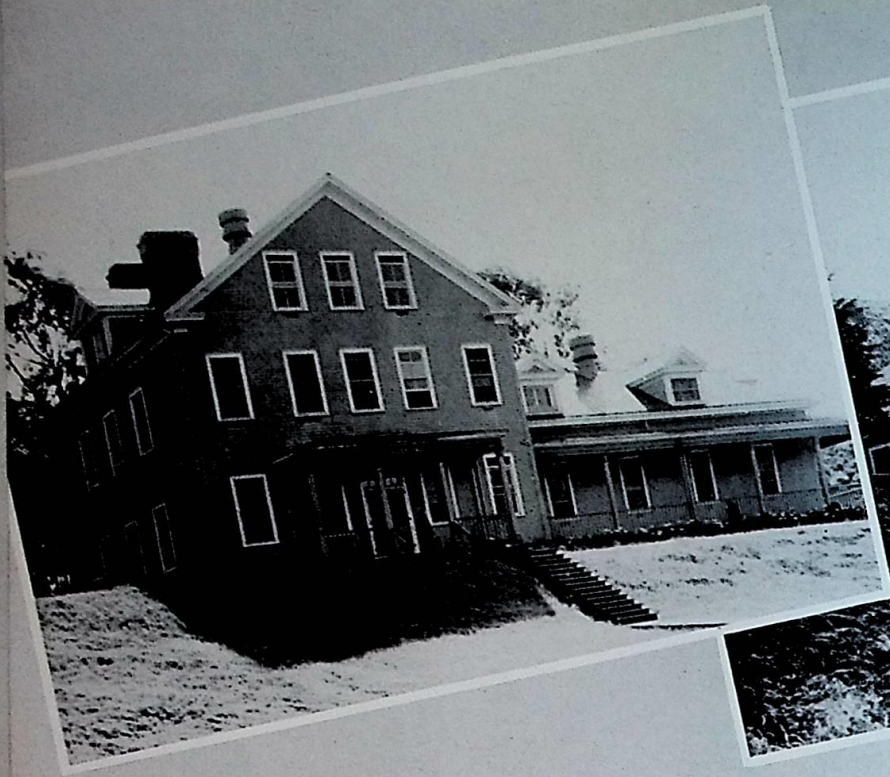




HEADQUARTERS BUILDINGS

Above, the entrance of Fort Barry, located far down the coast of Lime Point; at right, the headquarters building at Fort Baker; and below, the headquarters building at Fort Barry.





Hospital, Fort Barry



Quartermaster Detachment Building, Fort Scott

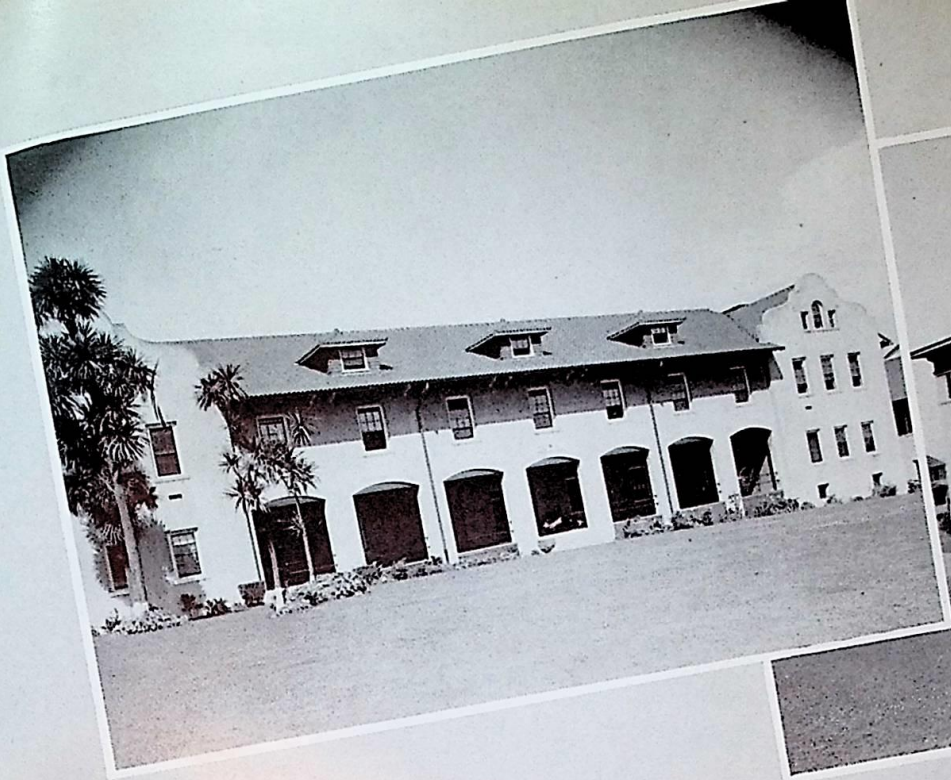


Guard House and Married Non-Commissioned Officers' Homes, Fort Barry



Homes of Married Non-Commissioned Officers, Fort Scott





Headquarters Building, Second Battalion, 18th C. A.



Headquarters Battery Building, Sixth C. A.



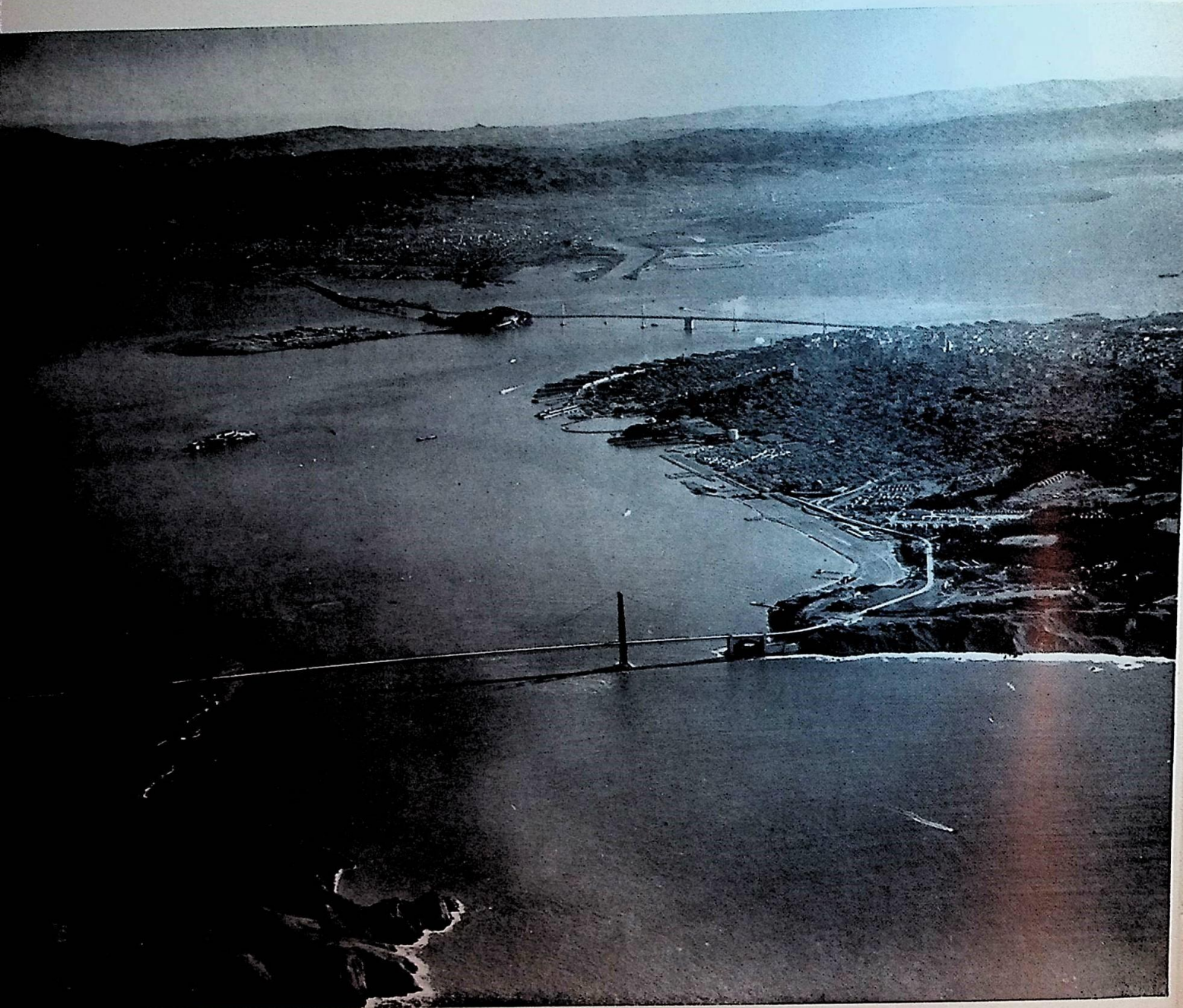
Guard House, Fort Scott



Headquarters Battery Building, Second Battalion, Sixth C. A.



HISTORICAL FORT WINFIELD SCOTT



What the Coast Artillery has to defend: on right, the Presidio with San Francisco behind it; on left, Oakland; in the foreground, the Golden Gate Bridge, Alcatraz Island, Treasure Island; at right end of bridge is Fort Point; and the Old Fort batteries below the bluffs.

Latitude 37 49' would be the nautical way of describing the location of Fort Winfield Scott. An easier description of how to find the fort is to go one mile west of the parade ground at San Francisco's Presidio to where you overlook the narrowest point of the Golden Gate.

Until 1912 a part of the Presidio, Fort Winfield Scott is

now a separate post and headquarters for the Harbor Defenses distributed among Forts Winfield Scott, Baker, Barry, Miley, Funston and Cronkhite.

The original inhabitants of California, long before the Spanish regime, were of the yellow race, coming from China, Siberia and Japan by way of the Aleutian Islands

and the Bering Sea. They attained their highest culture and development in Mexico, Guatemala and Honduras, and what may be termed the Maya civilization.

The Spanish regime over California dates back to 1521-1822, and the Mexican rule from 1823 to 1848.

EARLY HISTORY

By command of the Spanish Viceroy, Don Antonio Maria Bucarely, Lieut. Colonel Don Juan Bautista de Anza started an expedition from Tubac in Mexico in 1774 to explore the bay of San Francisco, and on March 28, 1776, chose the Cantil Blanco (white cliff), the present Fort Winfield Scott, for the location of a fort. He set aside 3,000 Veras for the present military reservation of the Presidio and Fort Winfield Scott. After Anza left, the command was turned over to Lieutenant Don Joseph Joachim Morago, who might be called the original builder of the Presidio of San Francisco, which was built in the form of a square, 275 feet on each side.

After Lieutenant Morago's death, the command was temporarily transferred to Lieutenant Gonzales, who stayed only about eighteen months. The command then fell to Ensign Sal, who acted until the arrival of Lieutenant Jose Dario Arguello, who was in command until March 1, 1806. It was on March 4, 1792, that Ensign Sal submitted to the governor, Jose Antonio Romeu, the first plan for a fort, with a description as to how it was to be built. It was built in the form of a square 50 yards wide, three sides of which were to be occupied by adobe walls and houses built of mud and stones. The fourth side was protected by a primitive palisade fence. All the structures were roofed with tules, exposed to fire and wind. So poor was the construction, and so slow was the building, that by the time a building or wall was erected, repairs would have to be made on the previous work. However, the elements won a victory; drift sand and storms demolished the fort, and a new one was erected in 1794 on the sight of the present Fort Point, before the bluff was cut down.

NEW PLANS APPROVED

Plans for this fort were prepared under Lieutenant Jose Dario Arguello by Miguel Constanso, Engineer of Fortifications, and submitted to Governor Jose Joaquin de Arilago, who approved same and ordered the construction, naming it Castillo de San Joaquin. The fort was at first garrisoned by a corporal and six artillerymen, and the armament consisted of eight 12-pound guns, cast in Spain and sent by the Spanish Viceroy, Conde de Ravilla Gigedo. The cost of this fort was \$6,400. It was built of 10-foot adobe walls with stone magazines laid up in mud and braced by redwood posts. It was built in an irregular form of a square with two main entrances. On two sides of a wide esplanade and in the center, the barracks consisted of two large rooms, and a portico in size about 60 by 30 feet, also of adobe with tile roof. Under the Spanish regime, the entire force stationed over California in 1794 was only 218 men. If we look back and consider the whole of California could be policed by such a small force, consider

the hardships endured in travelling, beset by Indians in all sides, great credit should be given those conquistadors.

The fort was considerably rebuilt with stones, and in general, made more formidable in the years that followed until in 1808, 1812, and 1813 severe earthquakes damaged the walls and barracks of this fort and practically wrecked the Presidio. In 1816 the Castillo de San Joaquin was rebuilt, partly in brick and stone. All magazines were brick-lined, with bricks 11 inches wide, 15 inches long and two and one-half inches thick. In 1820 the fort mounted 20 guns, among which were three 24-pounders.

MEXICAN OCCUPATION

During the Mexican occupation of California, as far as military defenses were concerned, no improvements of any importance were made, due to the lack of funds and increasing political unrest and the gradual influx of foreigners, mostly Americans. By the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, on February 2, 1848, Alto California passed into the possession of the United States. The phenomenal development of San Francisco and the bay region may be judged by the following: In 1844, there were only 39 houses in San Francisco, and in 1847 there were 157 houses and 459 inhabitants. In 1849 repairs were made to the old fort and four 32-pounders and two 8-inch howitzers were mounted in addition to the old armament. In 1851, under the direction of General Hitchcock, who was then in command of the Third Division at Benicia, the Chief of Engineers was directed to appoint a board of engineer officers to devise and draw up plans for a modern fort. These plans were approved and in 1853 the work of taking down the old Fort, San Joaquin, commenced and the bluff was cut down to the water's edge and a new brick fort was started with Colonel L. Mason, of the Engineer Department in charge. He was in turn succeeded in turn by Major J. G. Barnard, Lieutenant Colonel R. E. DeRussy, Major Z. R. Tower, Lieutenant G. W. C. Lee, and Captain I. F. Gilmer. The fort was finished in 1861, and in 1862 the armament installed 127 guns.

The plan of Fort Point is a partial counterpart of Fort Sumter. The fort provided for quarters for all officers and men, storage of supplies for the garrison, and of ammunition. Water was stored in large concrete tanks under the floor of the fort. The fort is built mostly of brick with stone trimmings, stone flagging for main floors, and an asphaltic roof. The workmanship of all the brick and stone work on this fort may be classed as excellent in all details. The cost was close to \$2,800,000 exclusive of the cost of armament.

FORT COMPLETED

No sooner had Fort Point been finished when the granite sea wall was constructed at a cost of \$140,000. The batteries on the bluff were also started. The Lime Point reservation, comprising Forts Baker and Barry, was purchased at a cost of \$200,000. At the same time Fort Point was constructed the batteries at Alcatraz Island were under construction. Alcatraz Island mounted 13 batteries of 36 15-inch guns and Black Point (Fort Mason); three 15-inch, six 10-inch guns and six 25-pounders.



WINFIELD SCOTT
General, U. S. A.
First Commander of the Harbor
Defenses

Past Commanders OF THE HARBOR DEFENSES



W. F. HASE
Major General
Chief of Coast Artillery



JOHN P. WISSER
Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
June, 1912-February, 1913



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Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
October, 1913-September, 1914
October, 1916-August, 1917



STEPHEN M. FOOTE
Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
August, 1914-December, 1914
April, 1915-November, 1915



FREDERICK MARSH
Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
October, 1917-February, 1918



JOHN P. HAINS
Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
August, 1917-October, 1917



IRA A. HAYNES
Colonel, Sixth Coast Artillery
Commanding
June 25, 1919-January 1, 1920
September 6, 1920-August 10, 1921
November 14, 1921-July 2, 1922



PERCY M. KESSLER
Colonel, C. A. C.
Commanding
July, 1920-September, 1920
August, 1921-November, 1921



JOHN P. SPURR
Lieutenant Colonel, C. A. C.
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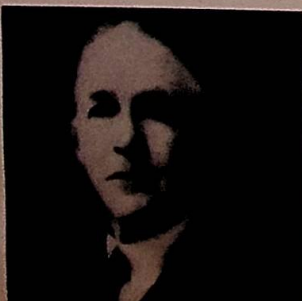
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E. D'A PEARCE
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Colonel, Sixth Coast Artillery
Commanding
October, 1934-June, 1937

HENRY T. BURGIN
Colonel, Sixth Coast Artillery
Commanding
June, 1937-October, 1938

THOMAS A. TERRY
Colonel, Sixth Coast Artillery
Commanding
April, 1939-September, 1940



CHAPLAIN'S ACTIVITIES



Chaplain Theodore J. Hatton conducts a special service at Fort Winfield Scott.

The Chaplains of the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco have proposed to do several things since the National Emergency has brought three Chaplains to these forts. In the first place the primary purpose of the Chaplains has been to take care of the religious needs of the Harbor Defenses constituency. Services, both Catholic and Protestant, are held each Sunday at Fort Scott, Fort Baker, and Fort Cronkhite. Aside from these services cooperation with local churches in providing religious services for the soldiers has been active.

It is with a great deal of encouragement and enthusiasm that we announce that three chapels, namely at Fort Scott, Fort Baker,

and Fort Cronkhite, are under construction and will be ready for use in a few weeks. Each chapel, a typical small steeped church with an electric organ, will seat 400 and will be built to accommodate Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish services of worship.

Personal consultation and conferences with individuals and small groups throughout the week have been numerous. Visits to the sick in hospitals and infirmaries, and aid to men in trouble have occupied a large place in the chaplains' duties. Administering the various Sacraments and providing Christian burials are an important part of the Chaplains' work.

Developing and maintaining morale is a task of vital importance in the Army. Men who are taken from the normal relationships of their respective communities and placed in strange localities with new men and women present tremendous social problems. The Chaplains have been keenly aware of this situation and have sponsored a number of post dances, stage shows, community sings, and amateur shows in an effort to provide wholesome entertainment as well as to introduce the men to reputable girl companions. Service men's clubs sponsored by the various communities nearby have been visited often by the Chaplains and too much praise cannot be given to the efforts of these friendly and patriotic people of the Bay Area.

The Chaplains of different denominations and creeds, working in perfect accord, have been eager to cooperate in every way possible to promote good morale, by promoting clean athletics, providing wholesome reading, developing musical talent into choruses and orchestras, and cultivating dramatic ability wherever found.

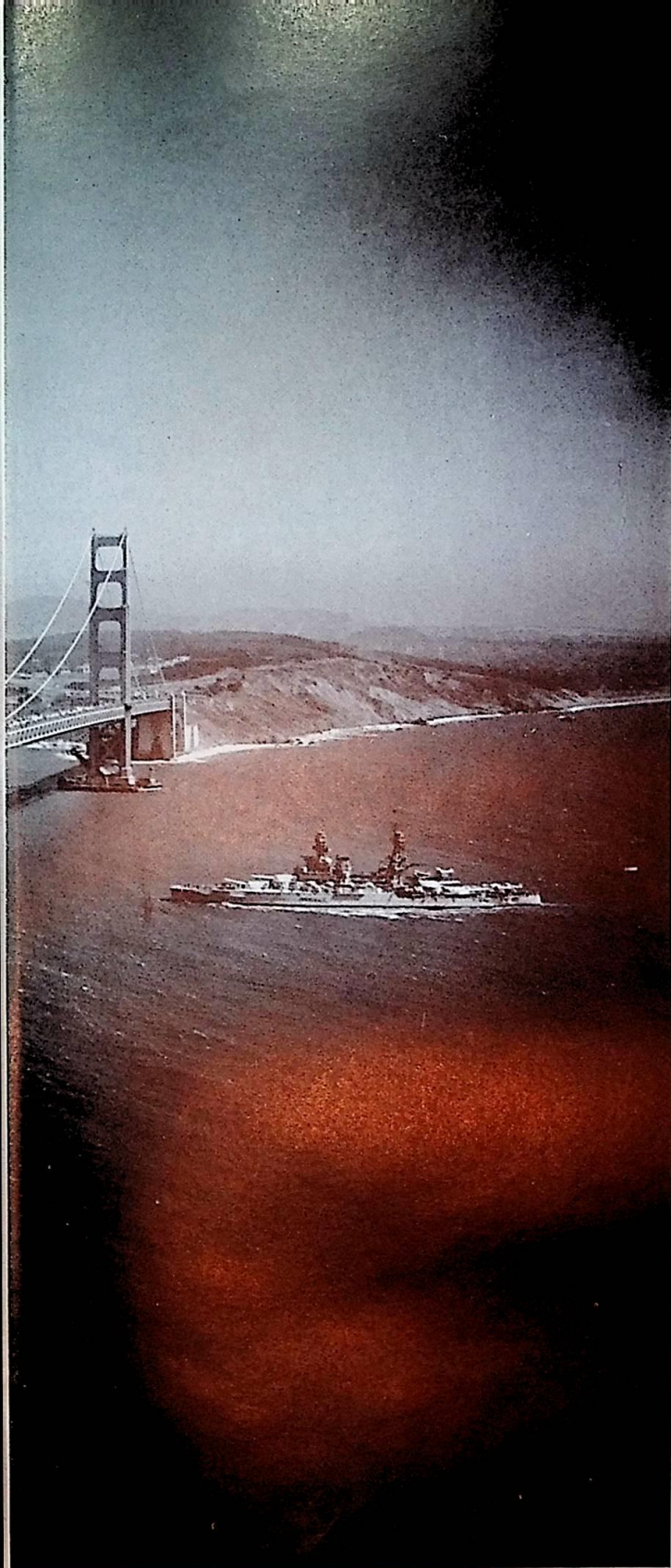
The great ideals of our country are based upon the Christian religion. The basic and fundamental principles and practices of our Democracy are Christian. In a world of conflict, over these vital principles, where we are thinking of defense in terms of tens of thousands of airplanes, thousands of tanks and machines, two-ocean navies, and millions of trained men, we must not lose sight of the fact that our greatest defense is moral and spiritual stamina. Therefore the Chaplains' duty, as well as every officer of the United States Armed Forces, becomes one of supreme importance and we shall not relax in our God-given task.

Chaplain Theodore Hatton with the altar boys of the chapel at Fort Winfield Scott.





THE GOLDEN GATE



B R I D G E

The Golden Gate bridge, main San Francisco approach from the Presidio, was designed by Joseph B. Strauss and completed in May, 1937, at a cost of \$35,500,000. The huge web-like span, illuminated at night with strings of yellow sodium vapor lights, suspended high above the water, links Northern California to the peninsula of San Francisco.

Two enormous steel towers, erected on concrete piers, act as props and hold up the giant "clothes line" cables from which the bridge is hung. The massive steel framework of these towers consists of two steel legs which rise in five tapering stages, with heavy diagonal and horizontal cross braces or struts to the cable saddles at the top. The legs of the tower, each 32 feet by 53 feet, rise 746 feet above the water (the height of a 65-story building). The skeleton superstructure of the towers, together with the steel framework of the bridge floor and the sweeping cables, form an impressive silhouette.

The main central span, 4,200 feet in length, is the longest single span in the world. The minor spans at either end are each 1,125 feet in length. Above are the two sagging cables, each more than a yard in diameter and fastened at both shores to huge concrete anchorages. The suspended floor structure is ninety feet wide and twenty-five feet deep and supports a reinforced six-lane roadway and sidewalks. The center of the span clears the water by 220 feet.

At the south end of the bridge proper is a large steel arch passing over Fort Winfield Scott, four 125-foot truss spans and finally the Toll Plaza, from which leads two roads, one to the northeastern section of San Francisco and the other southward. The Marin County end of the bridge has five 175-foot truss spans and is in Fort Baker, one of the units of the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO HARBOR DEFENSES . . . 66 YEARS AGO

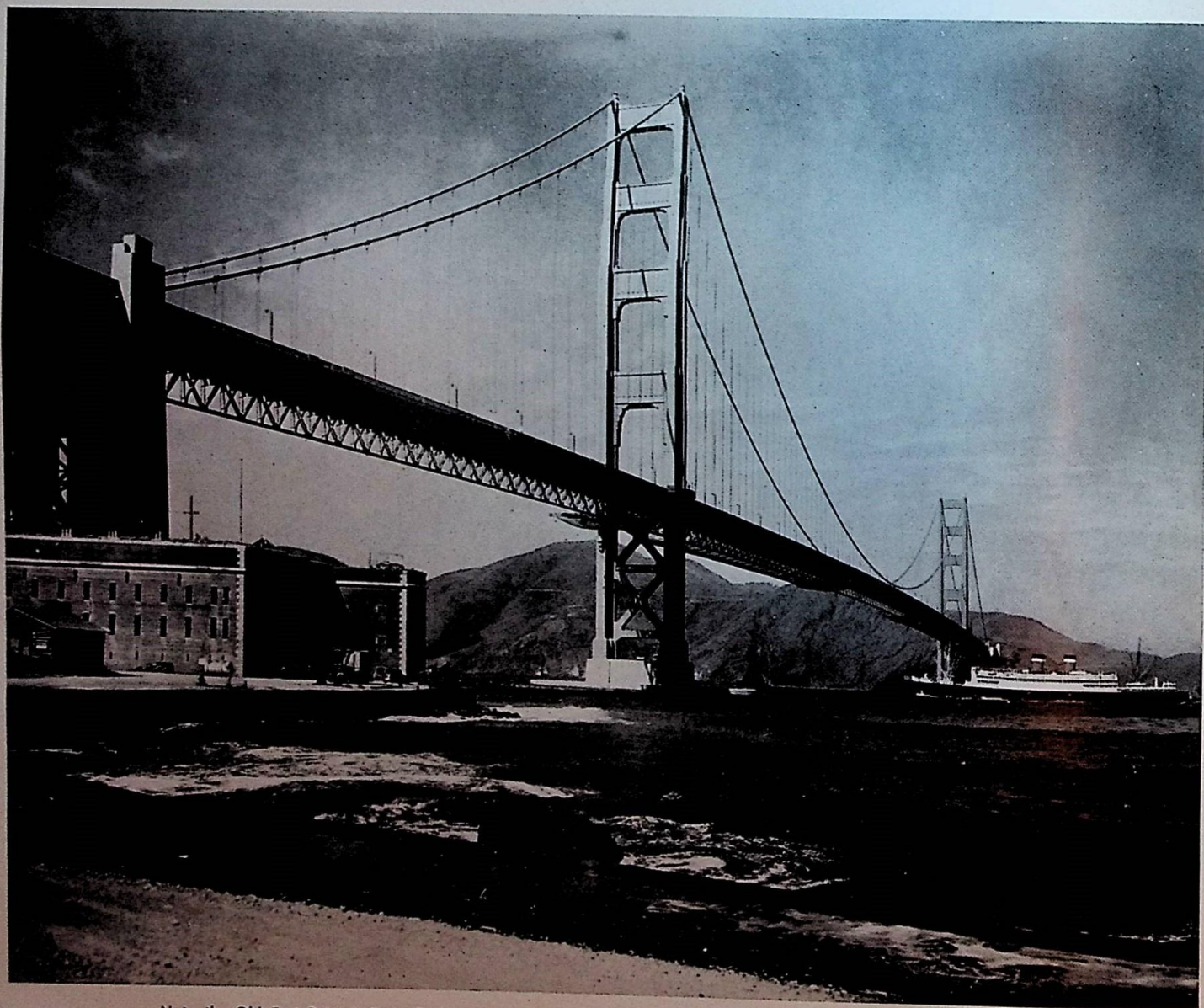
A passenger on a stately schooner, sailing into San Francisco Bay through the Golden Gate 66 years ago, would have a vastly different picture of the city and its defenses than if he steamed under the Golden Gate Bridge on a leviathan of the Pacific today. Here is a condensation of a description written 66 years ago by a visitor to San Francisco, told in the manner and style of the time and later reported to the Congress of the United States of America.

After passing Seal Rock, the eye rests upon the guns

of the Fort Point line of works, which frown down from the heights above—extending from a short distance eastward of Point Lobos, on the right hand, past Fort Point, following the unequalities of ground. The line of works, nearly three-quarters of a mile long, is considered one of the most formidable on the continent. It is a continuous line with center salient. There are 25 batteries, each containing two guns, with traverse and magazine in each battery.

The guns are all Rodman pattern and 15-inch bore. At the center salient is a 20-inch gun. The traverse to each

CONTRAST OF THE OLD AND THE NEW



Note the Old Fort Point built in Civil War days, nestling the San Francisco-Fort Winfield Scott end of the Golden Gate Bridge.

battery is so arranged and extended over the glacis of the parapet, to form a bonnet and serve as a shelter to the defenders. The parapets are at least 36 feet in thickness, and some of them are more. In each traverse is a magazine constructed in English cement, the walls of which are five feet in thickness. The cement is, in turn, covered with the earth which forms the traverse and the ends of that portion used for storing ammunition abuts into the parapet itself, giving additional security from the shot of the enemy.

Directly below the line of works and occupying the point of land which is the southern portal of the Golden Gate, is the "Old Fort," as it is called. Upon the site, or rather on the plateau 100 feet above, in the rear of it, formerly stood a Spanish fortification, known as Fort Blanco. At the time this was first occupied by the American troops, under Major Hardy, of Stevenson's Regiment, in March, 1847, it was a corridor fort mounting ten iron guns—sixteen pounders.

In 1854, the erection of the present fort was commenced. It is built on the edge of the point bearing its name, three sides of the structure being in the water. The waves of the Pacific, as they roll through the Golden Gate, dash against the solid masonry of its foundation walls and the white spray is tossed into the crevices of the iron blinds which protect the casemates.

The entrance gate, which is of iron, is flanked by two old Spanish guns, unmounted, bearing the arms of Charles III, and an inscription showing them to have been cast in Spain, in 1760. They were undoubtedly part of the armor of a Spanish frigate and left there at the request of the Jesuits, to whom the territory was granted by Charles II and who made their first model settlement on the coast in 1769.

The guns on the lower tier are 10-inch columbiads; those on the second and third tiers are 8 and 10-inch columbiads; while those in barbette, or on the roof, are 24 and 42 pounders, old style. There are about 100 guns in position, all told. The government maintains a lighthouse, built on the roof.

In the court below are the furnaces for the purpose of heating shot. Everything connected with the fort is of the very best material and admirably constructed. At the time it was built—it was finished in 1860—it was considered a very strong fortress, but the advent of the ironclads and heavy ordnance has made it comparatively useless. In case of invasion it might be deemed advisable to turn the guns from the Lime Point batteries upon it, knock off the two upper tiers, and from the debris a very formidable position might be formed, which will prove as invulnerable as did Fort Sumter under similar treatment.

The Golden Gate is one mile and seventeen yards wide; and directly opposite Fort Point, forming the northern portal of the gate, is Lime Point. Upon the shore, within a limit of about three miles, are batteries, at three different

points, all known under the name of the Lime Point Batteries.

From the deck of an incoming steamer, after viewing the formidable parapets of the Fort Point works, one can turn eyes to the left and a sharp lookout will bring into sight, sheltered between the mountain points, which thrust themselves boldly into the bay, a little wedge-shaped valley; and close down to the shore, the black muzzles of a group of Rodman guns are disclosed. This is known as the Gravelly Cove battery and contains twelve 15-inch guns. It might be denominated by old soldiers as a "masked battery" for so near to the water is it, that it cannot be seen until fully abreast of it. The guns command the approach by sea through the Golden Gate and sweep the opposite shore in their range, all the way from Black Point to Point Lobos.

Two miles further, upon the heights of Lime Point, are what is known as the bluff batteries. Here is a line extending along the crest of the heights, arranged for the mounting of twenty-one 15-inch guns, and twelve mortars of the largest size. The platforms of the gun carriages in these batteries are of granite, from the Penrhyn quarries, the pintals of some of them weighing ten tons each. The magazines, which are built of cement, are capable of storing large quantities of ammunition. The guns from these batteries have a very extended range, commanding the entrance from the Golden Gate and sweeping from Point Bonita, on the extreme right, to Point Lobos, and along the opposite shore to the city front, and the channel between Alcatraz and the city. Below these batteries, on the shore, is the wharf, at which the material and supplies are landed. Directly back of it, on the sloping hillside, are the quarters of the laborers employed upon the works.

Half a mile beyond the dock, is Point Cavallo where there is a battery of six 15-inch guns. One hundred yards further on, upon the high ground, is Cavallo battery. This is the most elaborate of all the earthworks in the scheme of San Francisco's harbor defenses. The battery is after the general style of those at Fort Point, with the addition of a number of covered ways and a small redoubt, which could be used to resist an infantry attack from the land side. The center salient, protected by bonnets, contains a 20-inch gun. The battery contains, besides, fifteen 15-inch guns and a number of mortars.

Alcatraz Island was fortified in 1846, using convict labor from the military prison. Batteries on the west side of the island were arranged in three tiers or benches of different elevations, mounting 15-inch guns. A battalion of artillery were also stationed on the island.

Other fortified points are Point San Jose, or Black Point, with six 10-inch columbiads, six old 42 pounders, rifled, three 15-inch guns and one company of artillery. Angels Island is not fortified.—*Condensed from "Lights and Shades in San Francisco" (Lloyd).*



A SIX-INCH GUN IS FIRED OUT TO SEA

With its fixed and mobile guns capable of firing many miles to sea, the Coast Artillery Corps protects important parts of our shores—mainly the entrance to our largest harbors and forts—from approach by hostile landing forces and from bombardment by hostile navies. In this task of coast defense the Coast Artillery acts in close cooperation with the United States Navy.

The Coast Artillery also has units with powerful anti-aircraft guns whose purpose is to protect important centers of population and industry, and the main headquarters and installations of armies in the field, from the war planes of an enemy.

Thus Coast Artillery regiments are of three kinds—harbor defense, heavy mobile, and anti-aircraft. Sometimes two or more regiments are formed into a brigade under a single commander.

Coast Artillery regiments are of various kinds. Some are organized to man the fixed guns in coastal fortifications. Some

operate the railway guns, of large caliber, which can be moved along the coast for any distance on the railway lines of the country, and set up for firing out to sea at a suitable point. Other regiments have mobile guns that can be moved from place to place along the coast, towed by fast heavy trucks or tractors. All of these regiments include within themselves anti-aircraft units for their own protection. In its coast defenses the Coast Artillery employs a variety of weapons. The guns of all calibers are emplaced to protect ports and harbors in the harbor defenses of the continental United States, and in fortified areas overseas. They range from the 3-inch guns that fire a shell of 15 pounds for several miles, to huge 16-inch guns that can shoot an armor-piercing shell weighing over a ton for more than 20 miles. The three principal kinds of fixed harbor defense artillery are: (1) long-range, heavy guns of 12-, 14-, and 16-inch caliber for the

THE COAST ARTILLERY

purpose of holding off heavily armored enemy ships; (2) guns of 6-, 8-, and 10-inch caliber, and 12-inch high-firing mortars, for use against enemy ships of smaller types; and (3) rapid-fire guns of 3- to 6-inch caliber capable of protecting mine fields placed in the coastal waters, stopping fast enemy torpedo boats, and helping the troops of the Army to repel landings by enemy forces.

Mobile railway and tractor or truck-drawn units of the Coast Artillery are used to defend shores against landings attempted at points not protected by fixed defenses. The motor-drawn units are equipped with the 155-mm. gun, which is practically the same as the field artillery gun of the same caliber. It can hurl a 95-pound projectile some 10 miles. The weapons of railway artillery units are mounted on special railway cars and include 8-inch guns, 12-inch mortars, and 14-inch guns.

The Coast Artillery also lays fields of electrically controlled submarine mines which can be exploded from the shore as hostile ships pass over them. To install these mines in channels offshore, and to maintain them, the Coast Artillery uses boats ranging from ocean-going mine planters of over 1,000 tons to small motorboats.

The coast defenses are all based on elaborate systems for locating targets out on the water with great accuracy and speed. Since it takes many seconds (sometimes more than half a minute) for the big shells to travel from gun to target (an enemy ship), and since the target may be moving fast, the fire must be directed at the point where the ship will be when the projectile travels to it. The position of the target, in other words, must be predicted for each shot, and shells must sometimes be fired at a point half a mile ahead of the moving target. The effect of the wind, the temperature, and even of the earth's curvature must also be calculated for each shot fired. All these calculations, moreover, must be made, and the guns pointed correctly, in seconds rather than in minutes. In consequence, harbor defenses contain observation stations, plotting rooms, searchlights, and elaborate communication equipment.

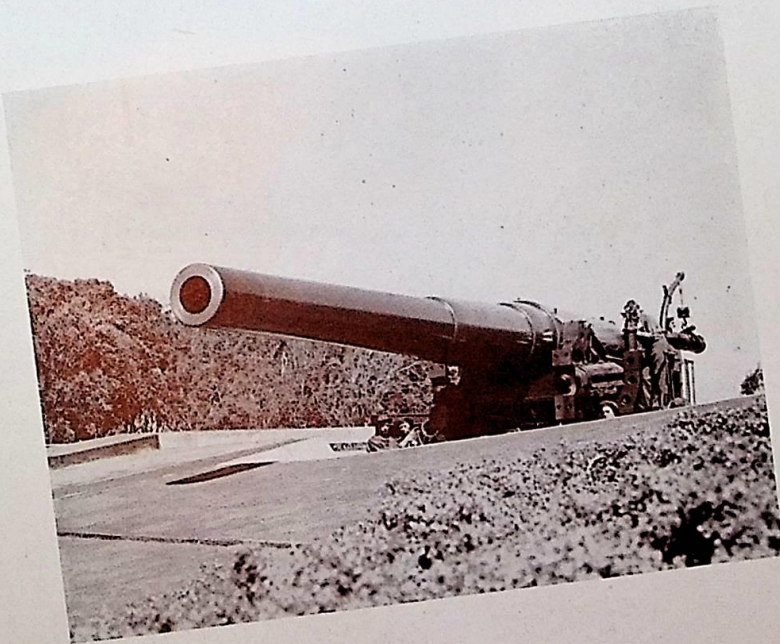
In contrast to the heavy weapons of harbor defense units of the Coast Artillery are the light, fast-moving guns of the anti-

aircraft units. The batteries of anti-aircraft must detect and hit targets that fly several hundreds miles per hour. They must also move rapidly to reach new firing positions in protecting a moving army. There are fixed anti-aircraft guns at vital points, but all the rest are motorized and can move on highways—guns, searchlights, and all—at high speeds. Regiments of anti-aircraft artillery are capable of travelling more than 300 miles in a single day.

The present standard weapon of Coast Artillery anti-aircraft units is the 3-inch anti-aircraft gun. It is very accurate and fires a 13-pound projectile which is effective against enemy planes up to four miles altitude. The shells have time fuzes which are set to burst in the air among the enemy's airplanes. It is not necessary to make a direct hit on a hostile airplane to destroy it. In one minute a battery of four guns can fire 100 aimed shots. Each anti-aircraft gun battery has a director, or "mechanical brain." This complicated instrument is pointed continuously at any air target and automatically computes the right direction for pointing the guns and transmits it electrically to dials on each gun. The gun crew simply read the dials and turn other dials to point the gun rapidly in the right direction.

Anti-aircraft guns are supplemented by searchlights of approximately 800,000,000 candlepower which illuminate targets at night. To enable the searchlight crews to find the targets quickly as they approach high in the air over the guns, sound locators are used. These are really huge aids to hearing by which trained lis-

BATTERY SAFFOLD



CORPS

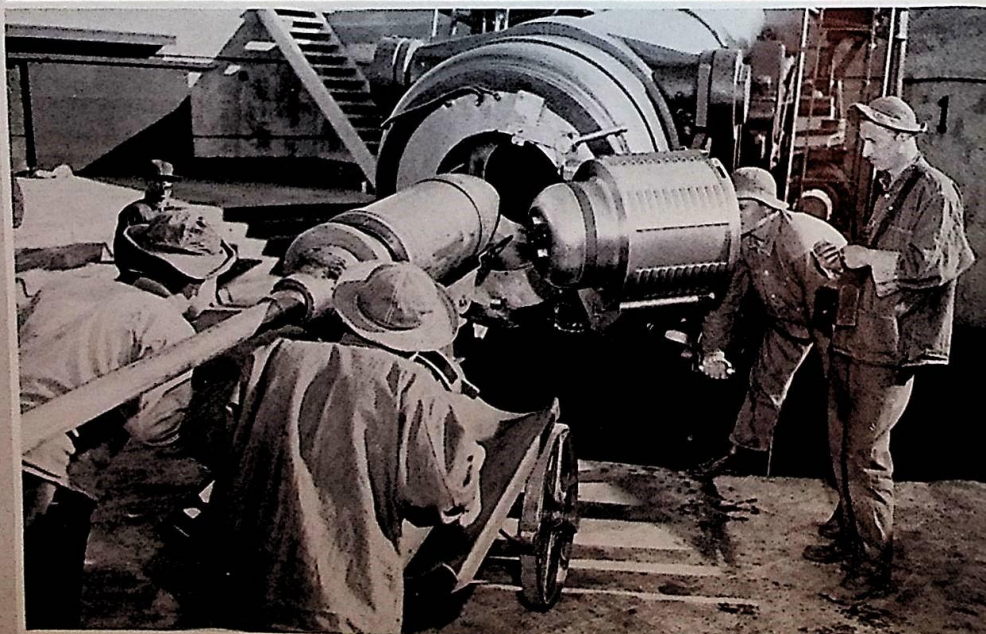
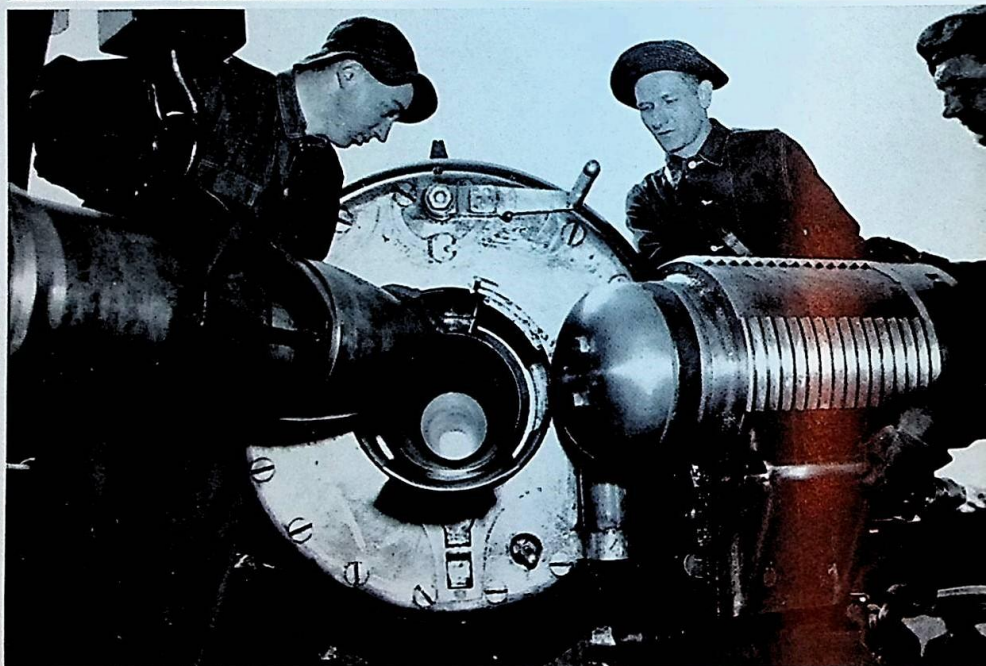
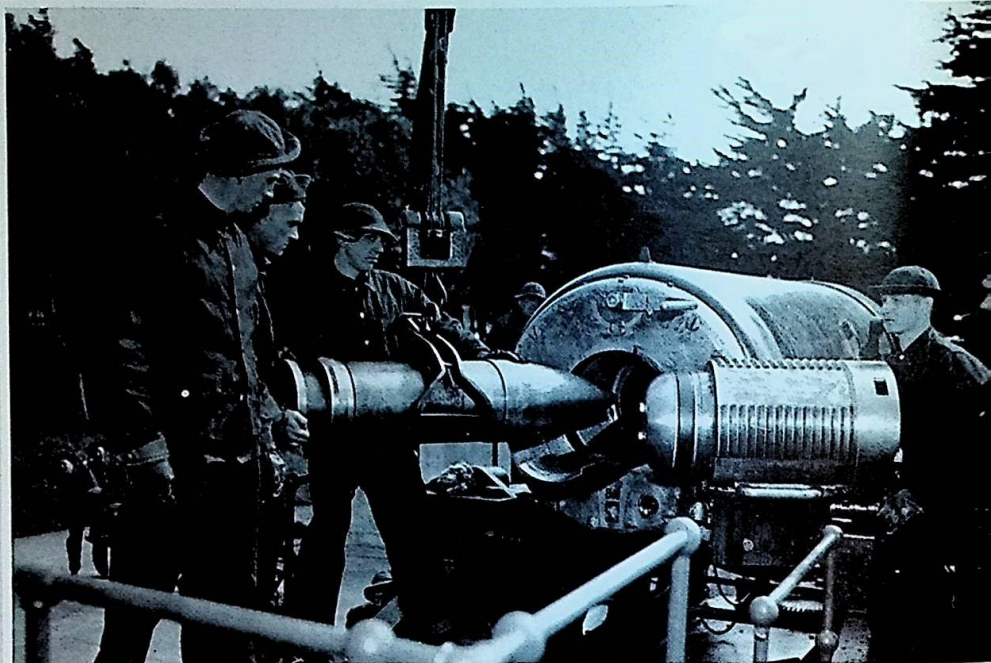
BATTERY MENDELL



teners can tell the direction from which the sounds of the approaching airplane is coming, so that the searchlights can be pointed in that direction and can light up the targets accurately at the earliest moment possible. The searchlights, of course, are placed in a circle at a considerable distance from the gun batteries. Farther out, and in a much larger circle, are ground observers who give advance warning to the whole anti-aircraft defense. All this equipment requires the production of considerable electric power in the field and the use of complex and delicate control instruments by highly trained personnel. An anti-aircraft battery of four guns, with its searchlights, may install as much as 100 miles of telephone wire when it occupies a single position.

The anti-aircraft guns of the three-inch type, built for long-range firing, is not effective for firing at low-flying airplanes at short range. To deal with "hedge-hopping" enemy attack planes, lighter weapons are necessary which can go into action instantaneously and develop a large volume of automatic fire. For this purpose Browning caliber .50 machine gun and the 37-mm. anti-aircraft guns are used. The caliber .50 machine gun fires a stream of tracer bullets which are half an inch in diameter. The tracers burn with a bright light, so that the gunner's eye can follow this stream of destructive fire power for nearly a mile. Each machine gun pours fire at aerial targets at a rate of several hundred rounds per minute. The 37-mm. gun fires a small shell weighing about a pound also at a rapid rate and is a most powerful modern anti-aircraft weapon.

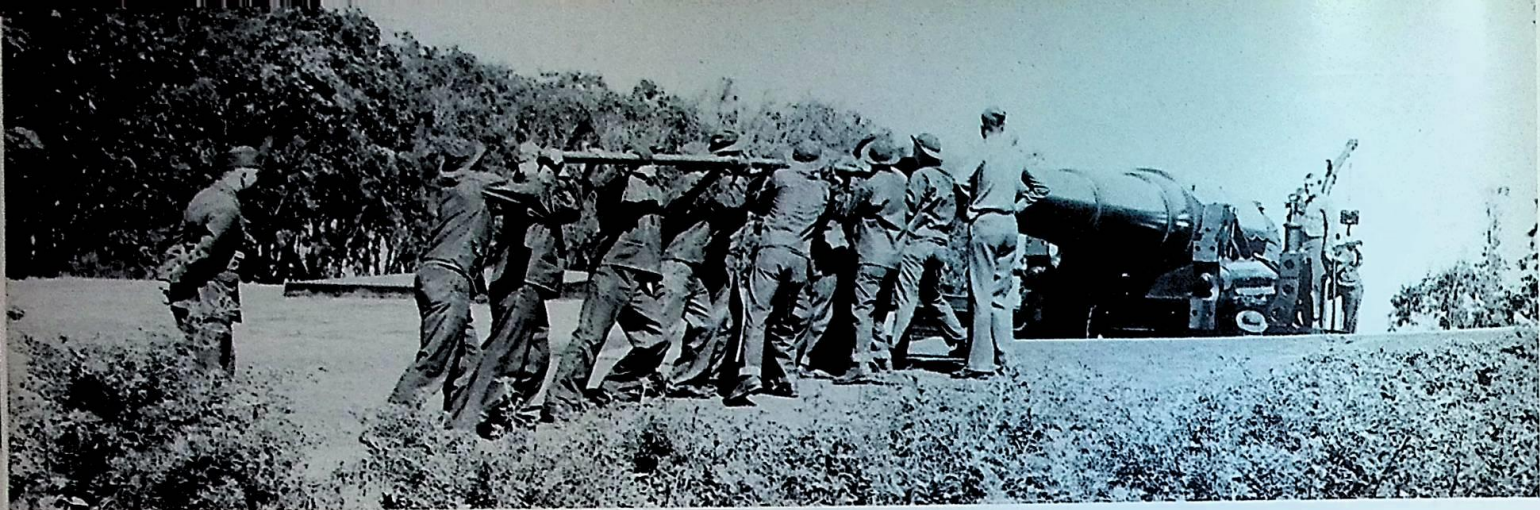
A war strength anti-aircraft regiment contains one searchlight battery (15 searchlights), three gun batteries (with a total of 12 three-inch guns), three batteries of 37-mm. guns (with a total of 24 guns), and one machine-gun battery of 12 machine guns each (48 altogether). Coast Artillery, however, has no monopoly of anti-aircraft machine-gun fire. The troops of all other arms and of some of the services fire on low-flying enemy airplanes with rifles, automatic rifles and machine guns. The anti-aircraft units of Coast Artillery supplement their forces and provide anti-aircraft protection at various localities where such protection is not furnished by other arms themselves.



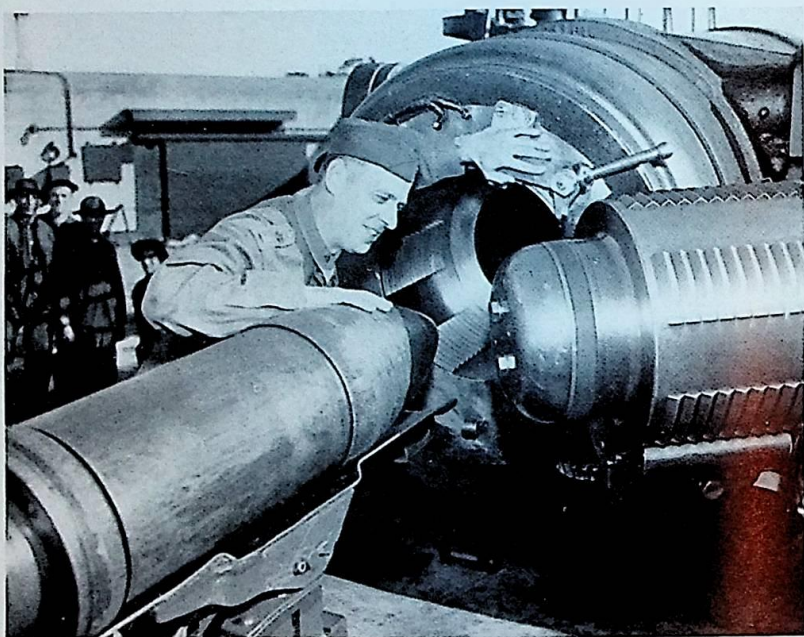


On the opposite page, men of the Coast Artillery Corps fire a 12-inch sea coast gun with a barbette mount and carriage. Their actions, as shown in the pictures from top to bottom, are: swinging the heavy projectile into place, checking the business end of the gun, and loading it for action. Above, the big 12-inch rifle is ready to speak, as the crew stands by for the firing order. Below are shown two anti-aircraft aids against invasion of important gun emplacements—at left, the Sperry sound locator, the ears of the Army, and at right, the .50 caliber anti-aircraft gun, protection against low-flying enemy aircraft.





Above, a detail of soldiers at Battery Saf-
fold swab out the barrel in the big sea
coast gun. At right, a battery com-
mander inspects the one-half ton projectile
before firing.



FIRING A 12-INCH COASTAL GUN, WITH A DISAPPEARING CARRIAGE, FOR RECORD

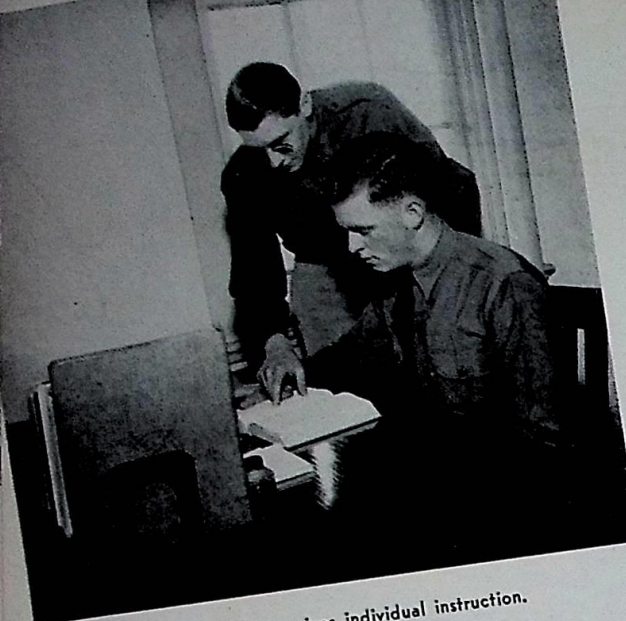




After several months of basic training in maintenance and mechanics of the coastal artillery, the men are given practice under simulated warfare conditions to prove their efficiency in spotting and destroying the potential enemy. Distance and speed are computed with extreme accuracy, relayed to the gunners, who aim the gun at their target far across the Bay. Above, the gunners are ready to load a 12-inch sea coast gun and below, the projectile is being rammed home. The gun on the left has a disappearing carriage while the one on the right is on a barbette carriage.



WEST POINT PREPARATORY SCHOOL

A black and white photograph showing a man in a military uniform leaning over a desk to assist another man who is seated and looking at a book. The man at the desk is also in a military uniform.

A student receives individual instruction.

The mission of the West Point Preparatory School is primarily to prepare enlisted candidates for entrance to the United States Military Academy at West Point. The school has been established at Fort Winfield Scott since 1931.

Two secondary aims of the school are to provide, during the third term, instruction in the subjects covered during the first

year at West Point, thus assuring the appointees the maximum possibility of passing successfully their first year's work at the Academy, and to instill in the candidates the basic ideals of discipline, duty, and honor which are the bed rock foundation of the Military Academy. With these ends in view, the school is conducted as nearly like the Military Academy as conditions will permit.

"Candidate" is the official title given to the members of the school. Any young man between the ages of eighteen and twenty who lives in the Ninth Corps Area may apply to the head of the school for permission to take the mental and physical examination required before admission. Of the last year's class of thirty-five men who passed the rigid entrance examinations and reported to the school, most of them came from Wyoming, Utah, Nevada, Oregon, Washington and California. Three of the appointees were from the Regular Army, eleven men returned from the class of the year before, one man came from the National Guard and the remainder were recently graduated high school students or men with from one to three years' college experience.

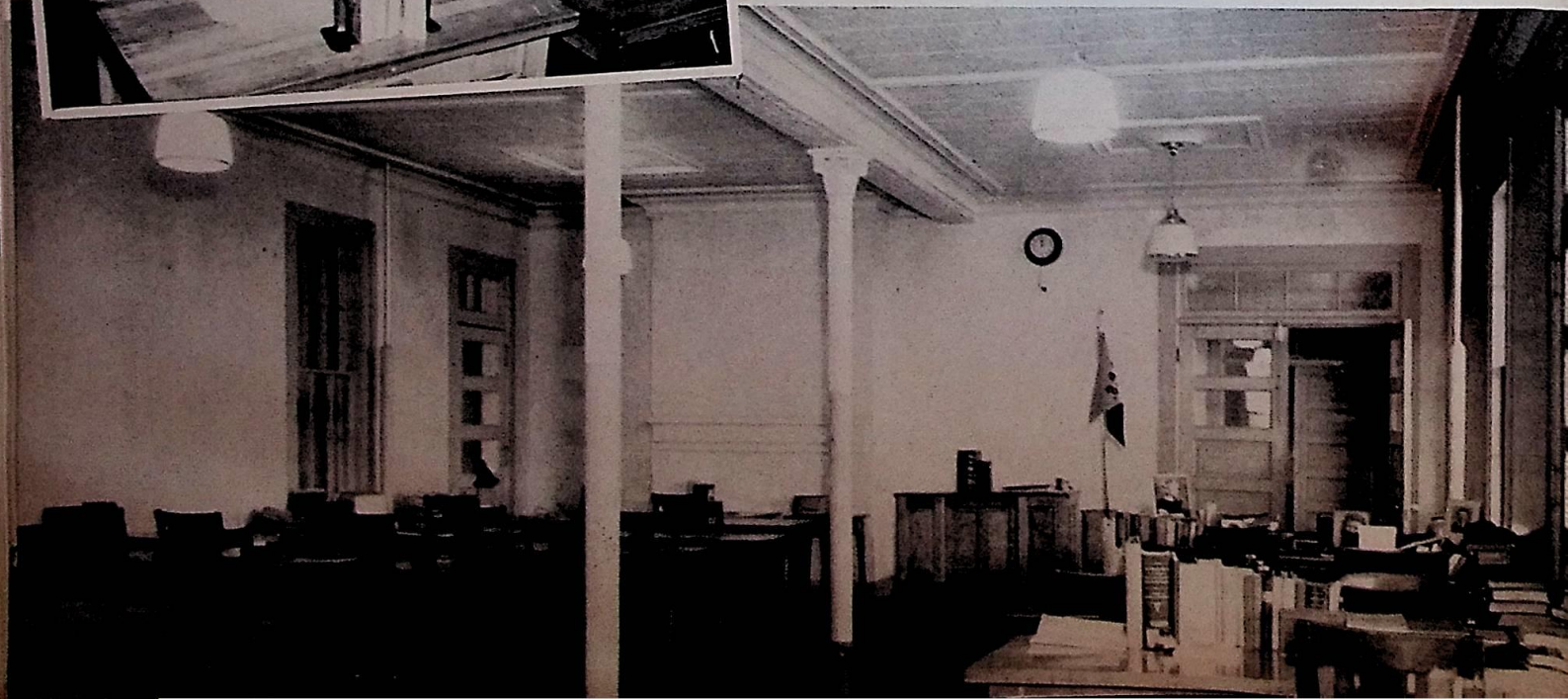
The West Point Preparatory School received its first class on September 15, 1931. Lieutenant Paul D. Perry was designated as the First Assistant Commandant. The class consisted of twenty-five enlisted men and twelve civilians. The practice, however, of admitting civilian candidates was discontinued in 1938.

The last graduating class, that of 1939-40, made history at the school as, out of thirty-four candidates, twenty-nine have some type of appointment to West Point and three to Annapolis.

Everything at the school is conducted on the Honor System, that intangible yet omnipotent tradition which governs the conduct of the "Candidates," instilling in them the spirit and the morale of the Corps of which they aspire to be members.

A black and white photograph of a classroom. Several young men in military uniforms are seated at long wooden desks, looking towards the front of the room. Some are reading papers or books. A desk lamp is visible on the right side of the desk in the foreground.

A class in the West Point Preparatory School.





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WILLIAM H. KINARD, JR.
 Captain
 Assistant Commandant, West Point
 Preparatory School, 65th C. A.

NORMAN D. COULTER
 Second Lieutenant

THOMAS E. TURNER
 Second Lieutenant

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WEST POINT PREPARATORY SCHOOL

BRIGADIER GENERAL E. A. STOCKTON, JR.
 Commanding

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Sergeant McElroy, John S.; Privates Ayers, Leslie S.; Bahls, Roy A.; Baker, William A.; Benton Bramley H.

SECOND ROW: Privates Blake, David; Bradley, William F.; Calvert, Robert V.; Clayton, Lawrence L., Jr.; Harper, Robert O.

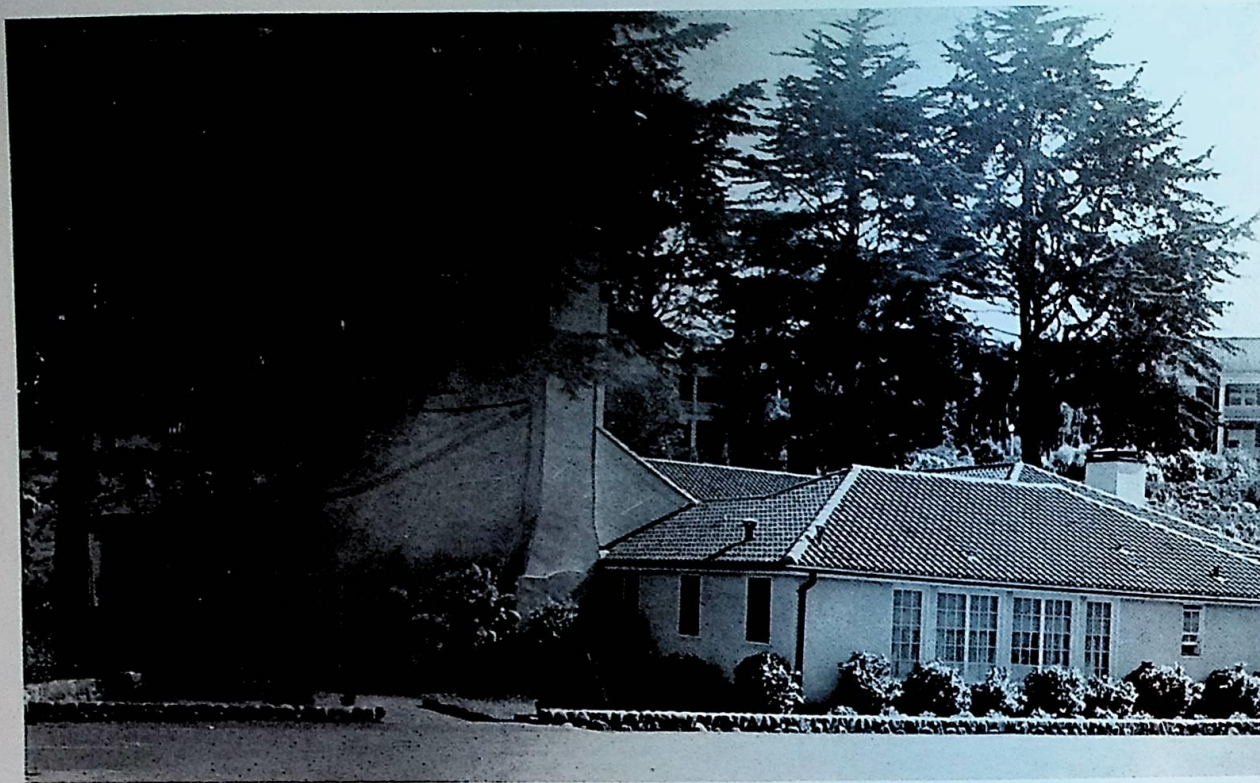
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FOURTH ROW: Privates Nerdahl, Carl B.; Pappas, George S.; Puchrik, Augustine S.; Rhodes, Ralph L.; Rinearson, Abram V., III.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Rochfort, Robert E.; Russo, Joseph; Scott, George W.; Sellers, Robert C.; Jr.; Stevenson, William R., Jr.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Toon, Philip B.; Weissburg, Elmer S.; West, Raymond K.; Young, Robert D.





OFFICERS' CLUB

RECREATION

Recreational activities of the officers and men of the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco are carefully supervised by a Recreation Officer who watches to see that the axiom "all work and no play" does not occur.

A beautiful new theater has just been completed at Fort Winfield Scott, one of the best in the United States Army. Seating 1,038 persons, the theater is air conditioned, comfortable and will provide nightly moving picture shows for the command as well as an opportunity for amateur theatricals among those artistically inclined.

A beautiful club is the gathering spot daily for the officers of the command, their families and guests. Dances are held often at the club which is surrounded by flower gardens and is built with the Spanish motif. Two adjacent tennis courts and

an 18-hole golf course provide the sporting facilities of the club.

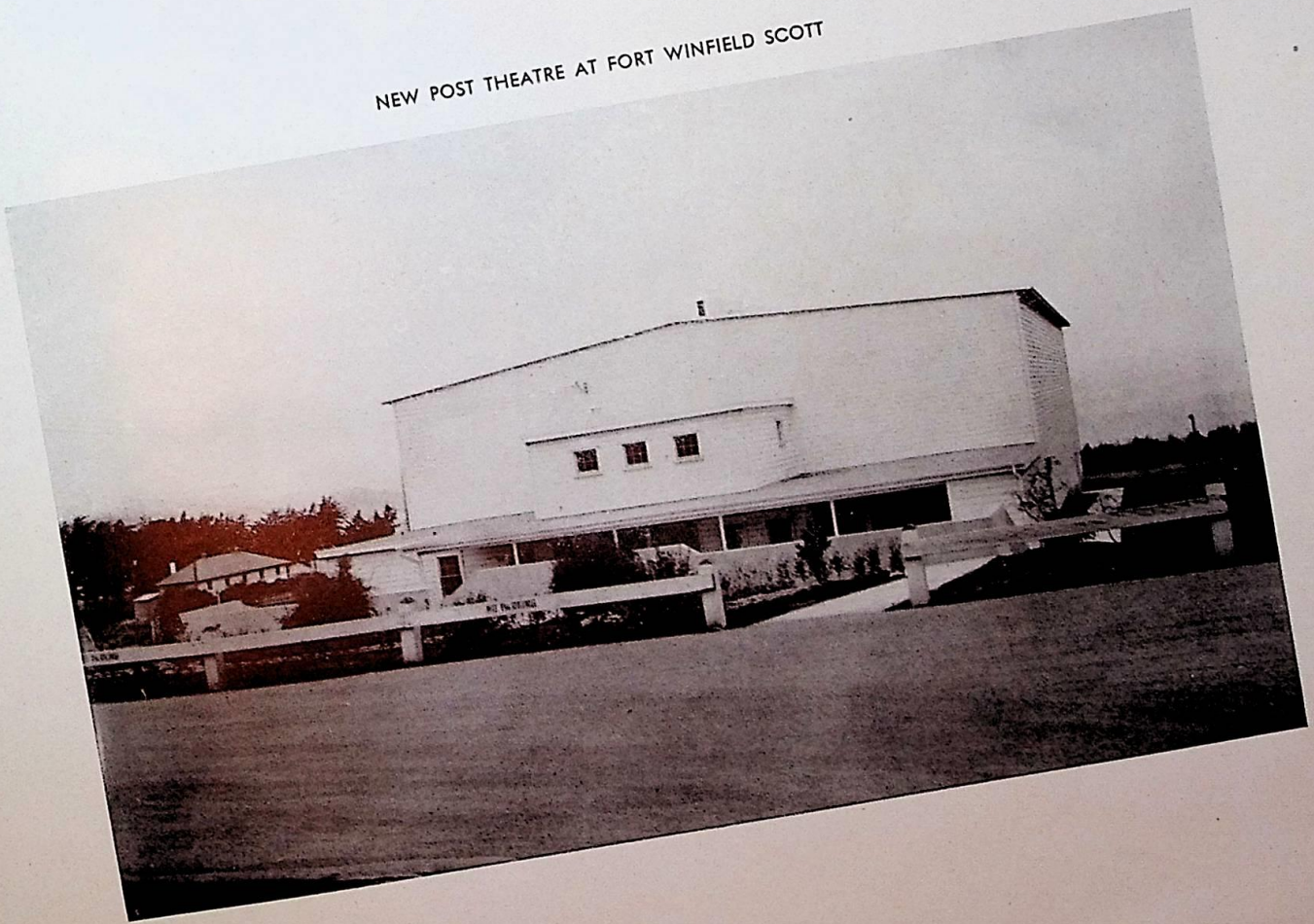
The non-commissioned officers also have a modern and up-to-date club which is built on the log cabin style. Dances are also held here several times monthly while the enlisted men are entertained with dances at the post gymnasium.

No Post library is maintained, but each battery has a library, books being kept only for a certain period before being passed on to the next battery.

The Post Exchange is well equipped to supply the men with everything from soft drinks to perfume for their sweethearts; the various grills serve excellent food and provide a break in the routine of regular meals in the mess halls while other gathering places are provided for evening, Sunday and holiday entertainment.



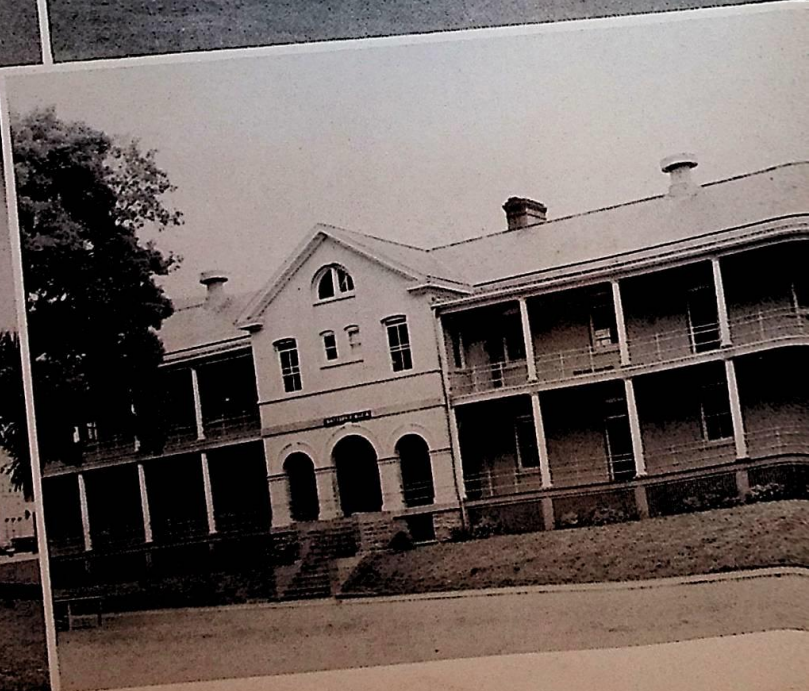
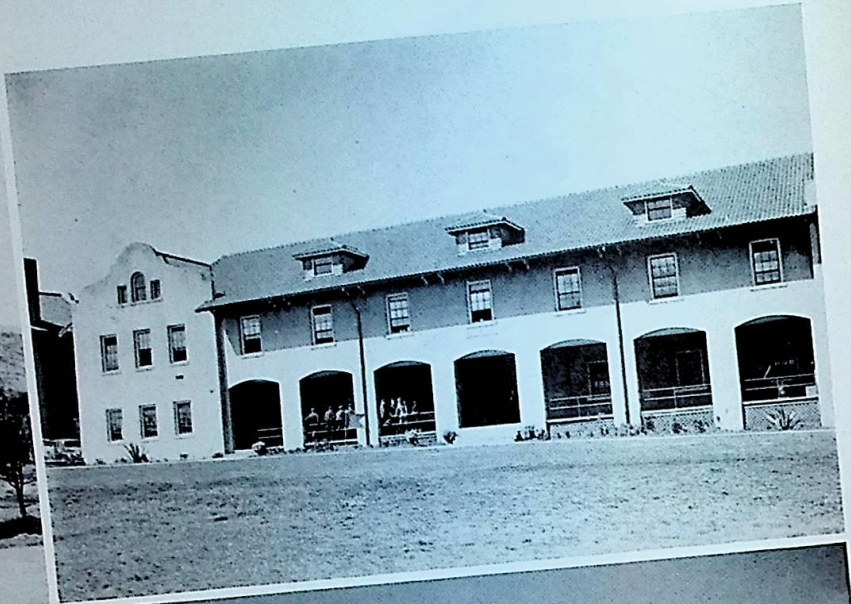
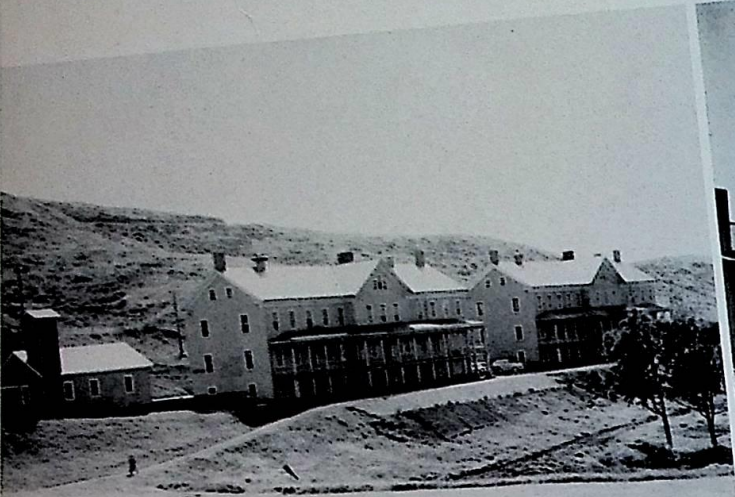
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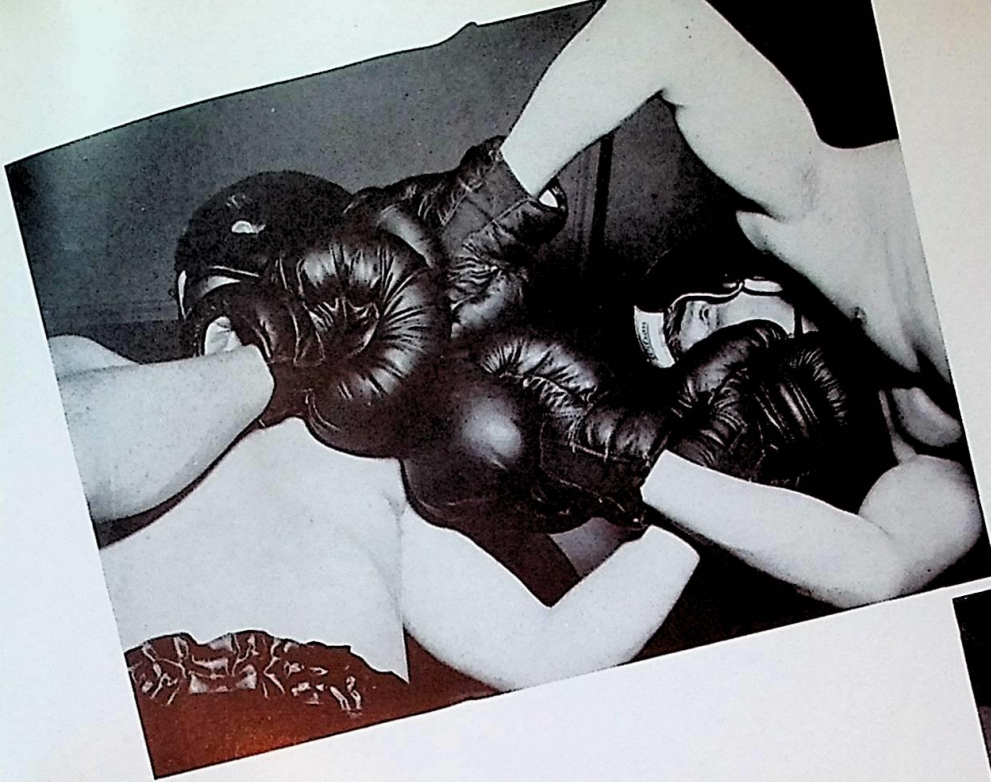
NEW POST THEATRE AT FORT WINFIELD SCOTT

From top to bottom and left to right: Fire Station and Barracks, Fort Barry; Battery D building, 18th C. A.; Battery N building, Sixth C. A.; Battery A building, Sixth C. A.; Battery F building, 18th C. A.; and Battery F, Sixth C. A., building. Each building includes dayroom and orderly room.

LIVING QUARTERS



Sports

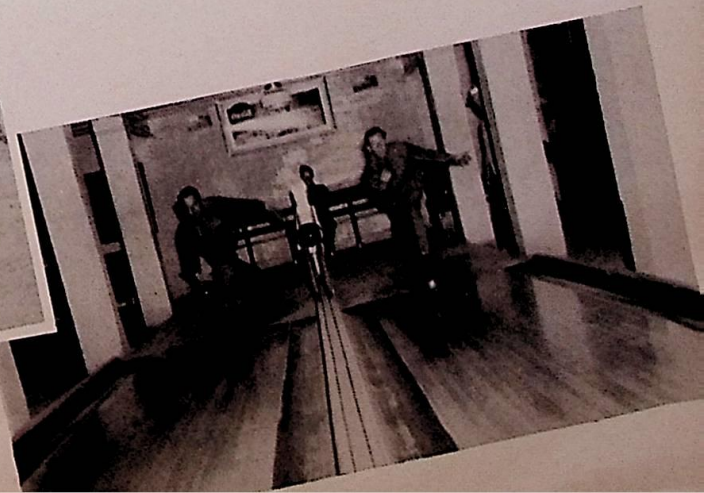


Athletic activities for the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco are under the jurisdiction of an Athletic Officer who, in turn, is assisted by military and civilian supervisors to insure full opportunity for every officer and enlisted man to enjoy some type of athletic activity.

However, there is considerable activity in intra-mural athletics, competition being carried on between the various Batteries in baseball, softball, basketball, volleyball, ping pong, horseshoes and bowling with an occasional boxing and wrestling show to please the patrons of the square circle.

Facilities for indulging in all of the above sports are provided by the command and competent coaches are engaged for the Post teams. A well equipped gymnasium is located at Fort Winfield Scott which also boasts fine bowling alleys.

The inter-battery competitions are all supervised by the Athletic Officer, the competition arousing considerable interest among the members of the command with considerable rivalry between the batteries for the various championships. Rewards are presented to the winners of the various titles.

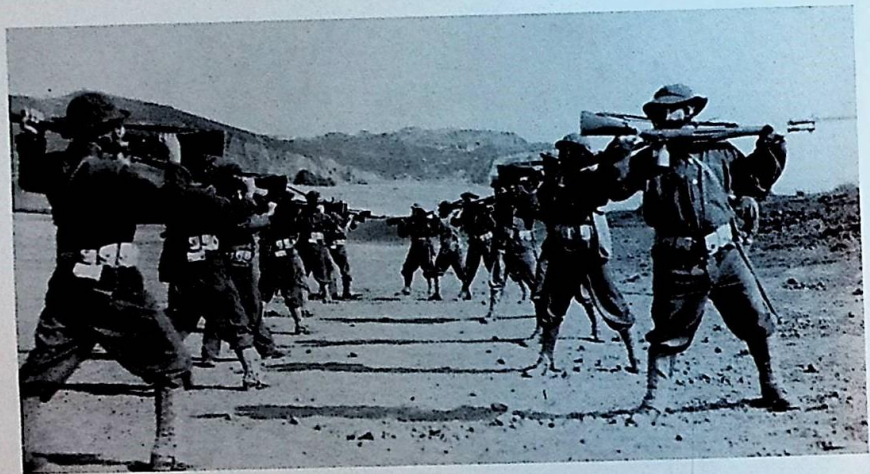




Searchlights of the Sixth Coast Artillery

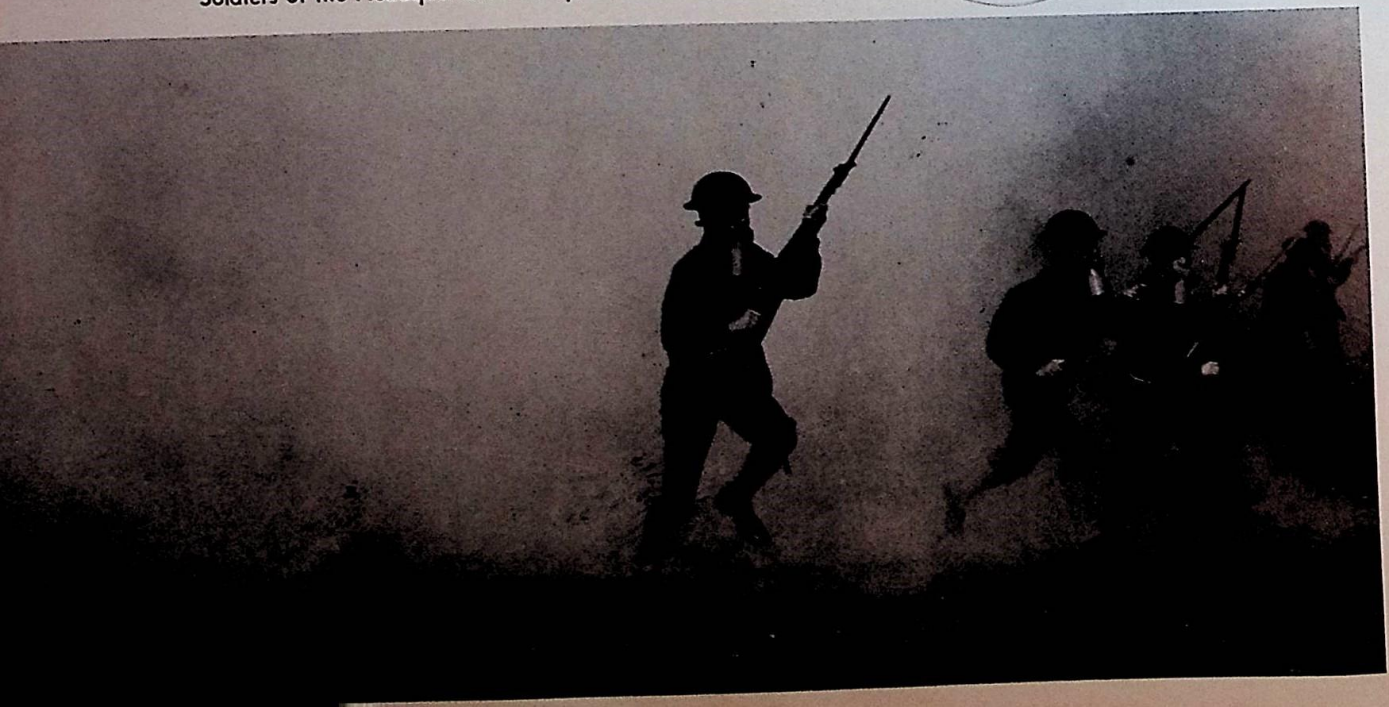
Bayonet Practice

The Third Battalion of the Sixth Coast Artillery drills in hand-to-hand combat.



Chemical Warfare

Soldiers of the Headquarters Battery, 56th Coast Artillery, charge through a gas barrage.



SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



HARBOR DEFENSES OF
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HEADQUARTERS SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY

FORT WINFIELD SCOTT, CALIFORNIA



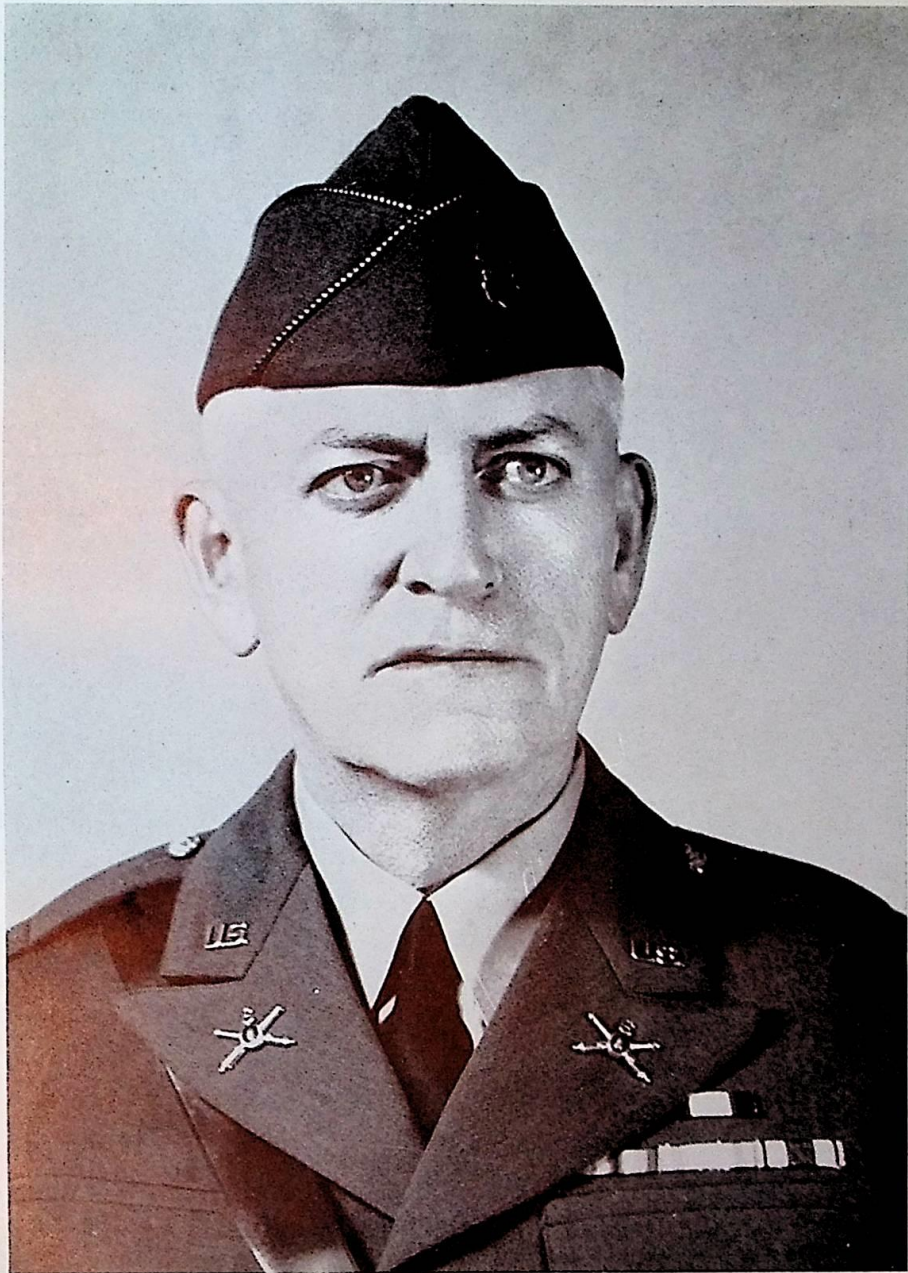
The Sixth Coast Artillery is the very foundation stone upon which the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco have been built, and these defenses are the most vital of all those located upon our Pacific Seaboard. It behooves us then, to make certain that we are the most firm, dependable, key organization upon which our defenses could rest.

Our true efficiency depends upon three great factors: thorough training, superior leadership and efficient equipment. In the present emergency every man must himself become perfect in his part of the training. Every officer must develop and inspire others with the spirit of leadership. Every item of our extensive equipment must be understood and employed at its maximum efficiency. The regiment can and must become so well trained and so self confident as to welcome immediate battle. And battle efficiency is the only true test of the value of any military organization.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karl F. Baldwin".

Colonel, C. A. C.,
Commanding.



Colonel Karl F. Baldwin was born in Iowa, March 12, 1885. He is a graduate of the Army War College, the Command and General Staff School and the Coast Artillery School, Advanced Course. He also holds degrees of B.S. and A.M. from Norwich University, Vermont. He was awarded with the Distinguished Service Medal for especially meritorious and distinguished service while serving as military attache at Tokyo, Japan. (Non-Federal Service—Captain, Field Artillery, Vermont National Guard, June 27, 1907, to June 18, 1908). Second Lieutenant, Coast Artillery Corps, September 4, 1908; accepted, September 11, 1908; First Lieutenant, July 1, 1909; Captain, July 1, 1916; Major (temporary) February 25, 1918, to October 2, 1918; Major, July 1, 1920; Bureau of Insular Affairs, June 20, 1932; Lieutenant Colonel, October 1, 1932; Bureau of Insular Affairs, August 27, 1935; Colonel, July 1, 1937.

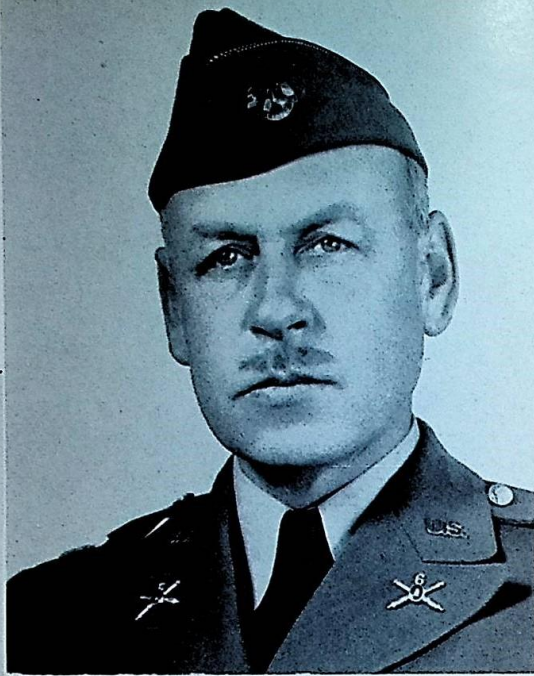
KARL F. BALDWIN

COLONEL

Commanding Sixth Coast Artillery



HEADQUARTERS SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER
FORT WINFIELD SCOTT CALIFORNIA



CARL S. DONEY
Lieutenant Colonel
Executive Officer

The 6th Regiment of Artillery became a part of the United States Army in March 1898. Through a succession of Military movements beginning in June 1898, through the Spanish American War, the Philippine Insurrections, the San Francisco Earthquake and Fire of 1906, into the World War, and up to the present time the record of the 6th Coast Artillery, as it is now known, has always been one of the highest, one that we can point to with pride.

The background of our historic Regiment should be an inspiration for all of us fortunate enough to be assigned to it for duty, and it is hoped that the fine record of the 6th Coast Artillery will be still further enhanced by the service which we render.

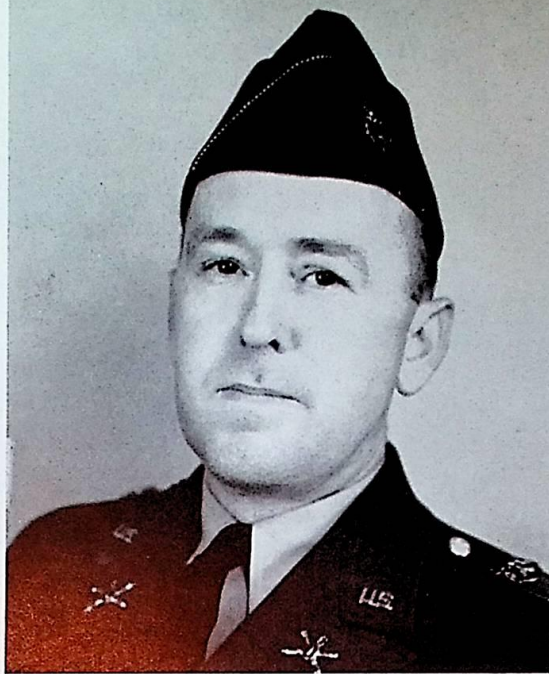
To the Officers and men in the 6th Coast Artillery I extend best wishes for success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'C. S. Doney'. The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

C. S. DONEY,
Lt. Colonel, C.A.C.,
Commanding.

This letter was written by Lieutenant Colonel C. S. Doney just prior to his being relieved from command of the Sixth Coast Artillery to become Executive Officer, Harbor Defenses of San Francisco.



JOE E. SIMMONS
Major
Adjutant



JACK R. LEHMKUHL
Captain
Assistant Adjutant

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY STAFF



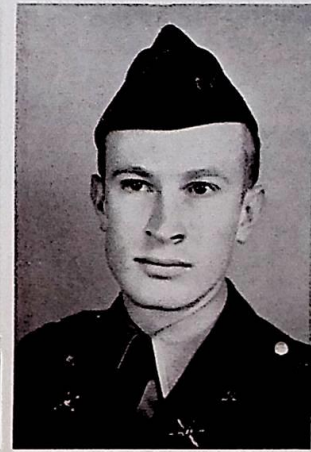
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Plans and Training Officer



ROGER W. CHICKERING
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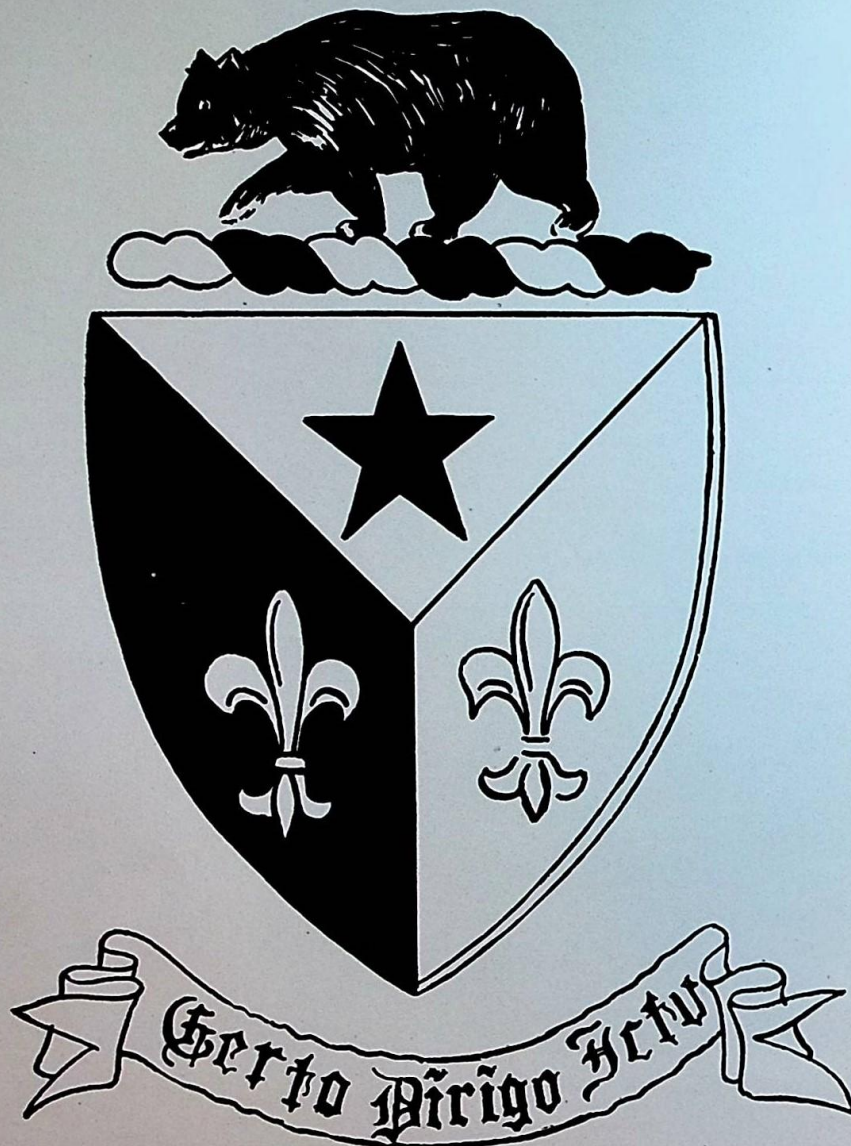


HOMER H. ELLIOTT
Captain
Chaplain

THEODORE J. HATTON
First Lieutenant
Assistant Chaplain



C O A T O F A R M S



BLAZONRY

SHIELD: Parti per pairle argent, gules and azure, in chief a mullet of five points of the second, and in fess debased two fleurs-de-lis, or,

CREST: On a wreath argent, and gules a grizzly bear, passant; sable langued gules.

MOTTO: Certo Dirigo Ictu "I aim with a sure blow."

DESCRIPTION

The field of the shield consists of the flag of the Philippine Insurgents (except the stars and sun of Katipunan, which are omitted) and shows the first campaign of the regiment. In chief is a five pointed mullet (star) taken from the device omitted, to show the number of engagements of Battery "E" in this campaign. It is made red for war and also for the color of artillery. The two

fleurs-de-lis denote the war history of the two organizations that saw service in France. The crest, the California Bear, is taken from that of the old Coast Defenses of San Francisco. The distinctive insignia worn by the personnel of the regiment consists only of the crest and motto of the coat of arms.

HISTORY OF THE SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY

The Sixth Regiment of Coast Artillery, like most of the regiments of the Regular Army, was created in the face of a national emergency. The battleship "Maine" having been sunk in Havana Harbor in February, 1898, the country at large was incensed, and clamored for war with Spain. Congress acted a little less than a month after the disaster by authorizing, on March 8, the organization of two regiments of Artillery, the Fifth and Sixth.

When the Sixth Regiment of Artillery was organized, its headquarters were at Fort McHenry and its first regimental commander was Colonel E. B. Williston. It was originally composed of twelve batteries of the Field Artillery type. Such organizations were common at the time, as there was no distinction between artillery organizations other than heavy and light. It was at a later date that the reorganization of the military establishment segregated the heavy and light units, calling the former the Coast Artillery and the latter Field Artillery. For the present, therefore, this regiment must be referred to, not as the Sixth Coast Artillery, but simply as the Sixth Artillery.

In March, 1899, Congress further increased the strength of the Sixth Regiment by the addition of two batteries, N and O, thus bringing the number up to fourteen.

Although the regiment was organized primarily for service in the approaching war with Spain, when the conflict did come in April, 1898, it was not sent to the front in Cuba. On the contrary, with the exception of the two light batteries D and G, it was kept in the United States until April of the following year. The light batteries were more fortunate in being sent to the Philippine Islands in August, 1898, the former taking part in the operations in Luzon, while Battery G was detailed to duty on the Island of Iloilo.

Early in 1899, with the treaty of peace safely but narrowly through the Senate, and with the Philippine Islands on our hands, a bona fide possession, Congress slowly awakened to the fact that we must do something to pacify the wild country and bring the natives under some semblance of law and order. A concentration of forces in that quarter was therefore begun. Among the first regiments to be ordered over seas was the Sixth Artillery. Three batteries, A, L, and K, sailed from

San Francisco on April 12, 1899, for Honolulu, where Battery A was destined to stay until May, 1904. Just eight days after the embarkation of the three mentioned batteries the remainder of the command sailed for the Philippines, where two batteries had already performed notable service. The transport reached Manila on May 18, and the regiment took charge of the city.

The duties of the various organizations in the islands were of a diverse nature—fighting was required upon occasion, and at other times simply guard duty was to be performed. Upon arrival in the Islands, the regimental commander, General Williston, was designated provost marshal general of the Manila District, and his command became the provost guard. In this connection it may be noted that it did much to stabilize activities generally and restore order among the militant Insurrectos and civilian population.

On January 6, 1900, Battery E took a conspicuous part in an engagement near Binang and won the praise of the higher commanders. January 6 is still observed in the regiment as a day of commemoration in honor of the valor of the men who fought in that engagement.

On May 8, 1900, Battery M was detached from the regiment and ordered back to the United States for duty at Fort Monroe, Virginia. The remaining batteries on duty in the Philippines stayed there until October 28, 1901. On that date all except Battery N returned to the United States. The latter organization was left at Corregidor.

Upon arrival in San Francisco, Batteries A, B, F, H, I, and K took station at the Presidio of that city; Batteries C, E, and O were sent to Puget Sound, Washington, and Battery L took station at Fort Baker, California.

It was in this year, 1901, that the regimental organization of the artillery corps was discontinued. The heavy batteries became companies of Coast Artillery, numerically designated while the light batteries became units of Field Artillery. From this time until the readoption of the regimental organization in 1924, therefore, there is no history of the Sixth Regiment as a unit. The record must be sought in the annals of the various companies.

The period from 1901 to 1907—when the next reorganization was effected—was one of unimportance so far as military activity is concerned. The batteries of

the old Sixth Regiment, wherever stationed, performed in the main, garrison duties. The Sixth which had originally taken station at the Presidio of San Francisco upon their return from the Philippines, continued to live at that post, going to Fort Winfield Scott for artillery drills and target practice. The personnel was used for manning the guns in the Coast Defenses of the city.

During the earthquake and fire of 1906, all of the companies on duty with the San Francisco defenses assisted the local authorities in restoring order and in relief work.

An act of Congress of January 25, 1907, separated the Coast and Field Artillery completely. This did not affect the status of the several numerically designated companies, of course, which had been batteries of the Sixth Regiment, except that they came under a separate central control. It did, however, preclude the possibility of the two light batteries ever becoming a part of the regiment again, for the old Batteries D and G, which had been designated the 12th and 13th Batteries of Field Artillery in 1901, became under this reorganization, lettered batteries of Field Artillery regiments, which they have remained since. Old Battery D is now Battery C, First Field Artillery, and old Battery G is now Battery E, Fifth Field Artillery.

In June, 1912, the new barracks at Fort Winfield Scott were completed and the Coast Artillery companies at the Presidio of San Francisco moved into the new post, which was designated as Headquarters of the Coast Defenses of San Francisco.

On January 1, 1913, Old Battery L, then the 68th Company, Coast Artillery Corps, left its station at Fort Baker, California, for Honolulu. Later it took station at Fort Kamehameha as part of the Coast Defenses of the Island of Oahu.

In 1914, the same organization won the Knox Trophy for excellence in Coast Artillery target practice.

In April, 1914, Old Battery B, which was then the 61st Company, Coast Artillery Corps, was ordered to San Diego, California, for patrol duty along the Mexican border. It remained on this duty, which was not without its hazards at the time, until August of the same year, when it returned to the Coast Defenses of San Francisco.

During the World War, the 61st and 67th Companies, which had been Batteries B and K respectively of the Old Sixth Regiment served in France as Batteries C and B of the First Anti-Aircraft Battalion. The 67th Company, or Old Battery K, served with distinction in

the St. Mihiel drive and in the Meuse-Argonne offensive, and was credited with bringing down nine German planes. This same Battery, now again Battery K, Sixth Coast Artillery, is stationed at present at Fort Baker, California.

None of the other companies reached France during the War, although three of them, as a part of the 40th Artillery, Coast Artillery Corps, a war-time designation under a 1917 reorganization had been assembled at Camp Upton, New York, preparatory to sailing when the Armistice brought about the cessation of hostilities.

In 1924, another reorganization of the Army was effected, and the Coast Artillery Corps became simply the Coast Artillery Branch of the service, composed of numerically designated regiments. To form the Sixth Coast Artillery, all but three of the organizations which had constituted the original Sixth Regiment of the Artillery were brought into one unit. The original Batteries D and G, which were organized in 1898 as light batteries, were of course, left with their respective Field Artillery Regiments, and Old Battery N, which was organized in 1899 was lost to the 65th Coast Artillery in Panama, and is now the Service Battery of that Regiment. Old Battery O became Headquarters Battery in the new regiment, and Old Batteries L and N became respectively Batteries D and G in the new regiment to replace the two original light batteries. The remaining lettered batteries now have the same designation in the new regiment as they had in the old.

In 1938, only four batteries of the regiment were active: Headquarters Battery and Batteries A, E, and K, Regimental Headquarters, Headquarters Battery, and Batteries A and E were stationed at Fort Winfield Scott, California, and Battery K was at Fort Baker, California. The personnel of these batteries were assigned to the fixed anti-aircraft guns and to the mine defenses of San Francisco.

At the present time there are seventeen active batteries, all fully manned. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery are located at Fort Winfield Scott. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery of the First and Third Battalions, together with Battery A, are also located at Fort Winfield Scott with Batteries B and C at Fort Funston. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery of the Second Battalion, together with Battery F are located at Fort Baker, with Battery D at Fort Riley and Batteries E and G at Fort Cronkhite. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery of the Fourth Battalion, together with Batteries H, I, K, L and M, are located at Fort Barry with Battery N at Fort Winfield Scott.

Personnel

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



FORT WINFIELD SCOTT

FORT FUNSTON

FORT BAKER

FORT BARRY

FORT MILEY

FORT CRONKHITE



HARBOR DEFENSES OF

SAN FRANCISCO

1941



ROSS MacLEAD
Captain
Trial Judge Advocate



HERBERT S. JACOBS
Captain
Commanding Officer



JOHN R. FRIBORG
First Lieutenant
Supply Officer



MILLER RYAN
First Lieutenant
Executive Officer



WILLIAM W. WHITESIDES
Second Lieutenant

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY *Sixth Coast Artillery*



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Master Sergeants Allen, Warren E., Ninth C. A. District; Epstein, Louis; Foulk, Frank H.

SECOND Row: Master Sergeant Jackman, M. S.; First Sergeant Rains, William; Technical Sergeant Huff, Dock A.; Staff Sergeants Anderson, Carl R.; Packman, Samuel L.

THIRD Row: Staff Sergeants Smith, John D.; Spaulding, Lovell S., Jr., Ninth C. A. District; Stoll, Herman H.; Sergeants Bevans, Curtis J.; Chapman, Edwin M.

FOURTH Row: Sergeants Gilstrap, Arthur H.; Henrikson, Forrest J.; McNutt, Lawrence H., Jr., Ninth C. A. District; Mullins, Curtis T.; Oles, Paul F.

FIFTH Row: Sergeant Williams, Horace G.; Corporals Frye, Alex A.; Hale, George C.; Kahles, Walter; O'Brien, Glenn E.

SIXTH Row: Corporals Samples, Emory C.; Warner, Roy; Willing, Raymond J.



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Addleman, Clarence F.; Coleman, Edson; English, John C.; Gerdwagen, George; Howarth, Harold; Jackson, Jack E.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Kemp, Harry S.; Landis, John F.; Litman, Albert; Marshall, John W.; Monise, John L.; Noble, Delmar G.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Polasky, Raymond J.; Quigley, James A.; Rosick, Walter P.; Sams, Weldon P.; Vaughn, John F.; Wojacky, Joseph.

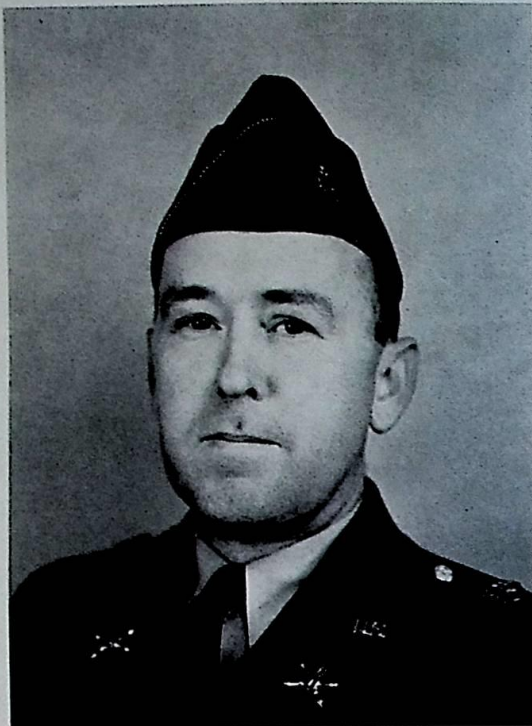
FOURTH ROW: Privates Auger, Thomas E.; Benvenutt, J. H.; Cervelli, Renato V.; Sergeant Evan, Oscar L.; Privates Gains, William G.; Guard, Ross.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Halverson, Alvin L.; Hill, George E.; Hoffman, Walter H.; McDowell, F.; O'Brien, R. C.; Pikes, John N.

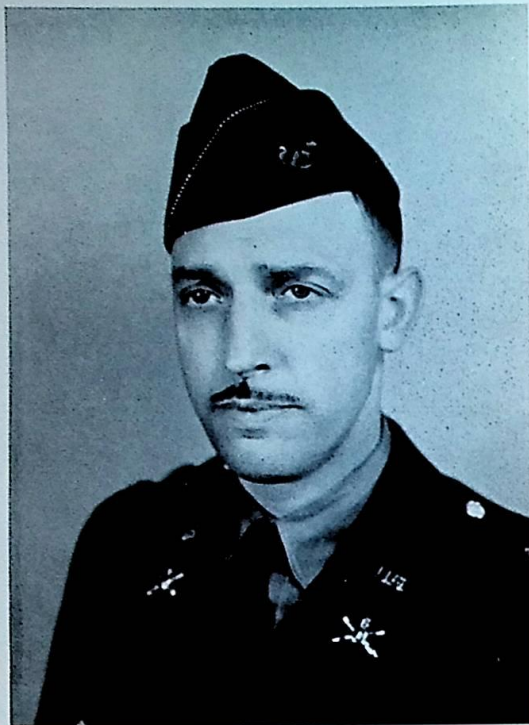
SIXTH ROW: Privates Price, William R.; Proctor, J. S.; Rosher, Jack W.; Sloan, Grover C.; Whitsett, Jack M.; Young, J. P.

SEVENTH ROW: Sergeant Ashcraft, C. W.; Private First Class Fitzsimmons, M. W.; Private Troen, G. D.





JOE F. SIMMONS
Major
Commanding Officer, First Battalion



FELIX M. USIS
Lieutenant Colonel
Mine Commander

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

First Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

GEORGE J. BEDFORD
Captain
Formerly Commanding Headquarters
Battery

DONALD A. DALY
First Lieutenant
Commanding Officer

HAROLD V. PELETZ
Second Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

FIRST BATTALION

*Sixth Coast
Artillery*



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Bolduc, Louis D.; Staff Sergeant Clayton, Wilson B.; Sergeants Conant, William C.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Wilson, John C.; Corporals Chapman, Cecil G.; Collins, Lloyd R.; Haag, Donald V.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Johanson, William J.; Neves, Manuel; Roasa, Hubert L.; Sullivan, John J.



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Corporal Carpenter, Gordon E.; Privates First Class Dolan, Thomas C.; Jackson, Jim; Kator, Edward L.; Kuzma, T. J.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Schlee, William V.; Schwartz, Maurice J.; Sergeant Seay, Dexter L.; Private First Class Vandemergle, Kenneth W.; Private Adair, Willie B.

THIRD ROW: Privates Arenberg, Melvin H.; Barley, James R.; Private First Class Barrett, Robert L.; Privates Becker, Joseph; Beekman, Albert O.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Beeman, Orice R.; Bender, Robert N.; Beutel, Howard A.; Bravine, William D.; Brechtelsbauer, Otto J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Bristow, Almer S.; Bruser, Wilbur J.; Bukovchik, George; Connors, Stuart N.; Cieszynski, Adam A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Corteville, Richard L.; Coughlin, Edward J.; Cambray, Joseph; Davis, Russell R.; DeLuna, Enrique.



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

First Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Dey, Clayton L.; Sergeant Ellis, T. T.; Privates Everson, Glen R.; Flohr, Harry W.; Geier, Robert B.; Greengard, Jay J.



SECOND ROW: Privates Hurley, Joseph H.; Hynes, Charles W.; Jacobson, Nels D.; Karns, Willard M.; Keyes, William S.; Kleekamp, Louis D.



THIRD ROW: Privates Kletnick, Frederick; Kramer, Alex; Leonard, Robert R.; Mikos, Theodore S.; Mills, Charles E.; Miskiewicz, Walter W.



FOURTH ROW: Privates Molnar, Simon P.; Moskowitz, Louis; Corporal Neilson, John L.; Privates Pickhardt, John R.; Pietrosz, Charles K.; Rich, Daniel L.



FIFTH ROW: Privates Shea, William L.; Sheehan, Daniel P.; Smafield, Gordon; Small, Samuel J.; Spears, Paul; Spafford, Harry R.



SIXTH ROW: Privates Stack, Dennis J.; Stein, Morris; Trout, Lloyd B.; Ulicni, Michael G.; Corporal Warren, Robert E.; Private Williams, Howard R.





THE SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY BAND IN ACTION

B A N D

Sixth Coast Artillery



WILLIAM J. HERSHENOW
Warrant Officer

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Technical Sergeant Gsell, Konrad M.; First Sergeant O'Neil, Fred M.; Corporals Razdoroff, Peter; Vitzeny, E. J.; Private First Class Bates, Kenneth.

SECOND Row: Privates First Class Bush, Richard F.; Craine, Kenneth N.; Garza, Cevera S.; Ghilardi, Leo; Giannini, Angelo.

THIRD Row: Privates First Class Hill, Joseph M.; Hogerty, John N.; LaBaree, John L.; Martin, Julian B.; Miller, Robert L.

FOURTH Row: Privates First Class Perry, Edward J.; Pugit, Anthony J.; Vitalis, Aurelio D.; Weber, Oscar; Wright, Franklin P.

FIFTH Row: Private First Class Winslow, Leslie B.; Privates Buroker, Bernard A.; Gorman, Thomas D.; Hines, Albert J.

SIXTH Row: Corporal Crapo, W. W.; Privates Berkson, K.; Hawkins, K.; Jolseth, M. S.; Pacian, R. M.



OREN SWAIN
Captain
Mine Property Officer



MANDLE J. MIERBACH
First Lieutenant



DAVID C. BOTTING
Second Lieutenant



RALPH H. COURTNEY
Second Lieutenant



JAMES L. HENNESSY
Second Lieutenant



FRANCIS A. LIWSKI
Captain
Commanding Officer

BATTERY A

Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Anderson, Edwin C.; Technical Sergeant Mulzet, Alfred A.; Sergeants Carlton, Thomas; Dollar, Lewis O.; Gaudry, Charles A.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Hellrung, Norbert D.; Krause, Claude T.; Millard, Allan L.; Ollis, Horton W.; Ryall, Wilfred E.

THIRD ROW: Sergeants Smith, Lyle A.; Waldo, Frank E.; Williams, Gayle L.; Wykert, George C.; Corporal Cabral, Vernon A., Jr.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Cottrell, Norman H.; Cox, Grover C.; Cummisky, James F.; Korb, Russell E.; Lenz, Robert C.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Mundkowsky, Walter W.; Patterson, Byron W.; Wilmer, James W.; Wynne, Henry M., Jr.; Yount, Arthur E.





JOHN F. AAMODT, JR.
First Lieutenant

ROBERT W. HEY
First Lieutenant

BATTERY A

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Benton, Archie B.; Bullard, Gerald D.; Cook, Leon V.; Cunningham, Earl; Curtis, Warren F.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Dussault, Marcel F.; Fox, James W.; Giuffreda, Mike P.; Green, Henry L.; Harmon, Frederick E.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Hopper, Alton E.; Jernigan, Jesse L.; Marino, Frank F.; McCorkle, Elmer V.; McNish, Victor D.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Moore, Harry J.; Moore, Richard; Oller, William C.; Tillman, Wilson P.; Wagner, Robert T.

FIFTH ROW: Private First Class Zapletal, Ernest; Privates Amie, Warren F.; Birch, Francis J.; Bishop, Clare L.; Bradbury, Lorin F.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Brothers, Carl C.; Cano, Tony; Cantwell, Robert R.; Capurso, Richard J.; Chestnut, Leonard A.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Clayton, Charles N.; Eachus, Dean C.; Finney, Dick C.; Fitzpatrick, Philip; Ftacek, Thomas E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Ireland, George G.; LaFollette, Ona D.; McCain, Eugene B.; Peterson, Boyden S.; Price, Jule T.

NINTH ROW: Privates Root, Kenneth C.; Samansky, Mearle E.; Sanders, Clarence W.; Schleier, Donn F.; Siebenbrumer, Arthur G.

TENTH ROW: Privates Smith, Charles O.; Swinburne, Sheldon J.; Whiteside, Forrest V.; Williams, Thomas L.; Wojcik, Frank P.



JOHN H. DODSON
Second Lieutenant



CLARENCE E. GUSHURST
Second Lieutenant



GLEN F. JOHNSON
Second Lieutenant



LEE W. LARSON
Second Lieutenant



HARRISON SPAULDING PAYNE
Second Lieutenant



RICHARD R. MOORMAN
Captain
Commanding Officer

BATTERY B

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Zarko, John; Staff Sergeant Janiec, Walter; Sergeants Bachmeier, Ignatius; Blevins, Charles L.; Jones, Samuel L.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Novak, John F.; Pearce, Elmer C.; Plumb, Oliver; Rader, Henry I.; Shebesta, Emil N.

THIRD ROW: Sergeant Zamzow, Lester A.; Corporals Burke, Thomas E.; Eibert, George; Johnson, Melvin A.; Jordan, William H.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Lager, August J.; McKinney, Raymond G.; Monahan, Bernard B.; Walker, Robert D.



B A T T E R Y B

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)



FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Allgrove, Wallace A.; Brown, Jessie B.; Burks, Cecil F.; Graden, Willard F.; Henderson, Glenn D.



SECOND ROW: Privates First Class King, William A.; McBride, James H.; McCallum, Frank J.; Newsom, James M.; O'Connor, Harold A., Jr.



THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Otte, David A.; Renensland, Howard H.; Salzwedel, Harry R.; Schepens, Henry L.; Smith, Erasmus R.



FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Stapleton, James P.; Stejskal, John S.; Stejskal, Lester M.; Stewart, Robert M.; Sutton, Robert H.



FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Tune, Melbern R.; Webb, Floyd W.; Privates Adoree, Aloysius J.; Berg, Ray N.; Berg, Stanley W.



SIXTH ROW: Privates Boyd, John H., Jr.; Burke, Milo A.; Clark, Merrel A.; Conner, William R.; Deffenbaugh, Jacob R.

BATTERY B

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Denney, Edward C.; De Vos, Maynard L.; Fowler, James R.

SECOND ROW: Privates Gannucci, Samuel G.; Gerber, Joseph; Grochol, Albert C., Jr.; Havlik, John; Horaney, William T.

THIRD ROW: Privates Johnson, Robert D.; Johnson, Rudolph V.; Junroe, Leonard L.; Kilian, Joseph J.; Kramer, Hans T.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Kramer, John W.; Kuechler, Reinhold E.; Lueninghoener, Ralph E.; Maas, Joseph A.; Marksteiner, Norman F.

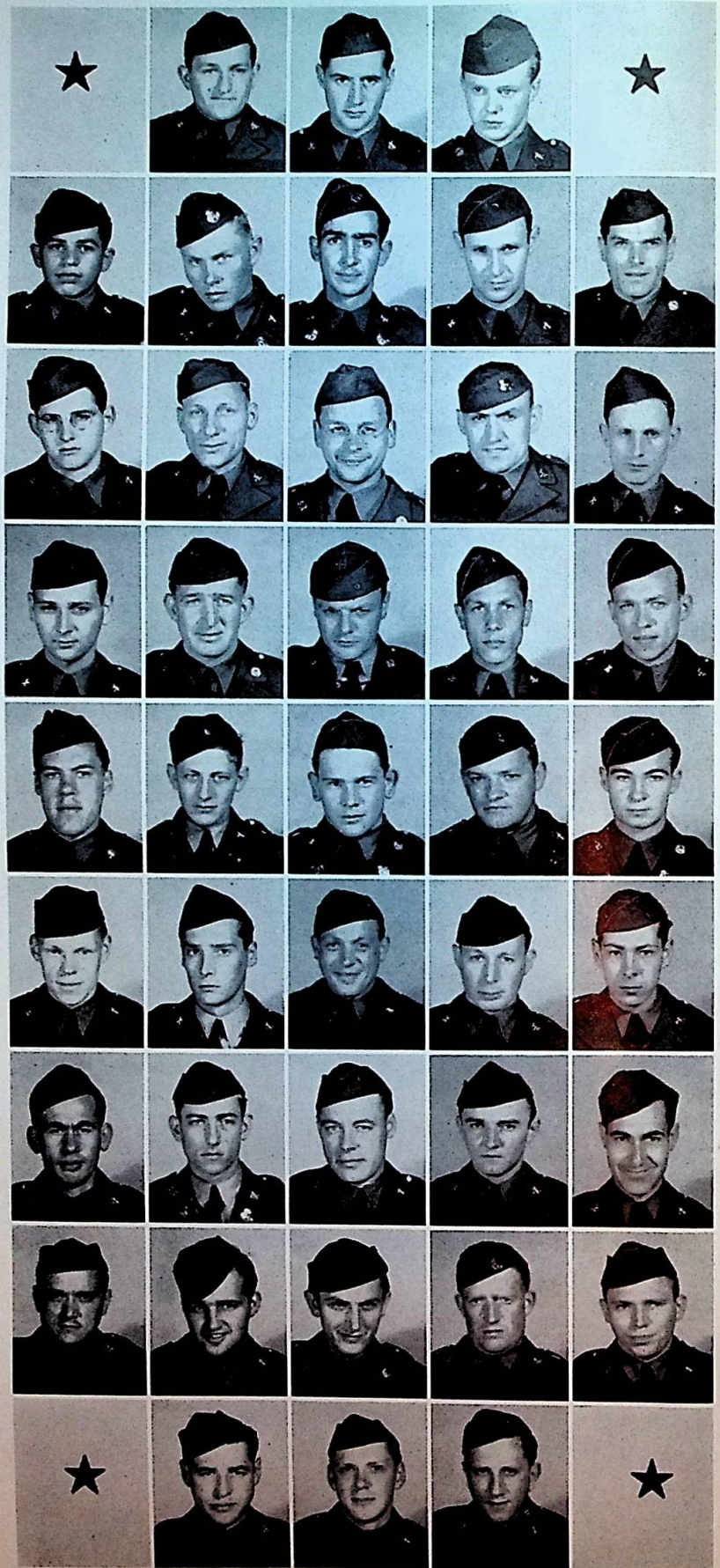
FIFTH ROW: Privates Melbye, Gustave G.; Meyerfeld, James H.; Norris, Eugene W.; Pacana, John J.; Pack, Stirling D.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Pearson, Eric W.; Pre-cour, Elmer P.; Preim, Kurt E.; Prestel, George M.; Quick, Herbert E.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Ray, Clyde, Reece, Albert C.; Rindfleisch, Walter F.; Rusek, Chester F.; Sauve, Joseph T.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Schimelfening, Aloysius P.; Shales, Robert E.; Trush, Walter B.; Welch, Louis J.; Williams, Edward L.

NINTH ROW: Privates Wilson, David T.; Zinder, Paul P.; Zukowski, Thaddeus J.

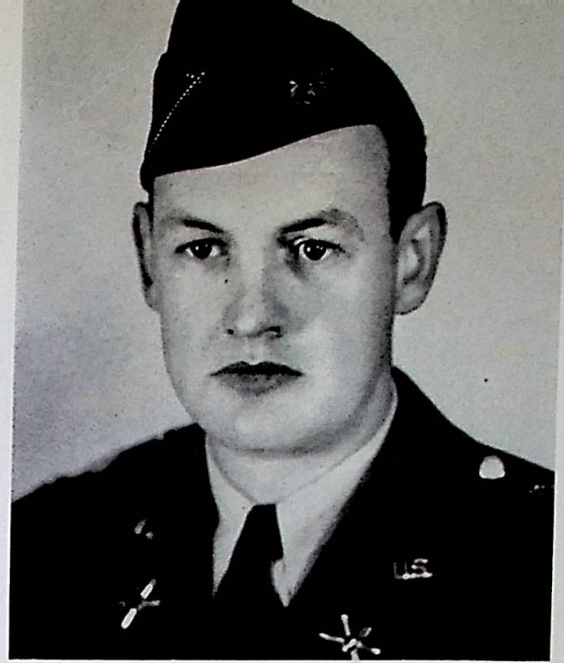




THOMAS P. TURNER
First Lieutenant



CHARLES R. BIRKOLM
Second Lieutenant



JOSEPH N. COLE
Major
Commanding Officer

BATTERY C, Sixth Coast Artillery



ARTHUR KRAMER
Captain



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Rose, Arthur E.; Staff Sergeants Brower, Charles E.; Geddis, W. M.; Sergeants Arthofer, Joseph F.; Clabaugh, Richard C.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Henneberg, Robert E.; Horne, Lloyd E.; McElroy, Buford M.; Simmons, Arville; Wagner, Louis M.

THIRD ROW: Sergeants Wertz, Clifford J.; Wickland, Donald J.; Williams, Willis S.; Corporals Byron, Emmett R.; England, Albert J.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Hampton, Walter D., Jr.; Jackson, Coleman J.; Maier, John G.; McGough, Thomas J.; Sergeant Peters, George T.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Schaum, Richard H.; Thompson, Randall A.; Sergeant Wallace, Wilford J.; Corporal Zachacki, Anthony, Jr.

BATTERY C

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



KENNETH COOPER
Second Lieutenant



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Davidson, Robert N.; Eder, William M.; Farver, Ernest E.; Finney, Cecil E.; Floyd, Robert L.

SECOND ROW: Privates Fowler, DeVerle P.; Freeman, Gordon C.; Gavrun, Mike G.; Grossenbacher, Clarence E.; Hart, John R.

THIRD ROW: Privates Horton, Kern C.; Howland, Cecil L.; Johnson, Russell E.; Karpa, William W.; Kroske, Walter W.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Larson, John S.; LaVilla, Anthony; Lear, Jack J.; Leavitt, Verl E.; Lee, Robert E.

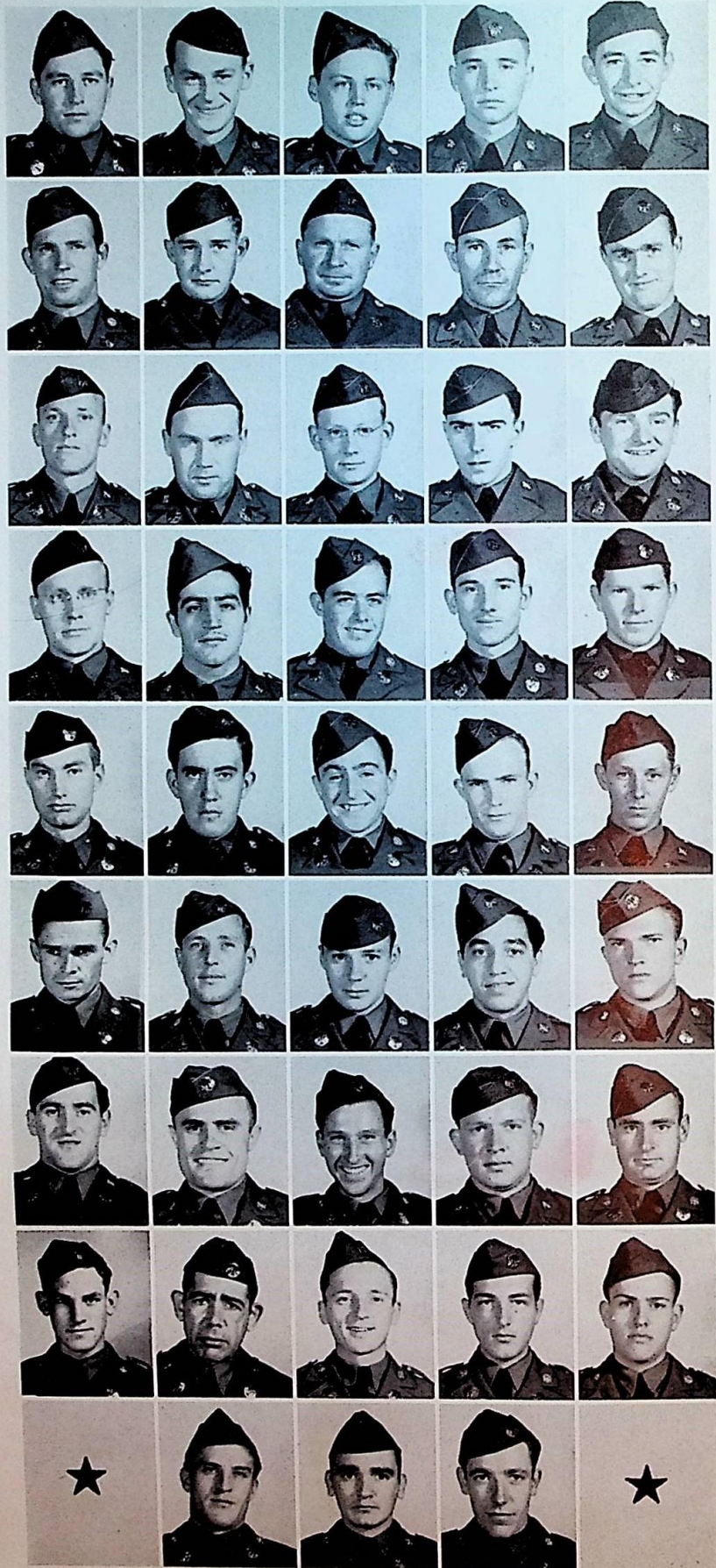
FIFTH ROW: Privates Leitch, Wilfred D.; Lewis, Richard J.; Lunardoni, Santo A.; Mabray, John A.; McConnell, Kermit B.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Mitchell, Charles J.; Mitchell, Oscar L.; Nelson, Henry; Palazzo, Jasper; Respass, Langley N.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Schatz, Meyer; Sirotti, Andrew J.; Stott, Homer L.; Tabor, Edward J.; Templemire, James W.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Tinsley, Calvin G.; Till, Lawrence E.; Toth, Bert; Trammel, James E.; Turl, Elwyn C.

NINTH ROW: Privates Tussey, Nin U.; Whitt, Clifford S.; Winsor, Earl.



BATTERY C

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Berger, Lester L.; Castleberry, Everette E.; Currey, Walter W.; Davis, Charles A.; Fleming, Lloyd M.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Foster, Harold W.; Glenney, Donald; Graybeal, William W.; Hamric, Elton L.; Harbick, Louis E.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Heavey, Glenn F.; Hiles, William E.; Hopkins, Flavel S.; Hughes, Vernon D.; Johnson, Floyd D.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Klute, Dennis D.; Marine, Leonard H.; Mastromarino, Anthony R.; McQuiston, Denver E.; Mejack, Alex M.

FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Mortimer, Wren W.; Porter, James I.; Stamburger, J. B.; Shaw, Kenneth P.; Stephenson, Eugene F.

SIXTH ROW: Privates First Class Strom, Delbert; Utt, Paul E.; Wagner, Carl T.; Weber, Lyle R.; Wells, Wayne E.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Amundson, Harold E.; Avery, Carroll G.; Balentine, D. T.; Barwick, Ernest M.; Batchelder, Rexford C.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Bates, Stuart E.; Bean, Jerome J.; Beck, Robert J.; Bond, John W.; Cablk, John.

NINTH ROW: Privates Campensa, Hubert T.; Chase, Lenard C.; Coates, Harry T.; Curran, Lester W.; Dailey, Cecil E.





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JOHN H. FONVIELLE
Major
Commanding Officer, Second Battalion

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Second Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

WAYNE B. GARFF
First Lieutenant
Commanding Headquarters Battery



STEVEN ARONSON
Second Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Second Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeants Weitzel, Theodore B.; Williams, Irvin C.; Staff Sergeant Jemison, Philip E.; Sergeant Hale, Billy O.; Corporal Aguiar, George A.

SECOND ROW: Corporals Dougherty, William J.; Estes, Fletcher L.; Moore, Charles E.; Privates First Class Hickman, Leslie M.; Jones, Earl D.

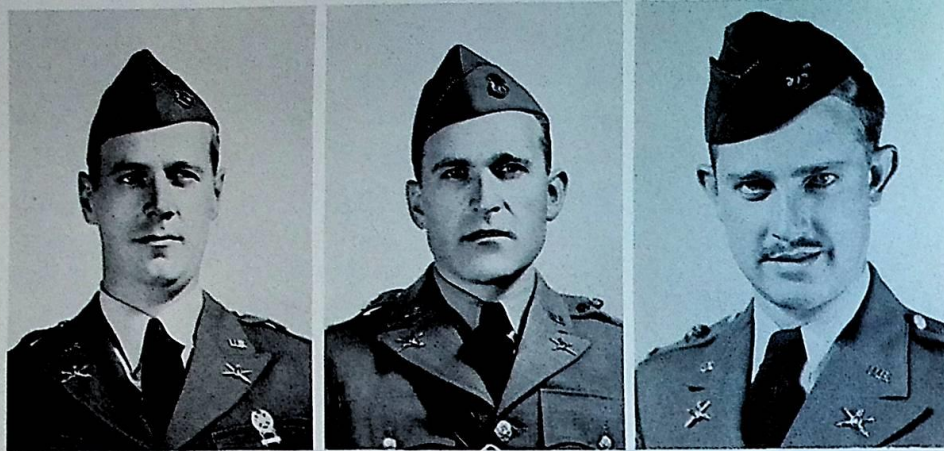
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FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Fuller, Mort R.; Fullerton, Maurice A.; Gaertner, Harry L.; Galsky, Stanley E.; Gannon, Norman J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Gatta, Crispino; Giolda, Sylvester L.; Glomski, Arthur R.; Goheen, Joseph H. Gosney, Wilbur.

SIXTH ROW: Privates First Class Gregus, John M.; Grembowski, Frank S.; Hayth, Harry; Skinkle, George E.; Smith, S.





JOHN SCHONHER
Captain
Commanding Officer

MALCOLM L. BERRY
First Lieutenant

BOYD H. PULIEY
First Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y D

Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Staff Sergeant Mathews, Ludwig L.; Sergeants Bricker, Alvon M.; Rider, Charles H., Jr.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Root, James W.; Vermillion, Edwin; Corporals Armstrong, Randle C.; Gates, James B.; Lybarger, Clyde J.

THIRD Row: Corporal Olive, Robert H., Jr.; Privates First Class Bode, Kenneth D.; Simpson, Arvil E.





BATTERY D

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Arredondo, John O.; Michalski, Walter F.; Misiuk, Harry G.; Moskal, Joseph A.; Munz, Charles G.; Myatt, Leonard.

SECOND ROW: Privates Nacarato, Albert; Neely, Raymond L.; Neuman, Carl A.; Neumeyer, Burton C.; Novacoski, Edward W.; O'Brien, Leonard F.

THIRD ROW: Privates Ochala, Joseph J.; Oliver, Ernest J.; Orlick, Louis R.; Ostyn, Albert C.; Palkovich, Rudolph P.; Parks, William G.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Partyka, Joseph A.; Paskiewicz, Anthony L.; Payton, Marlin C.; Pearson, George H.; Peterson, Nordahl; Pfefferle, Robert F.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Philopulos, George A.; Pinkowski, Edward J.; Plaskewicz, Edward A.; Poskus, Peter; Pratt, Ralph A.; Pursley, Arthur J.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Rankin, Wallace H.; Ratkos, Henry J.; Reed, George W.; Reger, Laurence S.; Reif, Harold A.; Reinowski, Thaddeus A.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Remer, Edward; Rennie, Hubert; Richardson, Douglas G.; Rodenbach, Henry E.; Rodriguez, Percy A.; Rogers, Neil K.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Rohac, Robert L.; Romeo, Dominic V.; Rosinski, Jim J.; Rozewski, Frederick F.; Rupp, William K.; Rusnak, John.

NINTH ROW: Privates Russo, Anthony V.; Sanderson, Robert E.; Saracino, Peter J.; Scheipline, Carl O.; Schmid, Donald E.; Schmidt, William P.

BATTERY D

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Schoof, Alfred E.; Schonrock, John P.; Schwab, Harold M.; Scott, Ralph E.

SECOND ROW: Privates Sendacki, John J.; Shaw, Charles E.; Sheffer, B. R.; Sheppard, Paul E.; Sielinski, John; Siladi, Charles.

THIRD ROW: Privates Simons, Howard C.; Skedd, William O.; Slezak, Steven; Smith, Orvil F.; Smith, Walter H.; Smith, William P.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Sosnowski, Paul M.; Spillan, William D.; Stahl, Carl W.; Steele, Dean L.; Stevenson, Weldon J.; Stiehl, Robert D.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Sulewski, Edward S.; Sulski, Leo A.; Suszek, Edward J.; Swarbrick, Herbert A.; Sydlak, Adam; Tatroe, Melvin C.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Temkin, Milton; Tomczak, Aloisius L.; Topolewski, Casmere S.; Ulicki, Leonard A.; Urchel, Robert P.; Usndek, Arnold S.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Venegas, Theodore; Voelker, Donald; Voikides, Vasil T.; Wampler, Junior P.; Warren, Douglas S.; Wasilewski, Anthony J.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Weinshenker, Paul H.; Weise, Frank L.; Welch, Harold J.; White, Edward H.; Wick, Howard; Williams, Robert.

NINTH ROW: Privates Wisniewski, William K.; Wittenberg, Alton S.; Wolford, Herbert R.; Woock, Melvin F.; Wujkowski, Roman A.; Wyman, Charles E., Jr.

TENTH ROW: Privates Year, Jan C.; Yetter, Erhart M.; Zevchak, Peter; Zielke, Frederick A.; Ziomek, Joseph; Zreliak, Emil D.





HOWARD F. KLEY
Captain
Commanding Officer



WALTER C. DeBILL
Captain
Adjutant



JOHN P. HINES
First Lieutenant



IVAN M. TEUSCHER
First Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: First Sergeant Somers, Edgar S.; Sergeants Autry, Eugene; Boswell, Lester R.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Helms, Howard C.; Johnston, Paul B., Jr.; Rider, Glenn W.; Taylor, Clifford B.; Van Frank, James D.

THIRD Row: Corporals Allen, Hershel; Arnold, Deane L.; Bothwell, Donon I.; Hanson, Gerald R.; Hanson, Lloyd H.

FOURTH Row: Corporals McRae, William C.; Penzkofer, Claire B.; Smye, Alvin E.; Waddel, Crockett C.

B A T T E R Y E

Sixth Coast Artillery



PRESTON B. CANNADY
Second Lieutenant

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Bigelow, Thomas R.; Eskue, James C.; Foster, Walter C.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Gardner, A. G.; Garrison, Warren O.; Krause, Elmer O.; Thomas, Frederick; Williams, James W.

THIRD ROW: Privates Adkins, Paul M.; Angus, John B.; Barrett, Wayne C.; Beer, George, Jr.; Bennett, Lee W.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Bennett, William; Bernwinkler, John J.; Bettis, Jack F.; Butler, George D.; Dollings, Arthur B.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Elder, Ilon E.; Entler, Gordon E.; Erdman, Walter; Hopkins, Joseph A.; Irvin, Robert L.

SIXTH ROW: Privates James, Gay R.; Jansen, Francis A.; Johnson, William E.; Jones, Harold; Jurgens, John J.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Karpinecz, John; Keeling, Homer M.; Keyes, William; Landowski, Joe; Larios, Juan B.



B A T T E R Y E

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Lopez, Concepcion A.;
MacMillan, William E., Jr.; Mariner, Willis G.

SECOND ROW: Privates Martino, Battista; Mc-
Clure, George L.; McComber, Edgar A.; Mitchell,
Chlorus L.; Nafziger, Glenn A.

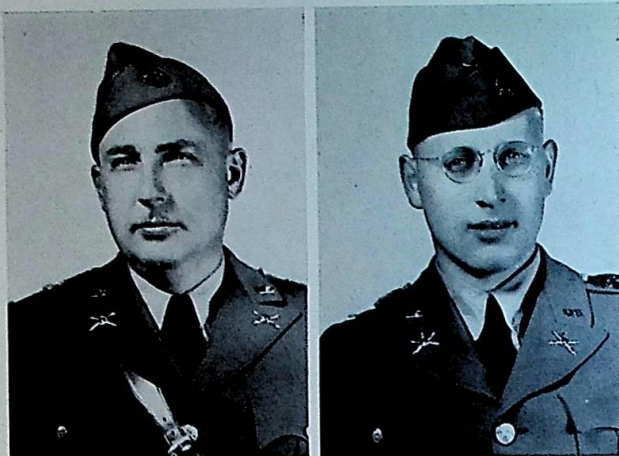
THIRD ROW: Privates Nunez, Paul J.; Palmer,
Richard J.; Parham, Charles N., Jr.; Parker,
Frederic W.; Pescatore, Glenn R.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Provost, Harold Q.;
Quinn, Thomas J.; Rarick, Cletus; Reetz, Law-
rence A.; Repec, Flory.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Sanders, Carl E.; Sand-
ers, Clair L.; Schick, Irvin; Schreiber, Frank P.;
Stathas, William G.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Streeter, Wilbur H.;
Thorpe, Conard; Tornuff, Stewart; Turner,
Donald T.; Van Dorpe, Howard R.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Wagner, Elmer C.;
Weatherford, Hommer B.; Wilson, Robert D.;
Wise, Jack A.; Yager, Dart H.



CHARLES L. BELL
Captain
Commanding Officer

MYRON G. CLIMENSON
First Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y F

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Sergeants Hackbarth, Leo F.; Lindfore, Gunnar F.; Moore, Francis J.; Nickell, Flem H.; Ostrowski, Thomas.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Polak, Benjamin E.; Ryan, Gerald J.; Sincich, Kenneth; Slowik, Joseph; Wilson, Victor L.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Adcock, Louis S.; Atkinson, J. C.; Coleman, Carl L.; Crane, James G.; Piller, Robert W.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Rainey, George W.; Roark, Carl F.; Schlitt, Ronald J.; Stark, Ralph H.; Winter, Dean S.



BATTERY F

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates First Class Ballard, Aubrey W.; Barnes, Edward; Belin, Jabe C.; Burns, Walter W.; Burns, Woodrow W.; Davis, Arthur J.

SECOND Row: Privates First Class Gale, Aaron L.; Harrison, Elmer M.; Hill, Rayburn; Kimbrue, Emerson P.; Leeper, Joseph H., Jr.; Lopez, Arturo.

THIRD Row: Privates First Class Martin, Earl R.; Bailey, Dean H.; Barrett, Arthur L.; Privates Benson, Russell L.; Berlogar, Frank, Jr.; Bilskey, Richard I.

FOURTH Row: Privates Davis, Emerald W.; Doherty, James; Finley, Wagne D.; Flowers, Paul G.; Foster, Benjamin L.; Fuzzell, Jess D.

FIFTH Row: Privates Griffor, Albert W.; Grondalski, Stanley J.; Grossett, Mason B.; Groth, George A.; Grzanka, Harry J.; Guinn, Jack L.

SIXTH Row: Privates Haizel, Rudolph J.; Hall, John; Hall, Marion E.; Harmon, Edward P.; Harrison, James; Hartwig, Herbert W.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Harvey, Lewis E.; Haws, Eugene P.; Hayter, Earl T.; Hengstebeck, Francis J.; Henkel, Harold E.; Henning, George G.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Herrera, Federico L.; Hodgins, William H.; Hogan, Donald P.; Hoffman, Irvin P.; Hollandmoritz, Aaron H.; Hook, Walter.

NINTH Row: Privates Hooven, Edward J.; Hovanec, Vandy F.; Hribar, Frank J.; Humpert, Roy A.; Iverson, Earl C.; Jackson, Henry C.;

BATTERY F

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Jakust, Clifford J.; Jankowski, Walter J.; Jelinek, George J.; Jenison, Chester B.

SECOND ROW: Privates Jiampa, Nicholas A.; Johnson, John H.; Johnston, John J.; Juarez, Robert M.; Jucius, John M.; Juers, Alexander J.

THIRD ROW: Privates Jurusov, Paul G.; Kaczmarek, Arthur; Kajewski, Herman J.; Kanine, Frank J.; Karbowski, Frank S.; Katzman, Milton.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Kavooras, Peter; Kay, Stanley B.; Kayluck, Alfred L.; Keane, Francis J.; Keene, Walter B.; Kelly, Vant H.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Kelsey, Leon D.; Kief, Leon F.; King, Jack H.; Kipfmiller, William E.; Kirk, Eugene S.; Kleinhans, Lawrence R.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Klinger, William H.; Koehn, Walter J.; Kohl, Raymond X.; Kondrat, Michael A.; Korth, John F.; Kotowski, Walter.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Kowalski, Donald D.; Kraatz, Alvin H.; Krcmarik, Joseph B.; Latham, Raymond C.; Lund, W. T.; Monroe, Leslie R.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Morton, David A.; Musick, Peter, Jr.; Pool, Robert E.; Richards, Paul H.; Sanwald, Walter L.; Stelzner, Harry R.

NINTH ROW: Privates Stevens, Albert A.; Tucker, Thomas G.; Walton, James M., Jr.; Watson, Fred O.; Whitaker, Hobart L.





CLARENCE E. ROTHGEB
Major
Commanding Officer, Third Battalion

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Third Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

WILLIAM E. BARKMAN
First Lieutenant
Commanding Headquarters Battery



HOWARD B. HUDIBURG
First Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

THIRD BATTALION, SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Williams, Horace G.; Staff Sergeants Bowers, Harold P.; Orrell, Marvin L.; Sesna, Gerald T.; Sergeant Seay, Dexter L.; Corporal Becker, Joseph.

SECOND ROW: Corporals Mejack, Alex M.; Neilson, John L.; Privates First Class Bruser, Wilbur J.; Hough, William M.; Jackson, Jim; Jones, Daniel W.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Reynolds, Donald V.; Rosentrater, Robert E.; Sadler, Charles R.; Seifert, Victor F.; Privates Fiedler, Oliver; Gouzoules, Peter.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Heller, Raymond A.; Hilmes, John B.; Hopper, Francis M.; Matteucci, Henry; Olson, Charles O.; Osborn, George E.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Owen, Clifford C.; Phillips, Ace C.; Pinske, James; Powers, Ishmael; Rhodes, Lyman; Roman, Vernon A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Rombaugh, Fred A.; Rostad, Norman A.; Sanchez, Maurice; Schenbeck, Richard E.; Schulte, Vernon E.; Schwetzler, Clarence E.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Shapiro, Max I.; Shaw, Ethelbert L.; Shew, James I.; Shimel, George F.; Sjolseth, Milu O.; Stein, Clarence L.





WILLIAM R. HOWDEN
 Captain
 Commanding Officer



GEORGE M. MOORE
 First Lieutenant



B A T T E R Y G

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Clapp, Clarence E.; Sergeants Bowen, David L.; Hampton, Walter D., Jr.; Hummel, Lawrence K.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Lisenby, Tom R.; Rhinehardt, Ben; Corporals Chapman, Cecil G.; Doe, Robert R.; Foster, Harold W.; Krcmarik, Joseph B.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Lawing, Homer H.; LeBoeuf, Joseph A.; Lunardon, Santo A.; Reese, Robert P.; Stephenson, Eugene F.; Tesmar, Edmund L.

B A T T E R Y G

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Albert, Andrew; Beaulieu, Frederick A.; Beebe, Wilbur D.; Bertrand, Harold J.; Bohnstehn, Oscar, Jr.; Conner, Worth C.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class DeLude, George L.; Frye, Raymond; Gregory, Kirby W.; Hollander, Manuel M.; LaBounty, Dale E.; Lockwood, Amos C.

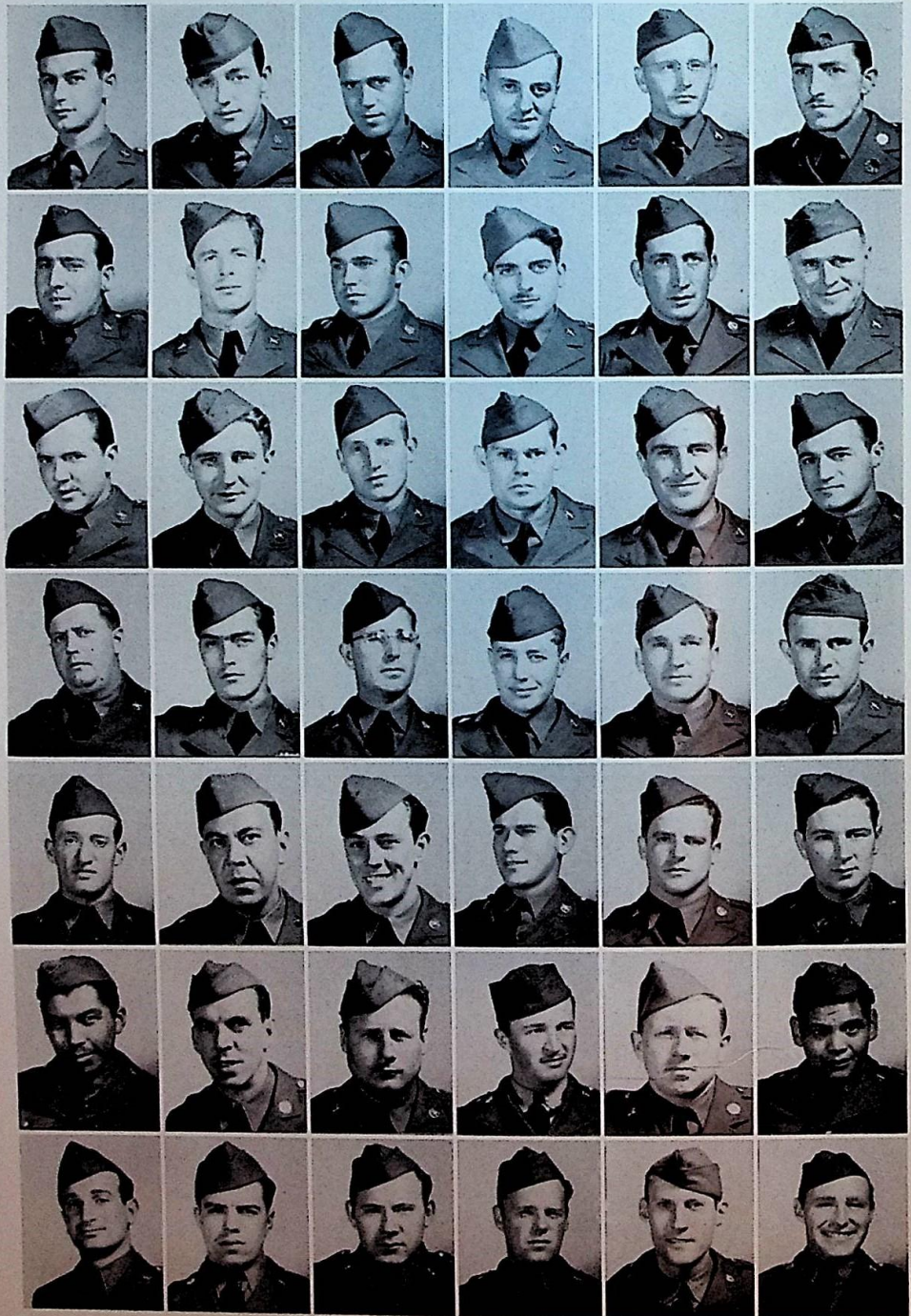
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FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Siechert, Theodore; Strebe, Charles H.; Taylor, Travis B.; Wylie, John H.; Privates Alexander, Alvin F.; Anderson, Theodore.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Baldwin, Meryl C.; Beauchamp, Allen A.; Blastic, L. W.; Brodick, Aloysius F.; Bush, Warnell; Butler, Charles M.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Cabay, Lawrence A.; Carson, Lloyd V.; Carter, Carl C.; Cerney, William C.; Church, Charles M.; Cortez, Trinidad M.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Cutler, Leon; Cwiklinski, Stanley; Cypert, Harold H.; Deurmyer, Richard H.; Dober, Max E.; Downey, Robert H.



B A T T E R Y G

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)



FIRST ROW: Privates Duvigneaud, Harold G.; Eastman, Richard W.; Enser, Eddie L.; Freiburger, Walter A.; Garcia, Ernest M.



SECOND ROW: Privates Goff, Roy A.; Grimes, Francis X.; Harrell, N. S.; Hart, John D.; Johnson, Walter E.



THIRD ROW: Privates Johnson, William F.; Kreighbaum, Ullis G.; Littleton, John R.; Maikr-zek, Henry H.; Maimes, Milton.



FOURTH ROW: Privates Matora, Mike; McDonald, James L.; Mora, Julio A.; Mulhearn, William R.; Narracci, Tony.



FIFTH ROW: Privates Opatkiewicz, Edward A.; Oran, Paul R.; Peters, Roland A.; Peterson, Joseph I.; Pilgrim, James, Jr.



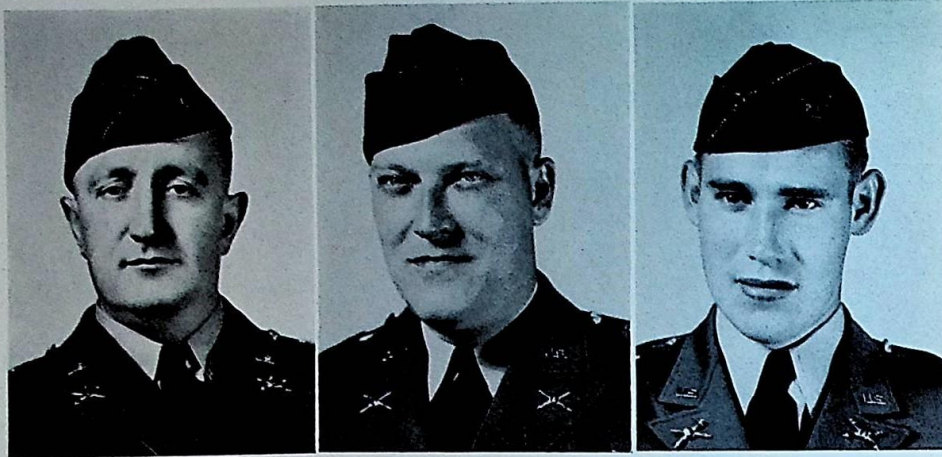
SIXTH ROW: Privates RaZor, Jay F.; Robertson, David W.; Sardisco, Jack; Smigelski, Florian L.; Tait, Irvin J.



SEVENTH ROW: Privates Wade, Lester F.; Walsh, Robert R.; Walz, Robert W.; Weaver, Herbert; Wheeler, William E.



EIGHTH ROW: Privates Whinnery, Marshall G.; Wolfe, Henry L., Jr.; Woodruff, Robert W.; Yablow, Joseph; Zajac, George A.



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FERDINAND J. LAPEYRI
Captain
Commanding Officer

CHARLES A. BROWNE, JR.
First Lieutenant

BERT L. THOMAS
Second Lieutenant

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B A T T E R Y H

Sixth Coast Artillery

FIRST Row: Staff Sergeant McCourt, Curtis G.; Sergeants Johnson, Melvin A.; King, William A.; McIntosh, Spence B.; McKinney, Raymond G.; Newson, James M.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Sutton, Robert H.; Zamzow, Lester A.; Corporals Adams, George D.; Adams, James C.; Carlisle, Curtis B.; Cook, Harry S.

THIRD Row: Corporals Garcia, Robert J.; Greer, Eugene A.; Hiner, Virgil E.; Mouras, Belton P.; Munn, Gleen L.; Smith, Erasmus R.



BATTERY H

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates First Class Anderson, Yuel C.; Bowman, Calvert C.; Fowler, James R.; Ridhtman, William S.; Salzwedel, Harry R.; White, Murdie.

SECOND Row: Privates Abarr, Robert G.; Allard, Kenneth; Arnold, Phillip; Boice, James W.; Bristol, Roebert N.

THIRD Row: Privates Bucuss, James A.; Burgard, Howard E.; Burstall, Jack A.; Condellone, Edward; Contreras, Steven R.

FOURTH Row: Privates Cramer, Keith; Cuchinski, Casmir J.; DeMott, Leland K.; Dunn, Alpheous E.; Dyprey, Oliver J.

FIFTH Row: Privates Dykema, John C.; Eddy, Norman C.; England, Floyd R.; Fisch, Leo G.; Funk, Lawrence D.

SIXTH Row: Privates Gerlach, Howard L.; Ginnett, Earl W.; Gracey, Charles T.; Guinzy, Vincent E.; Hall, James C.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Hamilton, Samuel E.; Hammond, Orrin M.; Happel, Charles; Hardesty, Jacob C.; Haverluck, Paul M.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Heckert, Buford W.; Henry, Norval J.; Hernandez, Tony D.; Holbrook, Henry F.; Hourigan, Harley T.

NINTH Row: Privates Johnson, Elmer G.; Jones, Lexton F.; Jones, Winston R.; Larson, Wendal Q.; Lauridsen, Arnold.



BATTERY H

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Lewis, Joseph; Mann, Bertrand C.; Martin, Cecil; McCaul, Owen R.; Meyers, William R.

SECOND ROW: Privates Minthron, William M.; Monteiro, Harry L.; Montgomery, William M.; Murphy, Robert F.; Murry, Glenn E.

THIRD ROW: Privates Norush, Vitautas B.; Novosel, George P.; O'Leary, William R.; Packer, Dale O.; Pearson, Wilbert H.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Pemberton, Richard W.; Plaster, William F.; Pichel, Clifford E.; Priegel, Sidney; Recker, Ralph G.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Reyes, John L.; Roberts, Max N.; Roberts, William C.; Robertson, William D.; Ryan, Louis A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Sales, Charles F.; Sandberg, Elmo G.; Sanders, Theodore W.; Schroeder, Everett J.; Schubert, Thomas J.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Schultz, Otto G.; Smithson, Shannon; Staats, Gilbert W.; Stillwell, Bruce J.; Taylor, Maurice E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Trevizo, Jesus A.; Trumbo, Ronald J.; Tuck, John M.; Vaughan, George C.; Viniano, Tony.

NINTH ROW: Privates Volz, Paul C.; Wagoner, James L.; Weldon, William U.; Westenhaver, Chester W.; Yates, Benjamin V.





DANIEL G. COOK
Second Lieutenant



FREDERIC C. BLOXOM
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y I

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Smith, Lyle A.; Sergeants Cabral, Vernon H.; Canedo, Fred C.; Cox, Grover C.; Guiffreda, Mike.

Bass, Chester; Benton, Archie B.; Curtis, Galvin C.; Mahnke, Richard L.

SECOND ROW: Sergeant McCorkle, Elmer V.; Corporals

THIRD ROW: Corporals Powell, Frederick D.; Pullen, Leslie E.; Rigby, Joe M.; Sinclair, Glenn D.; Yount, Arthur E.



B A T T E R Y I

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Birch, Francis J.; Butler, Thomas M.; Compton, William J.; Enlow, John L.; Evans, Edward A.; Grinus, Joseph J.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Hewitt, Gilbert K.; Kalmar, Joseph E.; Ledbetter, Paul; Merkle, Cyril J.; Milburn, J. E.; Padgett, Sherman.

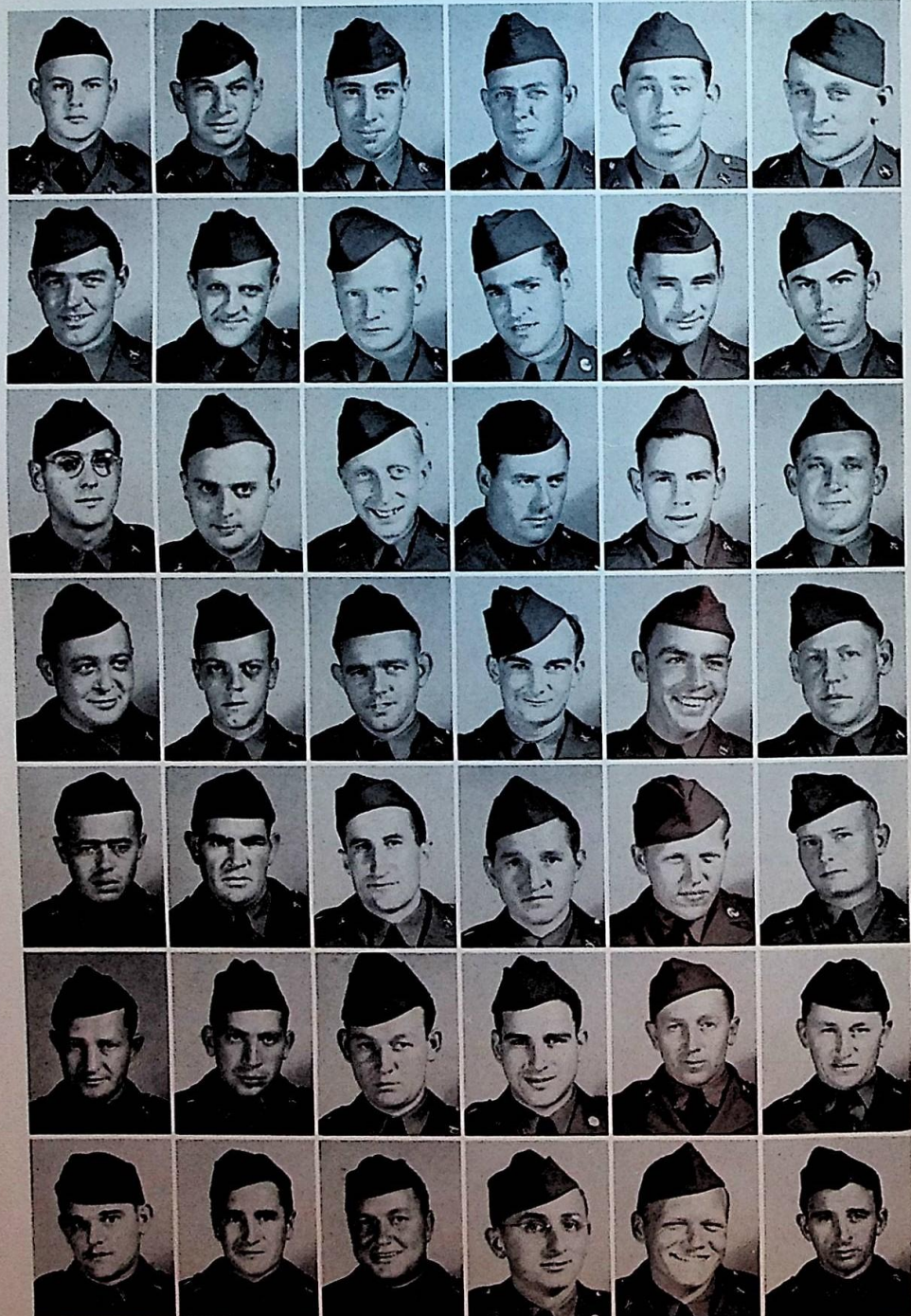
THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Perram, Ross W.; Schneider, Donald J.; Stephens, Stephen C.; Walker, James R.; Wolf, Oscar R.; Private Adams, Walter S.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Baker, Harold E.; Brunner, Joseph A.; Burns, John F.; Cassin, Harry J.; Christman, James E.; Collins, Emmett J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Corner, Floyd F.; Cox, Carl A.; Cox, Clinton; Cygan, Julius J.; Daniels, Charles E.; Diecker, Hugo H.

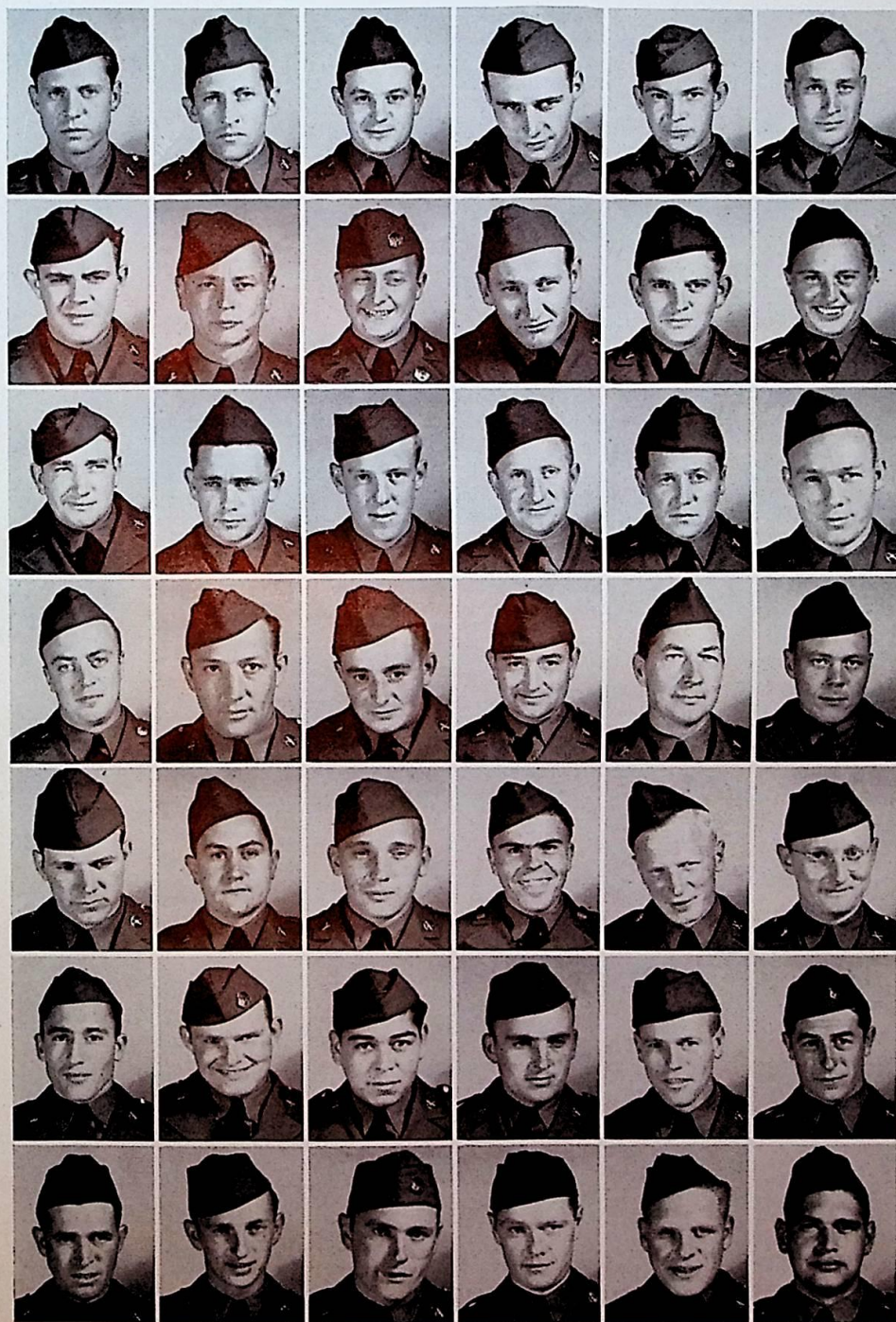
SIXTH ROW: Privates Drogis, Louis; Elam, Maurice B.; Feldt, Adolph J.; Fernandez, Joe; Fox, Louis; Germain, Paul.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Glowacki, Edmund F.; Goudge, Wilbur M.; Green, Daniel M.; Gusewelle, Clarence E.; Haberek, Edmund; Healey, Joseph A.



B A T T E R Y I

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates Hibbard, Norman S.; Hoit, Herbert G.; Howlett, Robert D.; Hund, Ralph A.; Hunt, Franklin T.; Johnson, Roy D.

SECOND Row: Privates Keough, Edward J.; Kestner, Howard E.; Koegler, Everett R.; Kolda, Albert; Krausz, Edwin V.; Kyriss, Marshall.

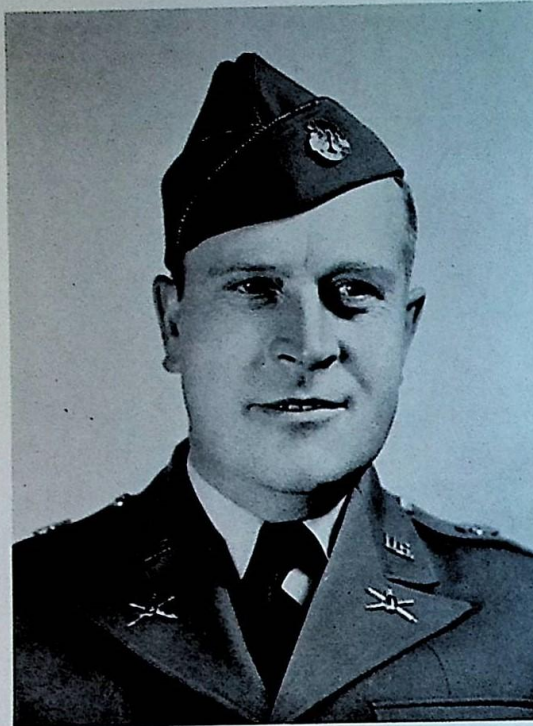
THIRD Row: Privates LaFleur, Richard E.; Langford, Otis R.; Lee, Raymond; Litsell, John R.; Luback, Stanley; Luken, Lowell F.

FOURTH Row: Privates Lung, Harley R.; Martin, Russell E.; Medici, Marie J.; Murdoch, William H.; Nelson, Kiel; Nessler, Harold.

FIFTH Row: Privates Owen, James W.; Pellmann, Herman; Peterman, Joseph T.; Peters, Elmer G.; Peterson, Harry A.; Pranger, Arthur H.

SIXTH Row: Privates Rey, Alfonso F.; Rolek, Francis A.; Romero, Jesus A.; Rote, Nels; Schneider, Edward; Smith, Raymond H.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Spain, Roy W.; Stosky, John; Voelkal, Clyde A.; Walen, Trygve; Werner, Carl L.; Werner, Erwin P.



NOBLE T. HAAKENSEN
Major
Commanding Officer, Fourth Battalion

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Fourth Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

WILLIAM M. BRASHEAR
First Lieutenant
Commanding Headquarters Battery

HOWARD A. COLEMAN
Second Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

Fourth Battalion, Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Countiss, Mark; Sergeants Farrell, Michael; South, Elmer F.; Corporals Andress, Willie S.; Hartman, Charles.

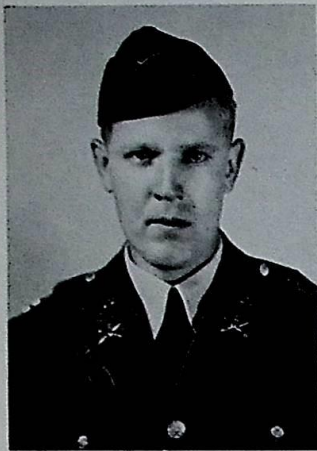
SECOND ROW: Corporals Lewis, John D.; Norris, James L.; Privates First Class Henderson, Robert E.; Tietje, Edward H.; Tull, James E.

THIRD ROW: Privates Ankrom, Russell C.; Brammer, Herbert R.; Cole, Beverly R.; Dulik, Edward J.; Essad, Theodore T.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Long, Dallas J.; Prather, Claud J.; Scanlon, Maurice P.; Singer, William; Smith, James E.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Taylor, Howard R.; Toth, Michael J.; Tyda, Henry P.





SAMUEL M. McREYNOLDS
Captain
Commanding Officer



LAWRENCE W. BEATY, JR.
Second Lieutenant



ALBERT L. NIEMOLLER
Second Lieutenant



FREDERIC L. STRUM
Second Lieutenant

BATTERY K

Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Sergeants Brandt, Carl E.; McIntosh, Spence B.; Ramore, George L.; Shivery, George W.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Swanson, Eric W.; Thompson, Charles R.; Corporals Cullins, Garland G.; Cutrone, Peter.

THIRD Row: Corporals Feldman, Benjamin; Geyer, Robert G.; Smith, William A.; Spaid, Roy L.; Sergeant Carpenter, Forrest D.



B A T T E R Y K

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates First Class Covington, Marshall; Jones, John L.; LaFevre, Clarence R.; Lillibridge, Herbert E.; Littler, Joe W.

SECOND Row: Privates First Class Pedigo, Clarence C.; Riddle, Gorman; Williams, James C.; Privates Blakely, Eugene L.; Christian, Victor C.

THIRD Row: Privates Doering, Harold W.; Durham, Benjamin F.; Fuqua, Raymond D.; Krahwinkel, Michael; Krawczak, Casmier J.

FOURTH Row: Privates Kueker, Herman L. M.; Kushion, Alexander; Kuszajewski, Ignace J.; Kuzak, Ernest; Lamphere, Donald E.

FIFTH Row: Privates Lane, Otto B.; Lange, Ellis S.; Larson, Wayne I.; Lash, Michael T.; Laska, Stanley J.

SIXTH Row: Privates Laskowski, Louis F.; Lehmann, Robert V.; Leonard, Edward J.; Leonard, William M.; Lewandowski, John M.

BATTERY K

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Lewis, Joby; Lietzke, Donald H.; Lipczynski, Thaddeus M.; Luplow, Alfred J.; Lynch, William J.

SECOND ROW: Privates Lyon, Carl I.; Lyon, Wiley T.; Maddox, Oliver K.; Magalski, Joseph J.; Mangiapane, Vito.

THIRD ROW: Privates Marrone, Peter R.; Marshall, Earl M.; Marshall, Glenn M.; Martz, Roy W.; Mawzur, Joseph J.

FOURTH ROW: Privates McGinn, Willis C.; McInerney, Clifford N.; McKee, Clyde F.; McKenna, James F.; McKinnell, Robert.

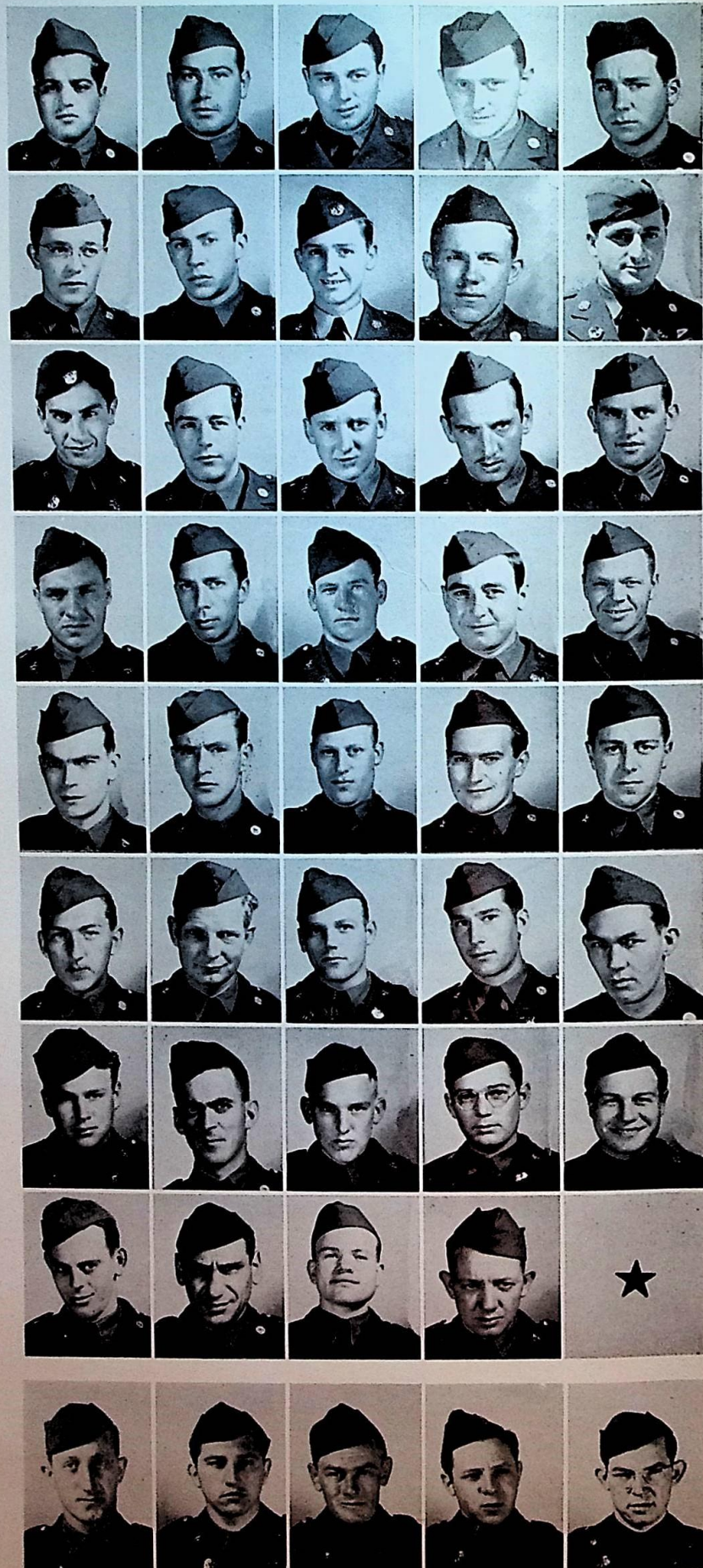
FIFTH ROW: Privates McLuckie, James R.; McNeely, John P.; McNier, Harold P.; McVicar, Donald F.; Meharg, Malcolm G.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Meshinski, Merle G.; Miller, Francis H.; Mischley, Leo J.; Merkle, John W.; Newton, Glen G.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Parsons, Lloyd J.; Rainey, George E.; Salo, Otto A.; Smee, Jay P.; Spitzer, Willis E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Stringer, Leonard O.; Susler, Nathan; Ward, James L.; Williams, Jessie E.

NINTH ROW: Privates Cline, H. R.; Cooper, Billy J.; Ek, Lloyd V.; Kushner, Abraham H.; Leavenworth, Jay J.





SAMUEL WALLACE FISK
Captain
Commanding Officer



FRANK F. WATTERS
First Lieutenant

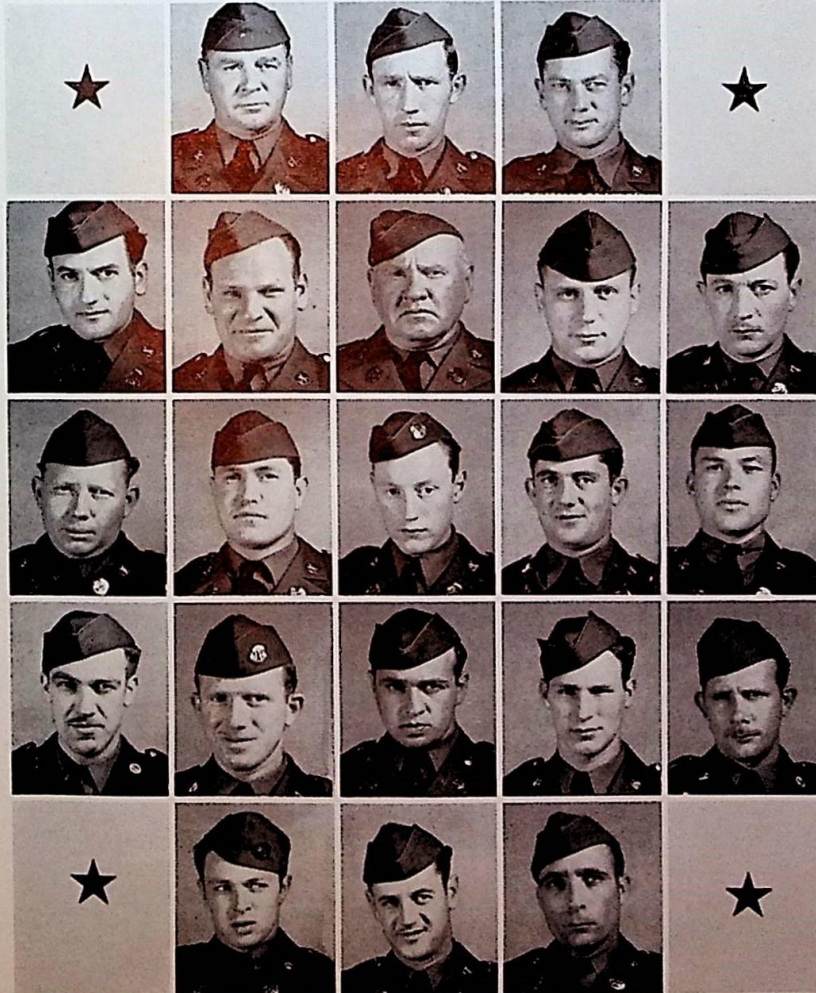


EVERETT H. WARE
Second Lieutenant



B A T T E R Y L

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Mallonee, David W.; Sergeants Bulmer, John C.; Bundy, George T.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Flanders, Merton O.; Krok, John; McShane, Daniel L.; Pechaver, Joe F.; Seelig, Hermann A.

THIRD ROW: Sergeant Wise, Granison W.; Corporals Barger, Foy E.; Blair, William H.; Edwards, Marian; Emerson, Milton R.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Gamble, Thomas B.; Heaney, William J.; Henry, Guy O.; Lydon, Anthony M.; Moran, Edward J.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Ruddock, Richard L.; Striker, Thomas J.; Wilson, Virgil L.

BATTERY L

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Blackwell, Clyde; Briggs, Richard C.; DeBow, Willard C.; Dishian, Fred; Ehling, Adolph J.; Ferman, Robert C.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Fisher, Chester A.; Gerlach, Donald M.; Hargrove, Jess W.; Hatch, George E.; Hewitt, Monte T.; Hidy, Conrad J.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Hildahl, Franklin P.; Hill, Robert W.; Hood, Robert K.; James, Robert C.; Kataline, Steve, Jr.; Laukkanen, Arnold M.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Leach, Lon A.; Madden, John E.; Quesenberry, Wilfred S.; Ruud, Lester G.; Segers, Vernon C.; Tuttle, Walter F.

FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Wallace, Walter D.; Weidt, William H.; Whitaker, Homer G.; Wolfe, Ronald E.; Privates Anderson, Alvin C.; Anderson, Bert O.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Andrus, Brenaird H.; Ashley, Harry D.; Bednarski, Tony C.; Blackman, Alton F.; Bonnell, Nicholas J.; Brazeal, William J.

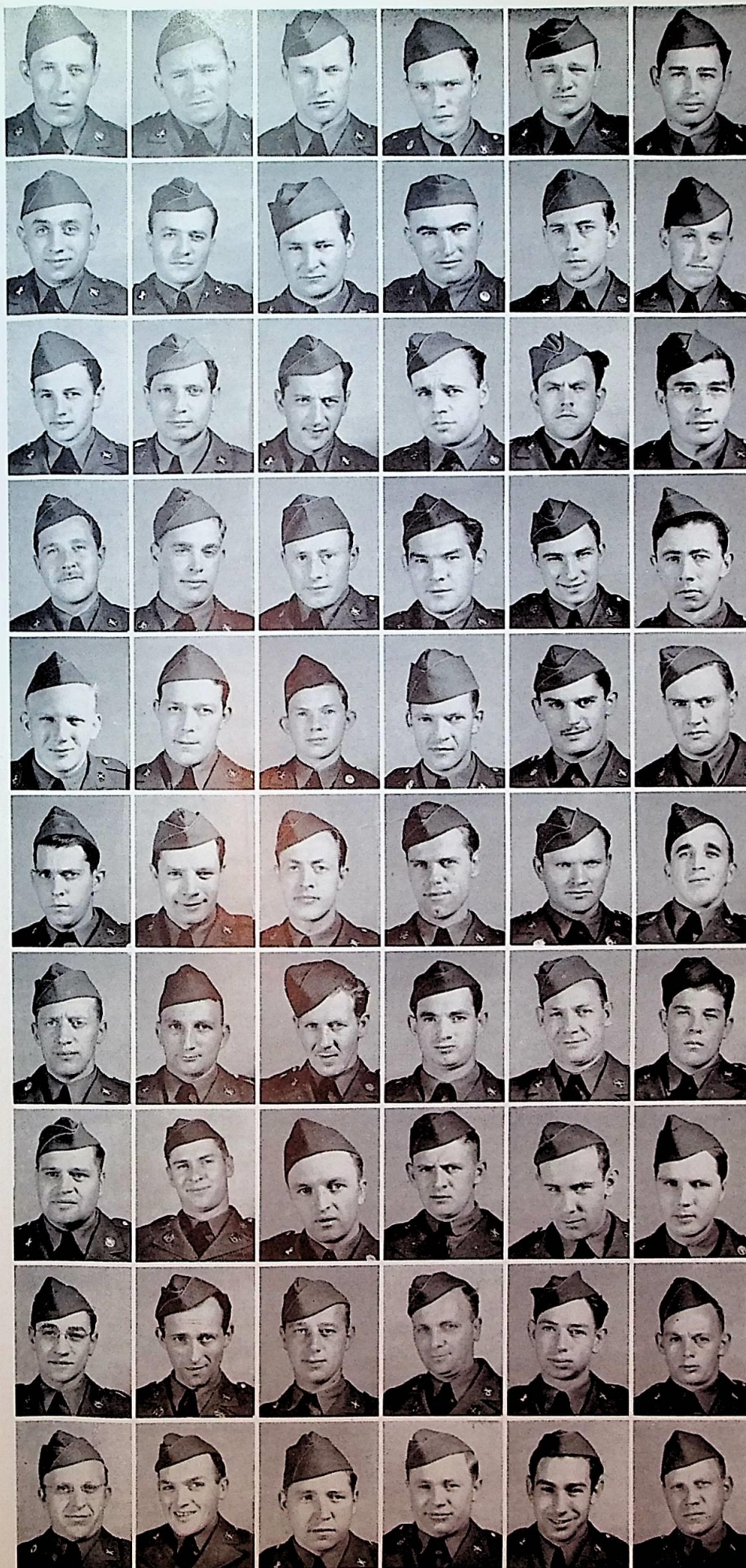
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EIGHTH ROW: Privates Cloutier, Albert J.; Cody, William J.; Corcoran, Robert E.; Cronin, Robert A.; Crystal, William G.; Davis, Elgan A.

NINTH ROW: Privates Dettloff, August J.; Dodd, Eugene C.; Dvorak, Miroslav J.; Fent, Darrell E.; Finout, Guy E., Jr.; Franklin, Joseph L., Jr.

TENTH ROW: Privates Gilbert, Alden W.; Grew, Donald A.; Grosch, Joseph L.; Gurski, Theodore J.; Gutgesell, Arthur A.; Hamilton, Eugene W.





BATTERY L

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Harris, Willard S.; Hartman, William P.; Hicklin, Raymond V.; Hogsten, Ephraim; Hooks, James D.; Horwich, Daniel.

SECOND ROW: Privates Jagiello, Walter W.; Jones, James W.; Kantor, Joseph L.; Keithley, William O.; Keller, Fred; King, George A., Jr.

THIRD ROW: Privates Koch, Harry E.; Krawczyk, John W.; Kwasnick, Alex J.; LaBarge, Clement A.; Lawson, John R.; Lee, Charles R.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Levey, Edward E.; Libonati, Thomas; Lobsinger, John W.; Lochner, James L.; Magryta, Edward L.; Mansfield, John T.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Marcelewski, Mitchell; Martin, Ralph J.; Matson, Donald E.; Matteson, Charles F.; Medich, Peter; Miller, Jenner F.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Mooney, Dallas C.; Muraida, Matt M.; Palmer, William S.; Pinzke, Arthur A.; Pitter, Victor J.; Quick, Harrison W.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Quist, Christian; Russell, Wilbur D.; Severson, William M.; Shanahan, Martin D.; Shunneson, Leonard J.; Smith, Walton E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Sokolowski, Emil J.; Strunk, Jow A.; Taylor, John A.; Thomas, Clarence W.; Tovey, Edward T.; Upton, Bruce A.

NINTH ROW: Privates Vitale, Michael T.; Warren, Martin J., Jr.; Wiegel, Henry; Wilcox, John E.; Wilger, Roy N.; Will, George C.

TENTH ROW: Privates Willecke, Walter; Willey, Franklin E.; Williams, Paul D.; Wolschlager, Clarence A.; Woolcock, Thomas J.; Zalewski, Leo.



ROBERT H. FITZGERALD
Captain
Commanding Officer



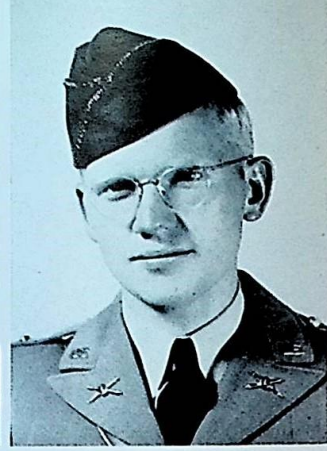
RICHARD HILL
First Lieutenant



ROBERT G. WILHELM
Second Lieutenant



STEWART F. LOEB
Second Lieutenant



EUGENE ROBERTS
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y M

Sixth Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Turner, Jack; Sergeants Adkins, Clodeon; Bably, Vincent.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Baker, William H.; Krebs, Harold; LaSalle, Arvid E.; Sullivan, Thomas J.; Yarbrough, Clint E.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Cordoza, Anthony J.; Nation, Walter E.; Shackelford, Charles W.; Sperry, Joseph, Jr.; Wilson, Eldred C.



B A T T E R Y M

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Butler, Adelbert W.; Carter, Thomas E.; Coley, Thomas O.; Colosimo, Domenico A.; Cowen, Clement H.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Gann, Cecil A.; Gilliam, Lilbern G.; Lanzi, John; Mahnke, Richard L.; Malnar, Michael.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Schlicker, Herbert G.; Simons, Terry; Steffen, James S.; Privates Ambrose, Paul J.; Ancic, Joseph.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Anderson, Wendall J.; Baker, Albert; Beckwith, Kenneth; Bell, Willis H.; Bergman, Per O.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Browne, Richard B.; Bryce, Albert M.; Burke, Andrew C.; Burns, Robert J.; Busch, Albert A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Cholewiak, Alex W.; Cummins, Shirley V.; Dahl, Clarence T.; De-Maria, Julius J.; Erlandson, Claude B.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Fuhlbrugge, Adolph F.; Garvey, Donald J.; Gerger, John J.; Gerkins, David C.; Gray, Harry S.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Gryzbowski, John A.; Haenel, Eugene N.; Halatsis, William A.; Haldane, John C.; Hands, George.

B A T T E R Y M

Sixth Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Hartlieb, Erwin B.; Johnson, Henry L.; Koerber, George H.; Lazowski, Anthony; MacKenzie, Warren C.

SECOND ROW: Privates Maul, Robert; Montoya, Louis; Murphey, Michael F.; Oelschlager, Herman E.; O'Hare, Arthur W.

THIRD ROW: Privates Page, Glen C.; Peterson, Ellsworth W.; Pichey, Victor C.; Plew, Robert L.; Potts, A. B.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Powrie, Stewart M.; Pray, Carl P.; Prielozny, Paul M.; Pullease, John A.; Reading, Clarence N.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Reback, Melvin; Rosenblatt, Marshall R.; Roseinstine, William C.; Shannon, Robert J.; Skrceny, John.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Stephenson, Joseph W.; Tanski, Alexander P.; Taylor, Robert H.; Toth, James W.; Van Paris, Kenneth L.

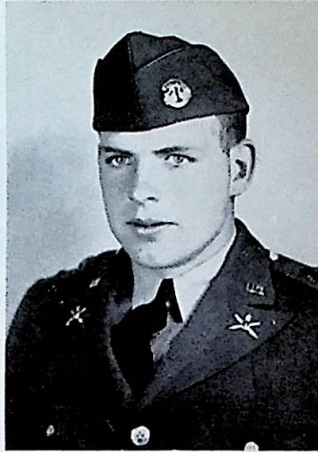
SEVENTH ROW: Privates Vincent, Ernest B.; Wagner, Roy A.; Warnock, John R.; White, Kenneth E.; Whyte, William H.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Williams, Clifford R.; Wilson, William D.; Wood, Chester L.; Zbiciak, Joseph.





JOSEPH R. FISCHEL
First Lieutenant



PAUL V. HANNAH
Second Lieutenant



JOHN A. O'BRIEN
Second Lieutenant



RICHARD B. WALKER
Second Lieutenant

BATTERY N

Sixth Coast Artillery



HARRY R. HALE
Captain
Commanding Officer



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Staff Sergeant Hay, Raymond J.;
Sergeants Gondal, Michael; Heary, William F.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Moore, Clifford O.;
Philpott, William F.; Corporals Brunelle, C. R.;
Cummings, Dale C.; Levy, Robert R.

THIRD Row: Sergeant McGlynn, James J.;
Corporals Pipes, Judd J.; Tabor, Charles E.;
Watts, Robert T.





JOSEPH W. MANUEL
First Lieutenant

BATTERY N

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Anderson, Donald; Davis, William M.; Dixon, Joe D.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Grewe, Eugene F.; Holt, Phillip F.; Jones, Millard G.; Stavisky, Stanley; White, Robert A.

THIRD ROW: Corporal Wilson, Marshall L.; Privates Alguire, Bertrand R.; Bacigal, Joseph T.; Baker, Rex G.; Baker, Vaughn E.

FOURTH ROW: Corporal Barera, Joseph C.; Privates Barnes, Edward E.; Barnum, Harold S.; Bastuk, Nick; Beckman, Ernest J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Belcher, Robert; Bennett, Willis L.; Beougher, Clarence E.; Berry, James F.; Billmeier, Arnold J.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Bischoff, Arthur W.; Bixby, Jac G.; Blehm, Theodore; Bloom, Maurice W.; Bolger, Thomas.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Bomarito, Wesley C.; Bommarito, Anthony M.; Booth, Norbert R.; Borders, Keith D.; Borys, Michael J.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Boyrta, Albert G.; Boyer, Donald B.; Bresnok, John A.; Brzustewicz, Edward S.; Bulmond, Lewis D.

NINTH ROW: Privates Buza, Floyd T.; Cairns, Harry W.; Cantin, Alfred G.; Carpus, Walter A.; Caswell, Alva J.



BATTERY N

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Chamberlain, Leslie L.; Chass, Tom J.; Chetosky, John.

SECOND ROW: Corporal Chlepetto, Stanley; Privates Christopher, Raymond G.; Clair, Michael E.; Clements, Walter J.; Cochran, Fred L.

THIRD ROW: Privates Colasanti, Sebastiano; Convay, George E.; Cornillie, Albert J.; Cortesi, Robert; Cox, Roy L.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Crickon, Donald J.; Cufari, Joseph A.; Corporal Dantzer, Hugh P.; Privates Deming, Joseph; Dill, Herbert H.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Dixon, Paul; Dmochowski, Edward; Docherty, Stephen H.; Dowdey, Carlton L.; Dubay, Edward.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Dumas, Joseph R., Jr.; Eaton, Hurlbert L.; Edson, Floyd D.; Ehlers, William M.; Ellis, William J.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Englehart, Alfred J.; Featherstone, Ralph D.; Flak, John, Jr.; Gaspard, John C.; Gaus, William S.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Harwell, K.; Hunroe, Kenneth R.; Klein, Russell H.; Koller, Anthony; Kwiatkowski, Henry J.

NINTH ROW: Privates Lazarow, Victor J.; McGuire, Walter J.; Mills, A. N.; Newman, Walter R.; Noack, Paul, Jr.

TENTH ROW: Privates Schaeerer, William V.; Wilson, Thomas J., Jr.; Winekoff, Edward W.; Woods, George J.; Znoy, Edward L.

ADDITIONAL ENLISTED PERSONNEL

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY

HEAD- QUARTERS BATTERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Staff Sergeant McKeown, J.; Corporals Duckwitz, Albert; Solomon, A.; Privates First Class Hengstebeck, F.; Robinson, H.; Spears, M.

SECOND ROW: Privates Broomfield C.; Chavez, J.; Farnstrom, C.; Hay, W. E.; Larrison M.; Lommis, J. M.



MEDICAL DETACHMENT

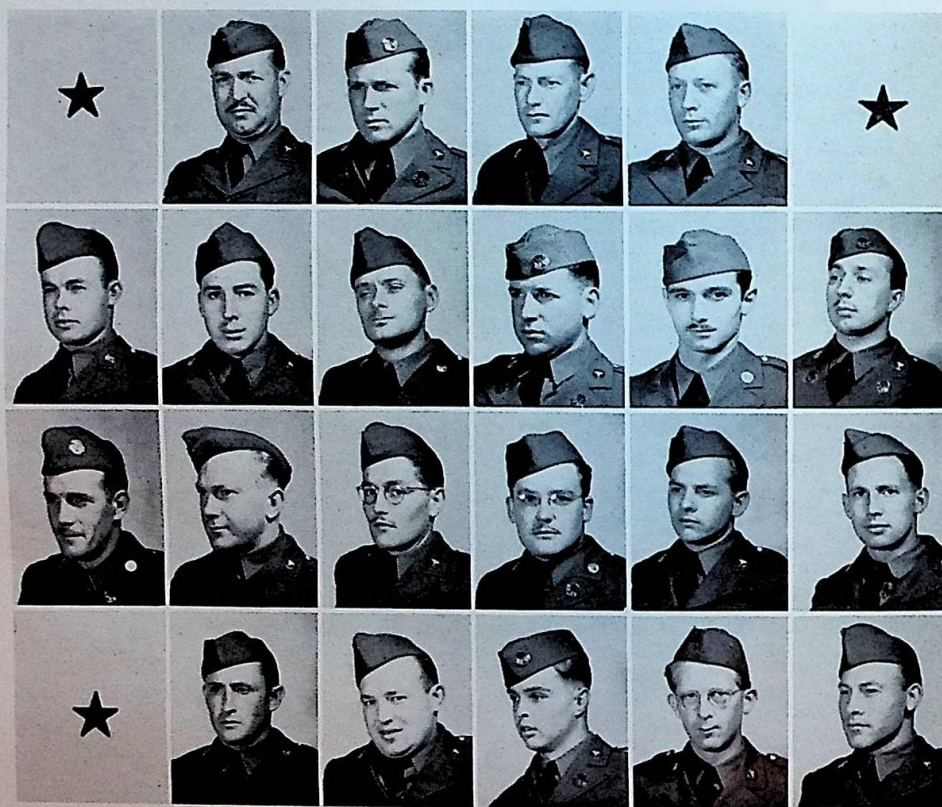
(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Sergeant Edwards, Cleo E.; Privates Ashbaugh, Elbert R., Jr.; Bullock, Ralford J.; Blomquist, Raymond L.

SECOND ROW: Privates Bonds, Joe; Cummings, Robert S.; French, Lyle L.; Furtado, George R.; Jones, John R., Jr.; Krampitz, Arnold A.

THIRD ROW: Privates Lowe, Herbert D.; Mabry, Victor; Martin, Sidney G.; Mathisen, Eldred L.; McDonald, Richard W.; Mockbridge, Hobart C.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Moseley, Albert D.; Mullikin, Howard L.; Reynolds, Arthur P.; Stueffoten, Paul H.; Winter, Elbert R.



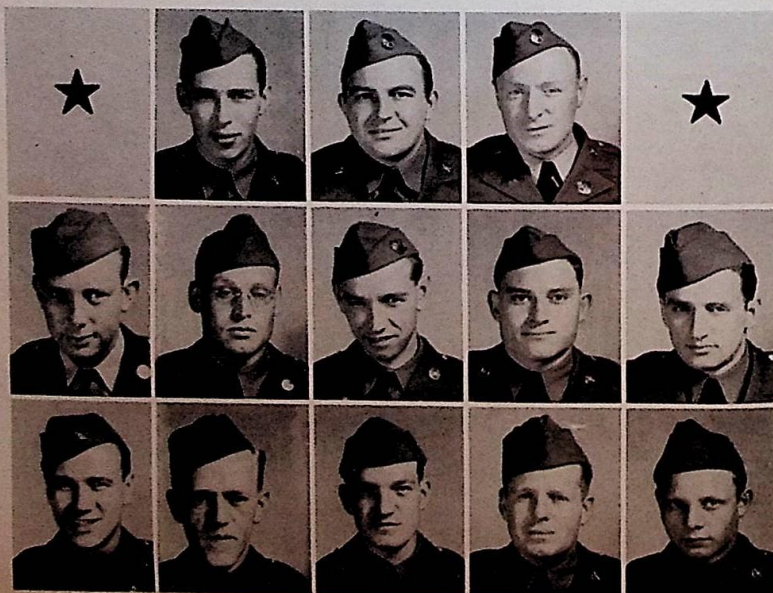
BATTERY F

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Bruha, James A.; Clark, Harold F.; Clark, John.

SECOND ROW: Privates Gruff, Delbert F.; Giffy, Merton H.; Hammond, Louis E.; Keller, Edgar E.; Overstreet, Cecil R.

THIRD ROW: Privates Scott, Henry F.; Siminuk, Alex M.; Sinkula, Raymond J.; Smith, Sherman J.; Summers, Leland R.



18TH COAST ARTILLERY

Second Battalion



HARBOR DEFENSES OF
SAN FRANCISCO

1941

HEADQUARTERS, SECOND BATTALION, 18TH COAST ARTILLERY

FT. WINFIELD SCOTT, CALIFORNIA



It is a pleasure to know that a pictorial record is being made of the Second Battalion of the 18th Coast Artillery.

While we cannot call upon history to tell of our feats of arms, a record of loyal, conscientious work has been established which gives promise of dependability in any emergency.

Drill on our armament or the drill field, discipline on duty or on pass are only outward signs of being good soldiers. Attainment of that high ideal begins within the heart of the individual. It is born of loyalty to our Country, to the Army, and to our Regiment.

Members of this command have demonstrated such loyalty in large measure.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "H.H. Holden". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping flourish above the name.

Colonel, 18th C. A.,
Commanding.



Born in California, November 16, 1889; Commissioned Captain, Coast Area Reserve Corps, Second Officers Training Camp, Fort Winfield Scott, November 26, 1917; Graduate, Command and General Staff School (special class) 1937; Major, Coast Artillery Reserves, February 27, 1924; Lieutenant Colonel, March 26, 1930; Colonel, May 29, 1941.

F. H. HOLDEN
COLONEL

Commanding Second Battalion,
18th Coast Artillery

18TH COAST ARTILLERY, SECOND BATTALION, STAFF



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WILLIAM R. NODDER
Captain
Executive and Plans and Training
Officer



ALEXANDER J. NAPIER
First Lieutenant
Adjutant and Supply Officer



HAROLD S. LEWIS
Captain
Assistant Plans and Training
Officer

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HISTORY OF THE 18TH COAST ARTILLERY

The history of the 18th Coast Artillery is an item for histories of the future, not of the present or the past, as it is the baby of the Coast Artillery branch of the United States Army.

Activated on February 1, 1940, when Headquarters, Headquarters Battery, Batteries A and B were inaugurated at Fort Stevens, Harbor Defense of Columbia, the Regiment is hardly more than a year old as this is written.

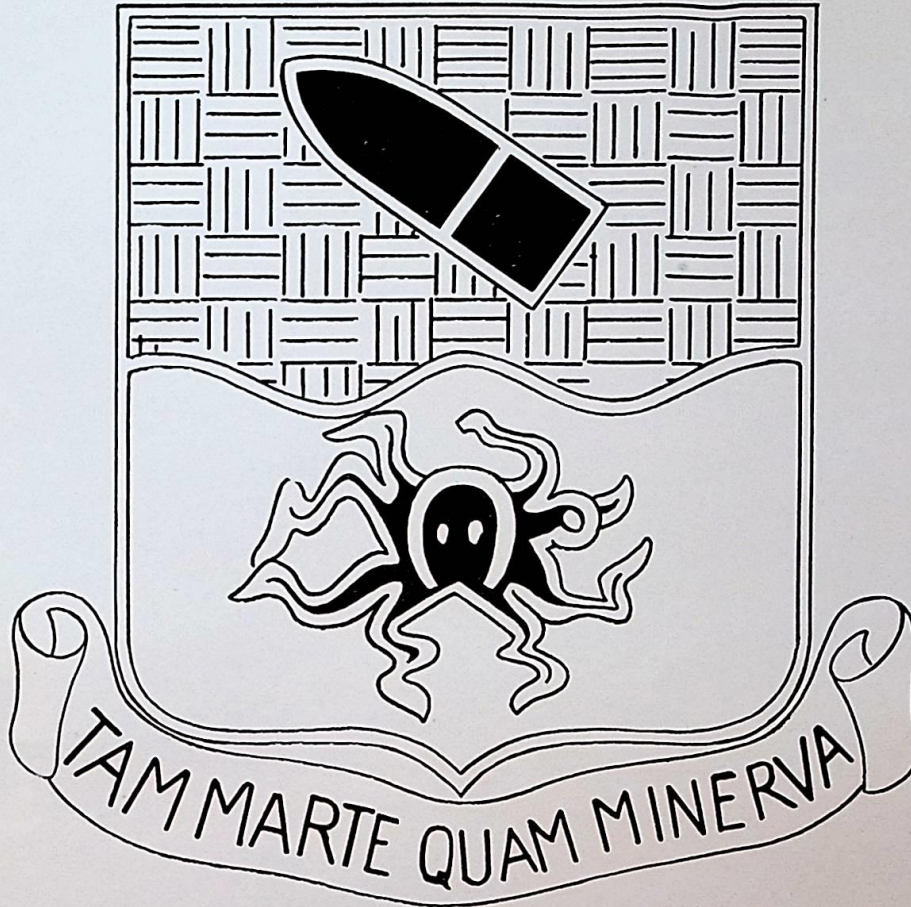
The Second Battalion, located at Fort Winfield Scott, is almost a year younger as it was not activated until January 15, 1941. When it was called into being, there were only 19 officers and approximately 65 enlisted men in the Regiment,

but they were augmented on January 25, 1941, by the arrival of 437 selectees from Fort Sheridan, Ill.

The First Battalion still remains at Fort Stevens but the Second Battalion, consisting of Headquarters, Headquarters Battery, Batteries D, E, and F is an integral part of the Harbor Defense of San Francisco.

The officers of the Second Battalion are mostly from the Reserves. The Regimental Commander is temporarily Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Warren, with Headquarters at Fort Stevens. Colonel F. H. Holden, an officer with World War experience, is the commanding officer of the Second Battalion.

C O A T O F A R M S



BLAZONRY

SHIELD: Per fess wavy gules and or, in chief a projectile bendways sable fimbriated of the second with rotating band of the like, in base an octopus of the first.

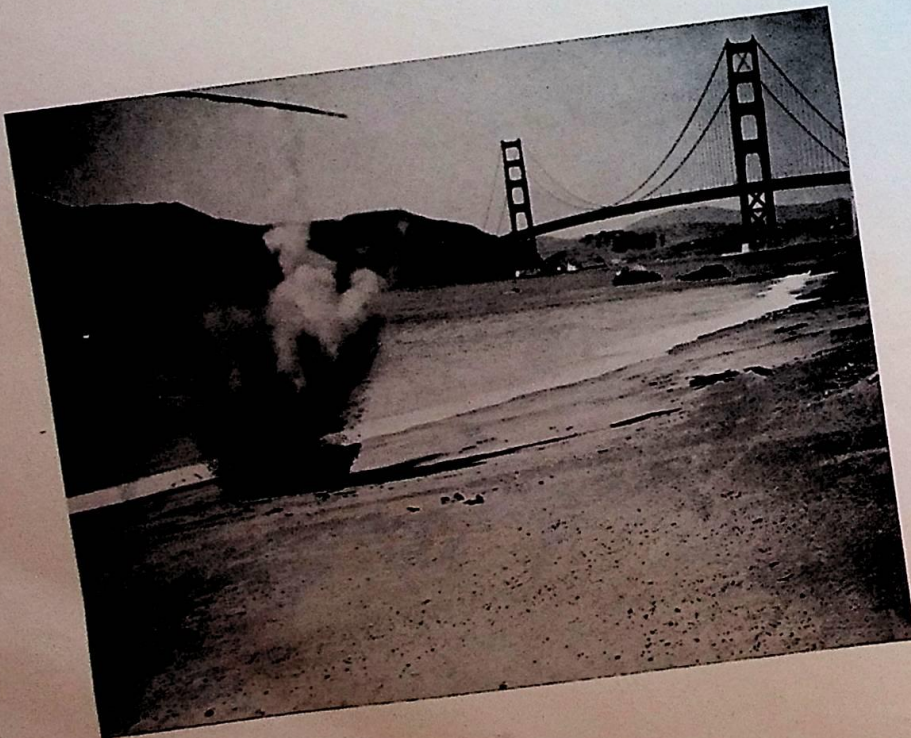
CREST: None.

MOTTO: Tam marte quam minerva (As much as by courage as by skill).

DESCRIPTION

The shield is gold and red (for Coast Artillery) and is divided in fess wavy to represent the fact that it is a harbor defense unit. The projectile represents the artillery fire while the octopus represents submarine mines.

Landing Defense Maneuvers



During landing defense maneuvers, the beach below the batteries of Fort Scott becomes a scene of simulated warfare as the attackers threw up smoke screens to protect them from the defenders' guns and plant land mines, some exploding with enough force to cripple a small tank.

Personnel

18TH COAST ARTILLERY

Second Battalion



HARBOR DEFENSES OF
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1941



WILLIAM B. LEE
First Lieutenant
Commanding Officer



SPENCER G. CALDERWOOD
Second Lieutenant

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

SECOND BATTALION
18TH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Wright, Harry W.; Sergeants Virts, Charles C.; Corporals Goetz, George G.; Hunt, Charles R.

SECOND ROW: Corporals Pietrowski, Lucian E.; Ryba, Sylvester A.; Sullivan, Charles J.; Weinstein, George J.; Private First Class Bassett, Carroll J.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Christian, Walter J.; Dewberry, William M.; Johnson, Clark E.; Meadows, Fred E.; Prueher, James A.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Rutzen, Chester H.; Urkofsky, Matthew; Weissenbruger, Lawrence J.; Privates Cave, Dennis W.; Chislov, Abe J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Corsentine, Joseph; Dickens, Ellsworth D.; Ditscheit, Cyril J.; Ergeson, Arthur R.; Fish, M., Band.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Fristed, Walter G.; Janes, Raymond L.; Jensen, J. H.; Langham, Clyde W.; Look, Ching S.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Miller, T. H., Band; Nichols, Ralph E.; Niechlanski, Bernard; Oster, W. W., Band; Picker, Morris M.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Purman, Ronald R.; Runberg, Martin H.; Sanfelippo, Sam P.; Smead, Lawrence W.; Souza, William.

NINTH ROW: Privates Stevens, Charles; Stockinger, Michael G.; Wesollowski, Norbert E.; Zimmerlin, John D.; Zyskowski, Valentine B.



FRANCISCO G. MONTEALEGRE
Captain
Attached



CARL E. SCHNETZ
First Lieutenant



GEORGE E. TILSON
First Lieutenant
Commanding Officer



ELIAS P. ELLIS
Second Lieutenant



WILLIAM G. RILEY
Second Lieutenant

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Whiteside, Edward J.; Sergeants Busse, William E.; Edge, Benjamin H.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Graves, Thomas I.; Hays, Herbert W.; Lukosius, Anthony; Mercer, Carl L.; Thorson, George W.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Berg, Elmer F.; Bland, Troy E.; Boyle, John W.; Goodwin, Glen F.; Harmon, Robert C.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Henriksen, Einar O.; Hickey, Robert W.; Levy, Morris B.; Miller, Leonard E.; Mulchrone, Davin.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Phillips, John D.; Rhode, Andreas; Watterson, Johnnie H.

BATTERY D

18th Coast Artillery



BATTERY D

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Cole, Marion P.; Graves, Mack E.; King, Robert E.; Amundson, Harold E.

SECOND ROW: Privates Arnold, Rudolph E.; Batchelder, Rexford C.; Belgrad, Lester L.; Bergmann, Conrad L., Jr.; Bergschneider, Paul B.; Berkson, Kenneth I.

THIRD ROW: Privates Bernero, Thomas A.; Bertagnolli, Arthur N.; Brasel, Louis E.; Buelter, Edwin; Burcham, Henry R.; Burkholder, Herman E.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Byrum, Charles R.; Cablk, John; Campbell, Francis W.; Carman, Jerome; Carroll, Elmer A.; Clark, Joseph A.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Clark, Loren D.; Croci, Marsiglio D.; Dahlstrom, Harold G.; Deatherage, Donald T.; Dickinson, Edwin W.; Dowd, Joseph J.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Du Plessis, Wilfred W.; Eliason, Odin H.; Felder, Walter F.; Fiedler, Edward P.; Flood, Paul P.; Foley, James W.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Forbes, Norman C.; Fydrych, Helmut A.; Gavrun, Mike G.; Gilbertson, Lawrence B.; Goossens, Albert J.; Gorss, Harold E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Haas, Roland A.; Haggard, Charles; Hamm, Robert D.; Heatley, Robert A.; Herbst, John A.; Hurt, Ray.

NINTH ROW: Privates Jennings, George L.; Joda, Robert C.; Johnson, Edwin J.; Karpa, William W.; Kelly, John W.; Kelly, William B.

TENTH ROW: Privates Knaga, Andrew M.; Kornfeind, Rudolph L.; Kretz, Howard J.; Larson, John S.; Lombardo, Sam.



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BATTERY D

SIXTH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Matheny, Chellis I.; McAuliffe, Joseph F.; McConnell, Kermit B.; McKane, Gordon T.

SECOND ROW: Privates Medaris, Kenneth L.; Micik, John D.; Migliorini, Bruno; Miller, Morris; Moon, Robert W.; Muchia, Sam F.

THIRD ROW: Privates Muller, Roland A.; Nelson, Ardell S.; Nelson, Herbert B.; Nelson, Theodore K.; Nix, Nichols J.; Oedewaldt, Ralph G.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Pacion, Marion J.; Palazzo, Jasper; Pearson, Donald C.; Peterson, Harold H.; Pienta, William T.; Pondel, Walter J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Puchalla, Adolph; Reshel, Julius; Ring, Robert J.; Rogozinski, Chester; Schatz, Meyer; Schmidt, Herbert O.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Schwarz, Harold; Seales, Clarence; Sirotti, Andrew J.; Sokolowski, Edwin V.; Stagninon, Antonio F.; Stechly, Edward M.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Suydam, Rolland V.; Tabor, Edward J.; Tamminen, Wayne S.; Teitel, Charles; Thaler, Robert A.; Theis, Robert.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Thibert, Frank J.; Vanderwalle, Raymond F.; Vise, Robert D.; Wacholz, Ned F.; Waldum, Harold P.; Wallace, George N.

NINTH ROW: Privates Webel, Peter; Weinzierl, Roman L.; Weiss, Lambert; Wicherts, Lewis J.; Wiker, Edwin H.; Williams, Francis W.

TENTH ROW: Privates Winterrowd, Harley E.; Wise, Wilbert H.; Wrycza, Joseph J.; Yodar, Delbert H.; Zenner, Herbert; Zink, Frank E.



NORMAN R. STULTZ
First Lieutenant
Commanding Officer



WILBUR L. BARNES
First Lieutenant



ERYIN PORTER GOODRICH
First Lieutenant



HAROLD L. FOTHERGILL
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y E

18th Coast Artillery

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Hall, James W.; Staff Sergeant Neal, Thomas E.; Sergeants Lemley, Emmit C.; McClure, James B.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Motta, Silvestre; Showalter, Milton J.; Stephenson, Jack W.; Corporals Childs, Arthur D.; Gillett, Richard W.; Krause, Robert R.

THIRD ROW: Corporals O'Connor, Thomas P.; Orth, Harold W.; Preisig, Benjamin J.; Sievers, Kirk D.; Thompson, Clarence R.; Walls, Averille B.





BATTERY E

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Anderson, Harry A.; Brehm, Lester A.; De Bruin, Jacob; Ekberg, Louis A.; Ellis, Troy.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Erickson, Edgar V.; Hanson, James B.; Jansen, Francis A.; Johnson, Clifford L.; Parent, Elman A.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Paterson, James R.; Randolph, Henry H.; Short, Carl E.; Privates Agosto, Frank G.; Albert, Vincent G.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Alfano, Fred J.; Aman, Leonard M.; Angsten, Phillip J.; Belling, Roland E.; Boeff, Herman.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Borrini, Joseph M.; Butsic, Frank W.; Buzinski, John F.; Cain, Charles V.; Carey, Francis G.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Caskinette, Ellsworth; Clark, Joseph E.; Clifford, Gordon B.; Clinch, Victor J.; Closs, William.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Coleman, John A.; Cook, Robert E.; Conterio, Aldo R.; Dake, Carl A.; Danley, Richard C.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Davis, Ernest B.; Davis, Orville W.; Debalski, Joseph J.; Denmeyer, Arthur C.; Dittman, August W.

NINTH ROW: Privates Doherty, Robert J.; Dolloff, Donald W.; Dolloff, Nesbit E.; Dublick, Niello J.; Dunn, Jerry D.

TENTH ROW: Privates Emas, William J.; Fenton, Arthur E.; Garrick, John W.; Gift, Deryl E.; Gleisner, Paul J.

B A T T E R Y E

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Green, Dave; Green, James T.; Griesser, Alfred A.; Haack, Ernest E.

SECOND ROW: Privates Hearlston, Ace F.; Hoffman, Leonard J.; Horner, Donald D.; Hoyer, Elliot E.; Jarvi, Francis A.; Johnson, Lawrence L.

THIRD ROW: Privates Johnson, Marshall V.; Jurgens, John R.; Just, Phillip H.; Keller, Raymond W.; King, Joseph B.; Koivu, Wilbert J.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Konola, Eino A.; Laffin, Victor D.; Lassila, Elmer R.; Lindberg, Rutger; Little, Clifford G.; Lombard, Earl D.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Magner, Jack H.; Martin, Robert J.; Marzinski, Valentine; Morrison, William; Nanos, Angelo; Olsen, Steiner I.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Pareti, Emil B.; Prenner, John C.; Probert, Richard; Reber, Edgar A.; Revis, Kenneth L.; Rietzow, Edward H.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Riley, Raymond H.; Roach, Robert C.; Rohan, Andrew J.; Rosenthal, Marvin; Rowland, John L.; Sale, William C.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Sauer, George N.; Smith, Eldred E.; Steeb, Herman R.; Stelling, Harvey F.; Stroh, George A.; Stuff, Vernon D.

NINTH ROW: Privates Swanson, George W.; Szczygiel, Walter J.; Walker, Robert P.; Walsh, Edward T.; Westberg, Harold W.; Youtsos, George H.





JOHN C. MARCROFT
Captain
Commanding Officer



GEORGE M. LUTTRELL
First Lieutenant



CHARLES E. HALL
First Lieutenant



CHARLES R. GRANT
Second Lieutenant



RAMON F. CAYOT
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y F

18th Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Albrecht, Henry G.; Sergeants Brewer, Julius M.; Hoeye, Lloyd M.; Makowski, Stanley; Slattery, Joseph J.; Washington, Jack.

SECOND ROW: Corporals Cassel, John P.; Caulfield,

James L.; Greer, Boyd M.; Herrick, Wesley L.; Hillman, Bert C.; Himes, Roy L.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Johnson, Darrell E.; Krigbaum, Russell F.; McDonald, John W.; Quinby, Jack T.; Skryzpek, Adam S.; Tomlinson, Lyman E.



B A T T E R Y F

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates First Class Haresnap, Otto D.; Johnson, James H.; Reiff, William M.; Thompson, Oliver W.; Privates Adkins, James E.

SECOND Row: Privates Adkins, Rudolph R.; Ahlswede, Herbert W.; Allmann, Edward A.; Allnach, Conrad; Andrews, Bryant G.

THIRD Row: Privates Austin, Franklin E.; Baker, Edward D.; Barber, Warren C.; Bareis, Clare G.; Barthelmes, Edward H.

FOURTH Row: Privates Bay, Valentine H.; Bernitt, William P.; Beyer, Lester W.; Birns, Harold C.; Blumenthal, Norman L.

FIFTH Row: Privates Bolino, Fred B.; Brandt, Clifford G.; Bristow, Norris M.; Brown, George P.; Carl, Forrest J.

SIXTH Row: Privates Colby, Joseph W.; Conrad, Collins; Cooper, Harold W.; Cunningham, Loren L.; Donaldson, Marion T.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Dumolyn, Albert P.; Ellison, William; Fehr, Walter A.; Feldmann, Frederick H.; Feltman, Jerome I.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Frank, Charles W.; Freed, Maurice E.; Goodrich, George G.; Gray, Josiah C.; Griffiths, George L.



B A T T E R Y F

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Gunther, Nelson H.; Hage, Robert O.; Hamilton, Albert R.; Hart, Wayne S.; Houle, Fred G., Jr.

SECOND ROW: Privates Johnson, Arthur; Johnson, William E.; Kemerling, Russell W.; Killackey, Lathan E.; Kimball, Edmund F.

THIRD ROW: Privates Kingsborough, James W.; Koepp, August P.; Konrad, Arthur F.; Krietlow, Carl J.; Kubas, Alexander J.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Kuntzman, Louis A.; Landowski, Joe; Lemons, Charles H.; Leone, Nick S.; Lievens, Edward F.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Malone, Woodrow; Martino, Battista; Martynski, Leonard J.; Maxwell, Charles R.; McComber, Edgar A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates McCormick, Ralph W.; Meservey, Emile E.; Mittelstadt, Albert G.; Morgan, Elmer; Nafziger, Glenn A.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Nickolopoulos, Tom G.; Parker, Frederic W.; Perkins, John W.; Polfliet, Edward A.; Popejoy, Cecil R.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Powell, Theodore C.; Rarick, Cletus F.; Reno, Howard A.; Reynolds, Eldon A.; Rietschlager, Earl J.

BATTERY F

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Riley, Emery T.; Sanders, Carl E.; Sanders, Clair L.; Schmeiser, Paul O.; Schmitt, Wilbur E.

SECOND ROW: Privates Schulz, Gerhardt H.; Shelabarger, Clyde L.; Shepherd, Donald K.; Slonski, Stanley J.; Smith, Orman R.

THIRD ROW: Privates Stapel, Walter H.; Steigelmann, Willie F.; Storch, Harold W.; Stuempfl, Frank H.; Talbot, Frank C.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Tate, Thomas W.; Taylor, Fred C.; Thompson, Robert L.; Timm, Ernest W.; Tirpik, Peter J.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Tokar, George; Turk, Joseph J.; Tuttle, George J.; Van Der Leest, Leo A.; Van Dorpe, Howard.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Vogel, Howard F.; Volk, John L.; Wadel, Orville H.; Wadzinski, Harry H.; Wagner, Glenn H.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Walin, Edward B.; Walter, Arnold; Wardell, James H.; Watt, William T.; Wexell, Chester H.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Whipple, Lucene C.; Wilson, Kenneth L.; Wimmer, Ralph J.; Weller, Carlton E.; Wypeski, Joseph J.

NINTH ROW: Privates Yackle, Joseph L.; Yelm, Ernest C.; Young, Wallace; Zastrow, Arthur C.



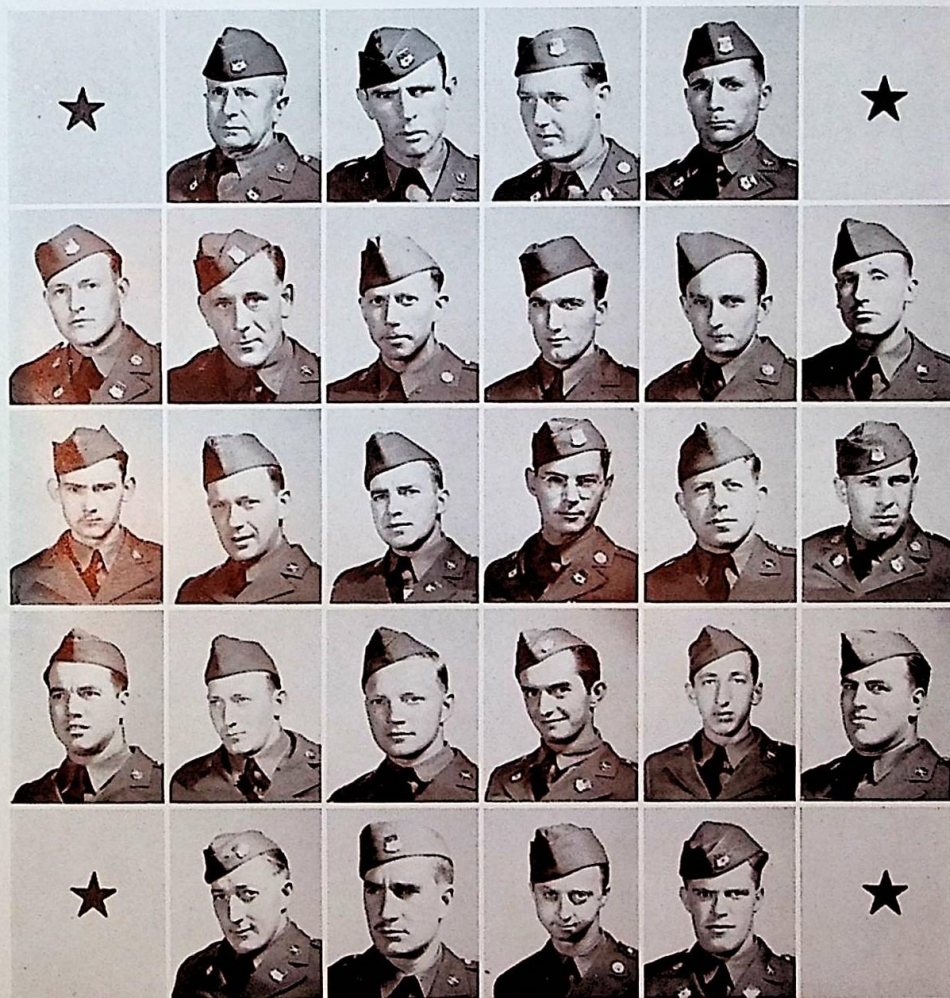
ADDITIONAL ENLISTED PERSONNEL

MEDICAL DETACHMENT

18TH COAST ARTILLERY



PRIVATE KABANUK, P.



BATTERY D



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Sergeants Fisher, Chester A.; Pierce, H.; Corporals Doss, G.; Hudson, M.

SECOND Row: Private First Class Patterson, S.; Privates Alman, W.; Bollinger, K.; Breeland, N.; Conner, C.; Crozier, G.

THIRD Row: Privates Deason, U.; Dowd, J. F.; Finley, R.; Hamby, J.; May, E. L.; Miller, E.

FOURTH Row: Privates Riha, G.; Swanson, A.; Toth, J.; Trottier, J.; Tutskey, W.; Wacker, R. J.

FIFTH Row: Privates Walker, G.; Wallis, J.; Walter, H. C.; Walter, V.

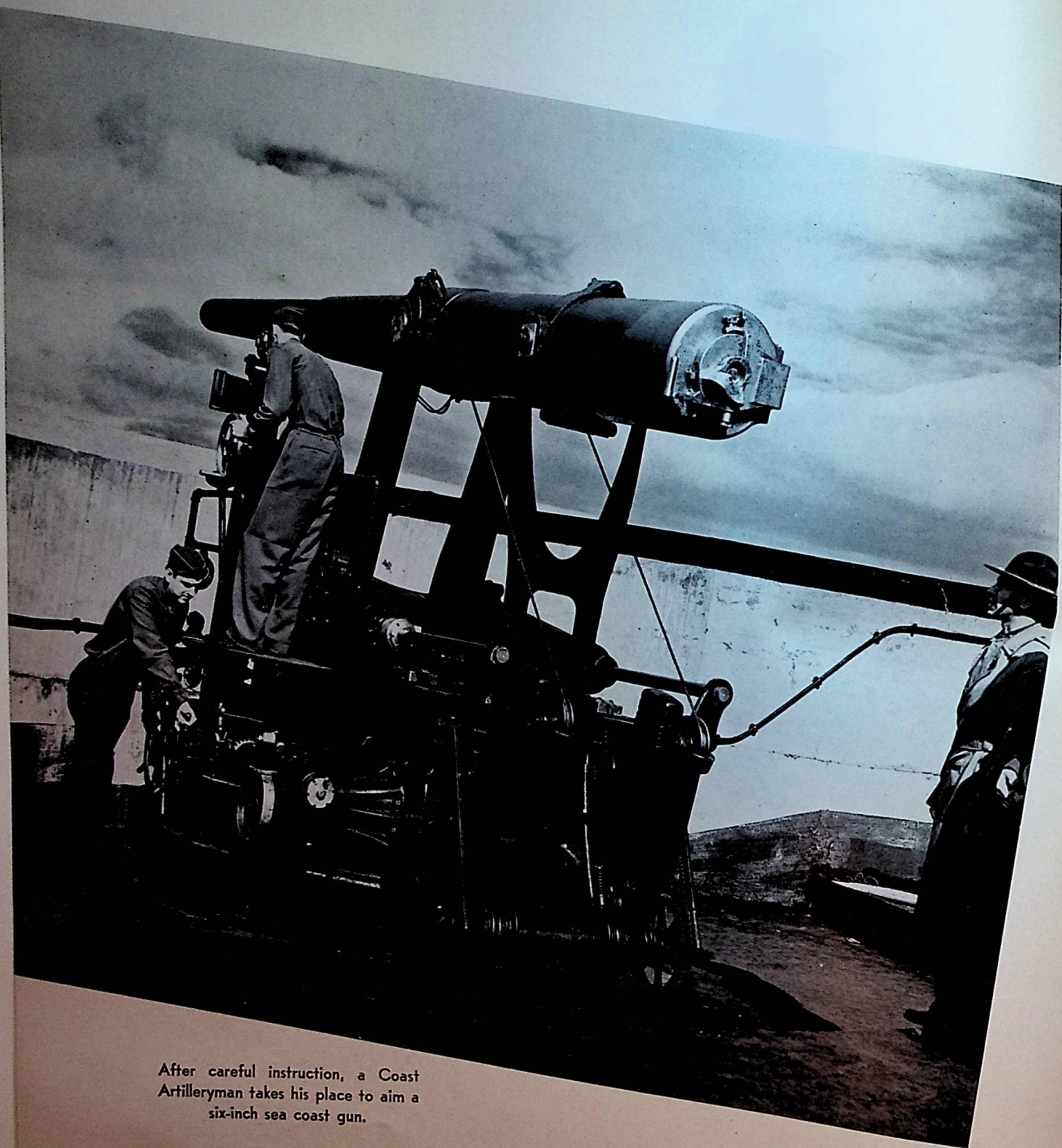


BATTERY E

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FIRST Row: Privates First Class Ovans, William D.; Potts, Daniel L.; Private Depeugh, Forest James.

SECOND Row: Privates Ellingson, Louis T.; Frye, Albert; Hartsulker, Klaas; Tichenor, Ross; Waters, George L.



After careful instruction, a Coast Artilleryman takes his place to aim a six-inch sea coast gun.

PERSONNEL

Station Complement

CORPS AREA SERVICE
COMMAND NO. 1932



LEWIS E. GOODIER, JR.
Major
Post Executive Officer, Commanding CASC Unit No. 1932

P O S T S T A F F

DONALD H. ATHERTON
Major
Post Ordnance Officer

CHARLES C. RINGWALT
Major
Provost Marshall and Theatre Officer





E. M. BLIGHT
Captain
Adjutant



HODE R. GIBSON
Captain
Post Utilities Officer



LELAND R. ROWSELL
Captain
Former Chemical Warfare Officer



W. W. FITKIN
Captain
Present Chemical Officer



FRED L. WHITTLESEY
Captain
Assistant Ordnance Officer

STATION COMPLEMENT

C. A. S. C. Unit No. 1932



RICHARD A. GREULICH
First Lieutenant
Signal Property Officer



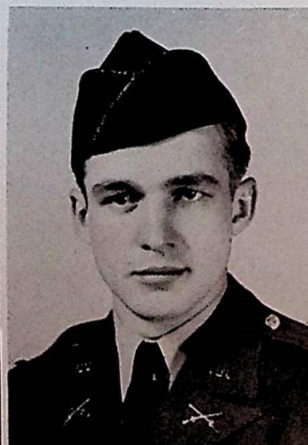
E. C. STEWART
Captain
Post Exchange Officer



PHILIP D. SHEPHERD
First Lieutenant
Assistant Post Exchange Officer



TED L. EGBERT
Second Lieutenant
Assistant Post Exchange Officer



HEADQUARTERS AND ADMINISTRATION SECTION



EDWARD W. FITZGERALD
First Lieutenant
Commanding Officer
and Unit Personnel Officer



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Master Sergeant Peyton, John S.;
Staff Sergeant Hunsaker, Robert L.; Sergeant
Nichols, Jesse M.

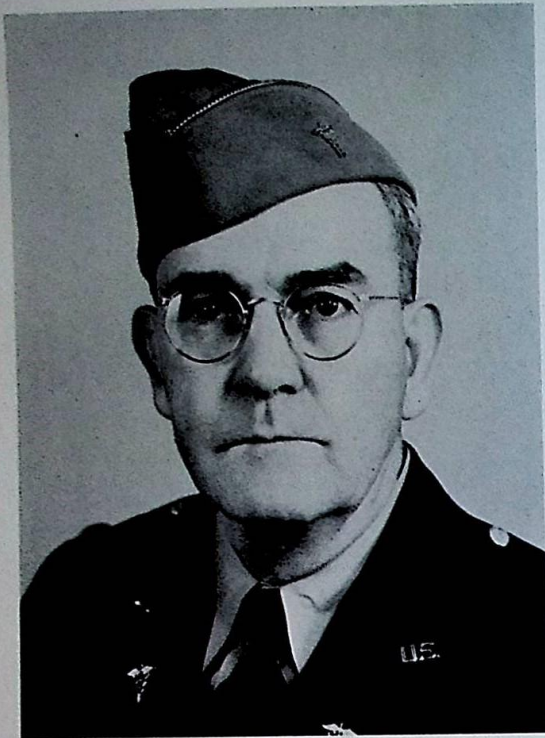
SECOND ROW: Corporals Ahlberg, Charles R.;
Beasley, William M.; Bullock, Sanford M.; Bur-
ris, James E.; Cousart, George M.

THIRD ROW: Private First Class McCrary,
James W.; Privates Bartcht, Orvil J.; Boyd, Her-
bert R.; Byer, Carl H.; Clark, Marion B.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Cutler, Max, Ehrman-
trout, Clemens J.; Hendricks, James H.; Huntley,
Howard E.; Mahoney, Daniel W.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Minugh, George; Parkin-
son, John A., Jr.; Schimanski, Herman; Smith,
Enoch L.





FRANCIS B. DWIRE
Lieutenant Colonel, M. C.
Surgeon, Harbor Defenses



JOSEPH H. WHITELEY
Lieutenant Colonel, M. C.
Surgeon

MEDICAL SECTION

C. A. S. C. Unit No. 1932

SAMUEL BREGER
Captain, M. C.
Assistant Surgeon

EDMUND H. VAN DERYORT
Captain, D. C.

BARNARD DAVIS
Captain, M. C.





MICHAEL S. WEPPRICH
First Lieutenant, M. C.



FRANCIS J. ABDO
First Lieutenant, M. C.



MERVIN G. CUNNINGHAM
First Lieutenant, M. C.



MERVIN J. GOLDMAN
First Lieutenant, M. C.

MEDICAL SECTION STAFF



RICHARD P. JOHNSON
First Lieutenant, M. C.



ROBERT N. KNUTSON
First Lieutenant, D. C.



EDWARD A. LEVIN
First Lieutenant, M. C.

THEODORE J. POST
First Lieutenant, D. C.

NATHAN SOLTER
First Lieutenant, M. C.

CHARLES C. STEHLEY
First Lieutenant, M. C.

RALPH J. WALKER
First Lieutenant, M. C.



MEDICAL SECTION

FORT WINFIELD SCOTT



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Master Sergeant Anderson, Leonard T.; Technical Sergeant Moose, Harvey E., Jr.; Staff Sergeant Toms, Robert W. C.; Sergeants Scully, William M.; Young, William B.

SECOND ROW: Corporal Gilchrist, Neil; Privates First Class Egan, Charles R.; Low, Wilson W.; Parent, Ralph A.; Yount, Theodore R.

THIRD ROW: Privates Fair, Merwin D.; Marchi, Ernest J.; Pope, George H.; Hamilton, Jay R.; Hooper, Obie A.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Makela, L.; Palmer, George R.



MEDICAL SECTION

FORT BAKER



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Sergeant Edwards, C. E.; Corporals Criswell, George R.; Shadoan, Raymond B.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Johns, James O.; Landing, Albert H.; Schultz, Raymond C.; Privates Bennett, Donald L.; Caldwell, William H.

THIRD ROW: Privates Cole, Merle E.; Ellis, Vincent R.; Kern, Robert W.; Mihalik, Michael; Miller, Roy F.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Peck, Lorin E.; Perez, Waldo F.; Seja, John A.; Zimmerman, Perry L.





ALBIN N. CALDWELL
Major
Post Quartermaster



JOHN W. COPLIN
Major
Executive Officer



FABER H. BENNIE
Major
Supervising Utility Officer

QUARTERMASTER SECTION

C. A. S. C. Unit No. 1932

HERBERT J. GUNTHER
Captain



LYMAN P. MARDEN, JR.
First Lieutenant



HENRY E. SMITH, JR.
Second Lieutenant



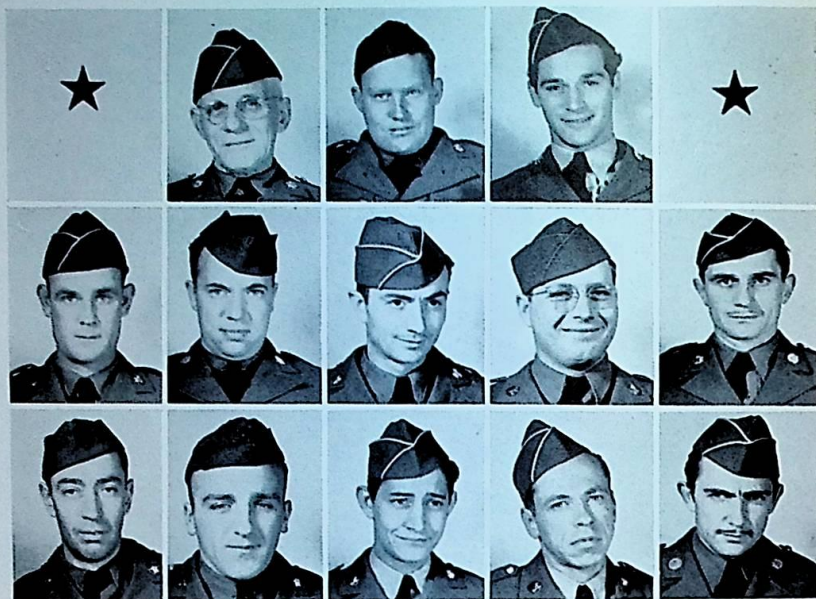
QUARTERMASTER SECTION

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Technical Sergeant Moran, James; Sergeant Kirkpatrick, J. H.; Privates First Class Bottenfield, R. R.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Coleman, W. E.; Giunti, John; Prediletto, N. L.; Privates Amort, H. J.; Belletto, F. V.

THIRD ROW: Privates Culver, J. H.; Hassig, Frank; Hobbs, K. L.; Mattingly, G. L.; Olsen, R.



ROBERT M. JAMES
First Lieutenant

NINTH ORDNANCE SERVICE COMPANY DETACHMENT



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Sergeant Chiro, Stanley M.; Private First Class Stiefvater, Gervase G.; Corporal Hodges, Vernon F.; Private Johnson, Amile W.

SECOND ROW: Private Miller, Frank A.; Corporal Redmen, John T.; Privates Seligman, Louis; Wiczkowicz, A. J.

THIRD ROW: Private Boef, H.



56TH COAST ARTILLERY

FORT CRONKHITE



HARBOR DEFENSES
OF SAN FRANCISCO

1941

HEADQUARTERS, 56TH COAST ARTILLERY
FORT CRONKHITE, CALIFORNIA



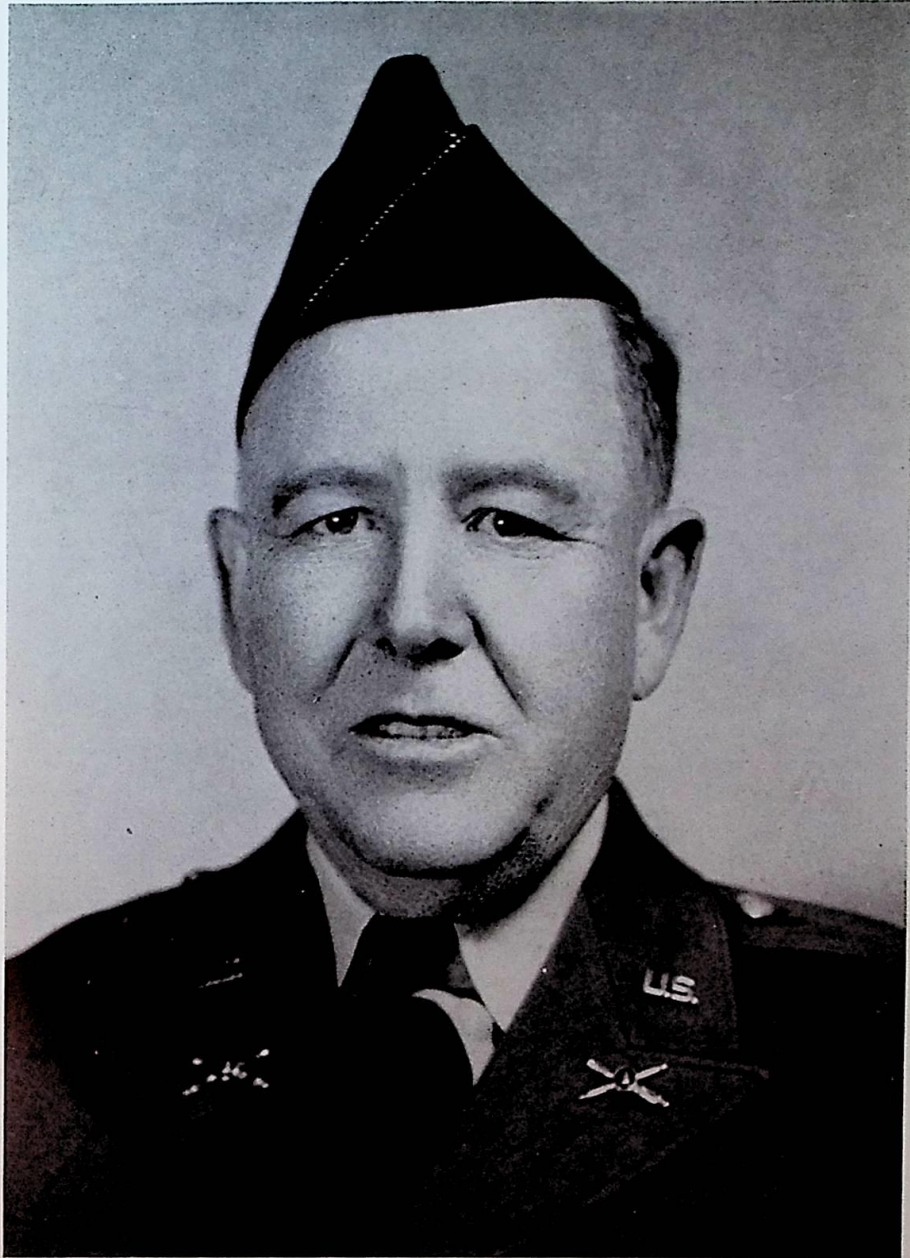
On June 2, 1941, the 56th Coast Artillery was activated for the first time. Unlike many of the older regiments in the Army, it has no glorious past to look back upon. It must make its own history as time marches by. Every act of the 1,700 officers and enlisted men at Fort Cronkhite, that enters our public records, forms a part of the future history of our regiment.

Under these circumstances there is demanded from every man, service conforming to the highest ideals and finest military traditions. The men in the 56th Coast Artillery are meeting, and I feel certain will continue to meet, these requirements in a fine spirit of loyalty and devotion to duty.

I express my sincere wishes for a glorious future and success for our regiment.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Louis D. Davis".

Colonel, 56th C. A.,
Commanding.



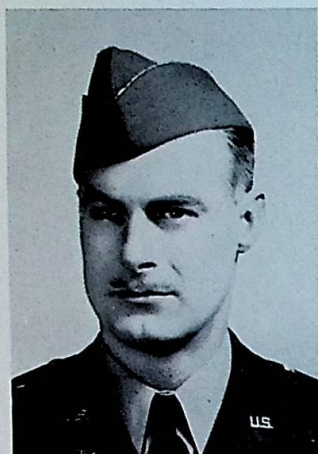
Colonel Frank Drake was born in Nevada, August 9, 1886. He was appointed to the Military Academy from that state, graduating with a B.S. Degree in 1910. General Staff Corps August 2, 1932, to August 1, 1936. He is a graduate of the Command and General Staff School and has a B.S. Degree from the College of Mines, University of Nevada. Upon graduation from the Military Academy he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Coast Artillery Corps, June 15, 1910; First Lieutenant, May 16, 1915; Captain, May 15, 1917; Major, July 1, 1920; Lieutenant Colonel, November 1, 1934; Colonel, June 1, 1939.

FRANK DRAKE
COLONEL
Commanding 56th Coast Artillery





RALPH A. DENSMORE
Lieutenant Colonel
Executive Officer



HENRY R. FISHER
Captain
Adjutant



CHARLES E. HENRY
First Lieutenant
Intelligence Officer

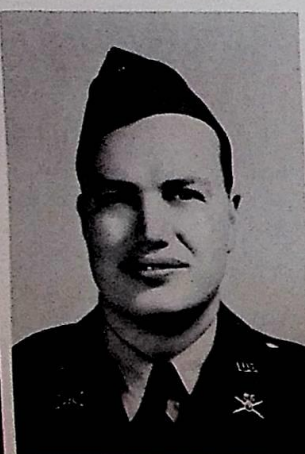


LLOYD B. KNOX
Captain
Plans and Training Officer

56TH COAST ARTILLERY STAFF



CECIL C. WADE
Captain
Supply Officer



HOWARD G. SMIGELOW
First Lieutenant
Personnel Adjutant



VINCENT J. McCARTAN
First Lieutenant
Chaplain



HARRY K. STEVENS
Second Lieutenant
Communication Officer



JAMES G. DIGNAN
First Lieutenant
Munitions Officer

BRIEF HISTORY OF THE 56TH COAST ARTILLERY

The 56th Coast Artillery was originally constituted in the Organized Reserves in 1921 as the 506th Coast Artillery (AA) pursuant to a letter from the War Department dated July 29, 1921. On October 1, 1933, the 506th Coast Artillery was withdrawn from the Organized Reserves and became an inactive unit of the Regular Army.

On December 16, 1940, the 506th Coast Artillery was redesignated the 56th Coast Artillery which was concurrently ordered to be made active in the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco, California. On June 15, 1941, the 56th Coast Artillery was activated, with Colonel Frank Drake in command, and became an integral part of the Harbor Defenses of San Francisco.



CARLTON BOWEN STEVES
First Lieutenant

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY 56TH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Master Sergeant Stoll, Herman; First Sergeant Farrell, Michael; Staff Sergeant Hale, Billy O.; Summers, John W.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Barnes, Dozier J.; Jones, Jesse M.; Modreski, Harry L.; Norris, James L.; Timek, John A.; Corporal Ashley, Frank B.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Berry, Otis C.; Neilsen, Vernon A.; Oenning, Alphonso J.; Sargota, Edward; Schlereth, Howard E.; Sherer, Henry J.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Aiken, Laurence H.; Anderson, Hillman N.; Anderson, Milford E.; Arvidson, Lester A.; Atkinson, Roy R.; Baka, John F.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Barr, Gordon L.; Beltren, Lupe; Bissell, Sherman W.; Bloom, Richard W.; Borelli, Serafino; Bosworth, Otmer F.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Breuer, Harold P.; Bukowski, Sylvester; Burdine, James F.; Burgin, Dustin J.; Chalmers, James S.; Chappell, Thomas M.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Colley, William F.; Conlin, William G.; Cook, Eugene; Culver, William L.; Cunha, Joseph M.; Curran, Thomas J.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Daley, William T.; Davis, Phillip M.; Devlin, Kenneth B.; Dixon, John E.; Dudek, John F.; Faurot, Gaius.

NINTH ROW: Privates Ferguson, Jack A.; Finnegan, James C.; Fleege, Clarence C.; Floyd, Joe W.; Fortun, Wilbur L.; Gnos, Clifford J.



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Grogan, Claude A.; Hammons, Finis E.; Hanson, Aldor V.; Hart, John L.; Hickman, Harvey D.; Hood, Enid R.

SECOND ROW: Privates Hotton, Harold D.; Jasperson, Arthur H.; Jones, Charles L.; Kasden, Sidney; Kempista, Stanley E.; Kloss, Norman F.

THIRD ROW: Privates Knutson, Earl C.; Kohlruess, Frank; Kolis, Walter S.; Kotch, Vladmer; Kovacs, Ernest F.; Kullrich, Joseph A.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Lea, George A.; Logan, Donald A.; Ludwick, Melvin L.; Mallon, Frank J.; Manning, Claussen E.; Mechler, Henry B.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Miller, Austin J.; Montanez, Gustavo D.; Mulherron, Charles T.; Myhre, Oscar B.; O'Brien, Paul O.; Oliver, Clifford G.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Onsager, Melvin E.; Opfermann, Frederick P.; Ovieda, Lawrence A.; Parsons, Neil B.; Peace, Thomas B.; Perkins, Neil R.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Perunovich, Thos. E., Jr.; Puharrich, William; Corporal Quinton Lum E.; Privates Reed, Milton; Sarkisain, Sam R.; Scaggs, John O.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Schneider, Paul E.; Smahaj, Joseph J.; Smith, Charles H.; Smith, Elza G.; Tomczak, William J.; Udelhofen, Carl J.

NINTH ROW: Privates Vannesta, Robert; Waite, Neal M.; Woods, Vernie W.; Wrobleski, Walter P.; Yttre, Orvent.



HEADQUARTERS

First Battalion

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



PHILIP W. ALLISON
Lieutenant Colonel
Commanding Officer, First Battalion



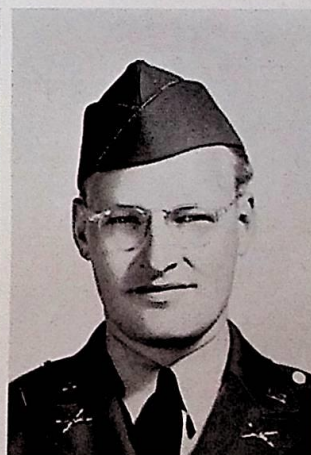
WILLIAM C. LEONARD
Captain

FREDERIC LEDEBOER
First Lieutenant



RALPH G. DeMOISEY
First Lieutenant

HOWARD E. MILLER
First Lieutenant



VICTOR V. FADDEN
First Lieutenant

WILSON C. P. JONES
Second Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

FIRST BATTALION, 56TH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Lindfors, Gunnar F.; Staff Sergeant Smith, Dale H.; Sergeants Adcock, Louis S.; Brann, Fredrick R.; Doherty, James; Howdle, Fredric E.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Johnson, Granville E.; Lawson, Travis; Moncrief, Robert A.; Roark, Carl F.; Ward, Robert J.; Corporal Bolstad, Irvin C.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Coble, Eugene M.; Eyraud, Louis E.; Farris, Bruce V. D.; Jordan, Charlie E.; Kral, Edward J.; Leech, Gary D.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Manning, George W.; Ripperton, Dacil G.; Tackmier, William J.; Privates First Class Aguilar, Ralph R.; Amburgey, Lowell M.; Bjelde, Charistian.

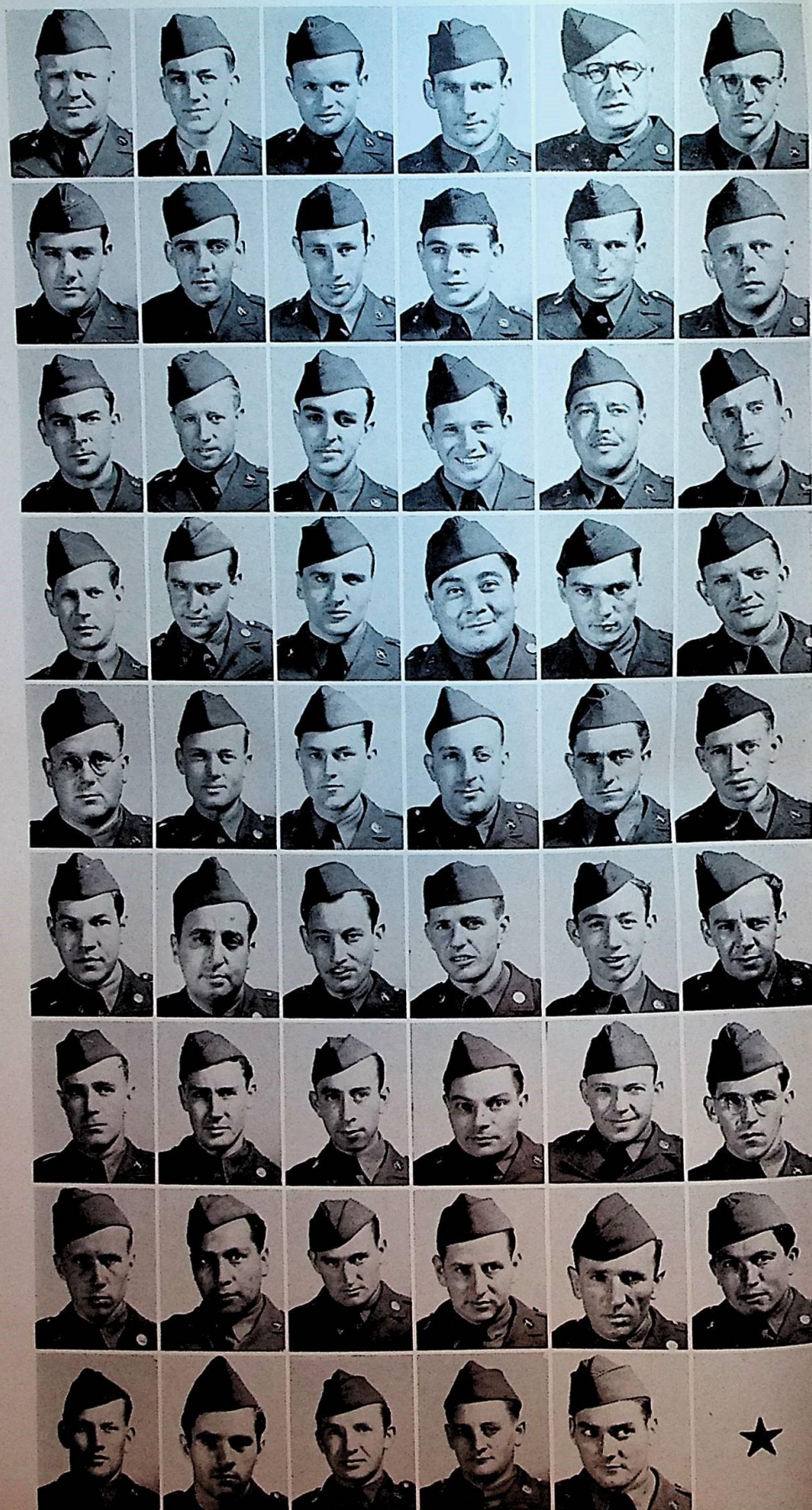
FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Boyd, Wilbur M.; Callison, Hiram O.; Carleton, Grant; Collins, Lansing R.; Dressler, Raymond R.; Eastin, Raymond L.

SIXTH ROW: Privates First Class Frimen, Donald A.; Goldman, William B.; Haller, Henry H.; Kimball, Charles B.; Kline, Robert B.; Lupton, James.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates First Class Madison, Clarence E.; Moore, Willard A.; Prego, Eldio; Strachota, Lawrence E.; Privates Adams, D. G.; Anderson, Theodore.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Atwell, Marvin H.; Baker, Edward; Bier, Oliver; Bloedow, Arthur L.; Booth, Roscoe R.; Borrozo, Albert.

NINTH ROW: Privates Brendum, Leroy S.; Broussard; Brunton, Earl C.; Burton, Sylvan E.; Christopherson, H. G.





HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

FIRST BATTALION 56TH COAST ARTILLERY

(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Copple, Samuel A.; Correia, Americo G.; Cox, Robert; Craig, Lee R.

SECOND ROW: Privates Curnett, Willard D.; Davis, Edwin E.; Dobczelyski, Mike; Dorn, Jerome P.; Dub, James; Dunning, Francis E.

THIRD ROW: Privates Elliot, Stuart H.; Fahrbach, John F.; Fink, Ray C.; Fitzsimmons, Lester R.; Foreman, Herman L.; Garcia, John J.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Gleason, Ambrose J.; Graham, Philip C.; Green, Edwin J.; Griffin, William J.; Hable, Glen W.; Harder, Harold D.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Herold, Robert J.; Hills, Maulk; Hoff, Howard M.; Hooverson, Richard C.; Huffman, Allen L.; Hurado, Jasper.

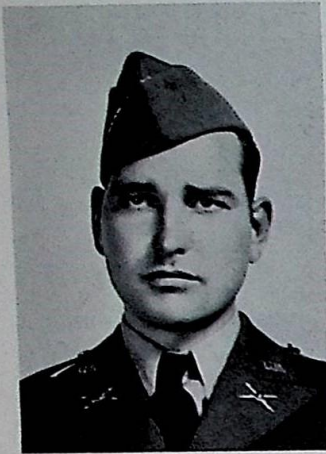
SIXTH ROW: Privates Jacobson, Harry A.; Jimenez, Ignacio H.; Johnson, Vivian E.; Jones, Edwald; Kinney, John W.; Krantz, Joseph P.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Krouse, Robert J.; Lattner, Cecil; Leuthold, Ernest E.; Lockwood, Russell C.; Machado, Art V.; Manske, George E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Mattice, Glen H.; McCutcheon, Alvin W.; Merchen, William G.; Mohr, Clarence A.; Mullally, Frank A.; Perkins, Arthur E.

NINTH ROW: Privates Provencio, Louis B.; Pumphrey, John; Rauso, Santo; Rhea, Joseph H.; Sartor, Richard W.; Sprague, Wayne H.

TENTH ROW: Privates Swamba, Frank; Tatum, Lawrence B.; Vickers, Grady B.; Woods, J. B.; Worthen, Edwin B.; Yates, Frederick C.



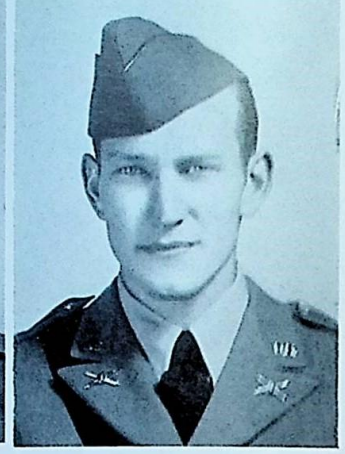
MAX L. EATON
Captain
Commanding Officer



WILLIAM A. MANDEL
First Lieutenant



FREDERICK C. BACHMANN
Second Lieutenant



ALBERT E. HOCKNEY
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y A

56th Coast Artillery



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FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Seelig, H. A.; Sergeants Blackwell, Clyde; Davis, E. A.; Ehling, A. J.

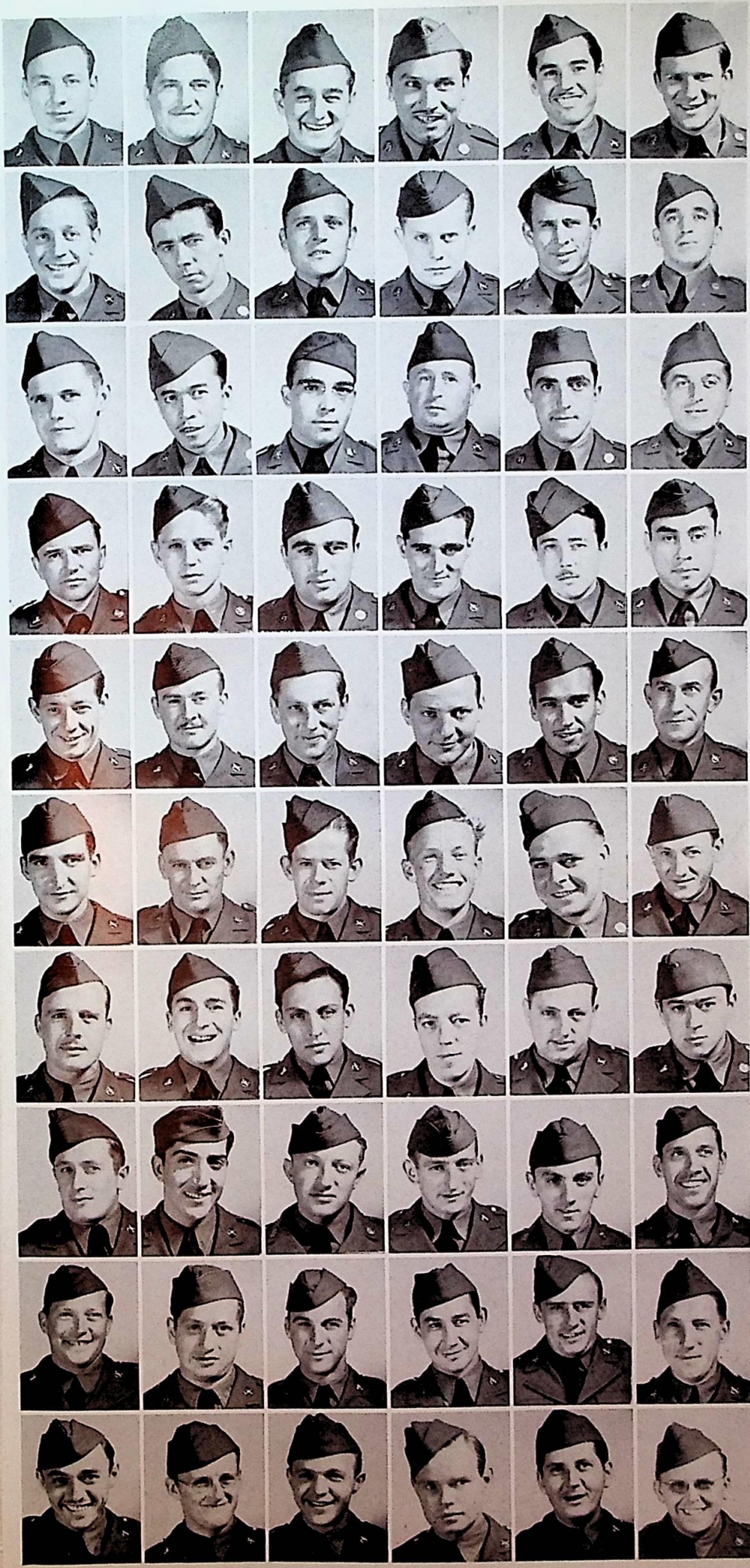
SECOND ROW: Sergeants Fent, D. E.; Dewitt, M. T.; Krok, John; Pechaver, J. F.; Ruddock, R. L.; Sibley, S. L.

THIRD ROW: Sergeant Whitley, G. F.; Corporals Allison, J. R.; August, Joseph; Bowers, G. B.; Brothers, R. E.; Clancy, C. W.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Davis, L. O.; Ferguson, J. R.; Fisher, C. A.; Gordon, R. W.; Kisseberth, I. M.; Miller, D. C.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Priddy, D. E.; Sdavo, Carlo; Sorensen, O. E.; Wileman, W. K.; Woods, P. A.





BATTERY A

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



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FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Bigelow, C. P.; Bobek, F. R.; Borisiewicz, Joseph; Collins, W. T.; Davila, R. G.; Ferman, R. C.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Gulon, Charles; Mansfield, J. T.; Medvec, J. A.; Phillips, R. W.; Poulette, Willy P.; Quick, H. W.

THIRD ROW: Privates Bachtik, O. J.; Bagood, R. B.; Baker, C. O.; Baranowski, W.; Bastuga, J. T.; Belmont, B. M.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Bondietti, Marion; Brown, W. P.; Bryant, T. G.; Byron, J. J.; Caldwell, T. F.; Cantarell, A. V.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Carter, D. W.; Casey, L. M.; Cauffield, L. R.; Cervenka, J. S.; Chavez, Alfredo; Cherry, Jackson.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Chomic, W. G.; Clark, Pete; Cleland, J. C.; Cota, R. X.; Craig, A. J.; Czapski, L. F.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Dahl, C. E.; Day, F. E.; DeSantos, H. J.; Diaz, F. P.; Drobik, S. J.; Duch, W. A.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Dumanowski, R. J.; Elecciri, H.; Etingoff, M.; Felbab, F. G.; Fortuna, S. I.; Foster, C. L.

NINTH ROW: Privates Fowler, T. E.; Frankowski, J. E.; Gensley, D. J.; Gordes, E. A.; Grzeskowiak, E. J.; Hallas, Valentine.

TENTH ROW: Privates Hamacek, L. J.; Haney, W. W.; Havel, J. E.; Hawkins, J. R.; Heaton, E. L.; Hendrix, D. C.

BATTERY A

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Iverson, C. E.; Jandus, N. T.; Jehlik, J. J.; Jenkins, A. E.; Johnson, Roy L.; Johnson, Wm. E.

SECOND ROW: Privates Johnson, Walter J.; Kawecki, J. S.; Kijewski, S. T.; Kilian, C. S.; Kirkwood, R.; Kobleski, E. R.

THIRD ROW: Privates Koch, W. A.; Kolek, L. F.; Krejsa, F. J.; Kriegsis, Peter; Kuch, A. J.; Latimer, R. T.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Lesniak, T. S.; Leyva, I. G.; Loftus, J. P.; Margli, J. F.; Margraf, J. W.; Marose, E. L.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Mau, F. W.; Maziak, Michael; Merkel, Clarence; Messersmith, W. A.; Minder, R. C.; Miskowicz, A. J.

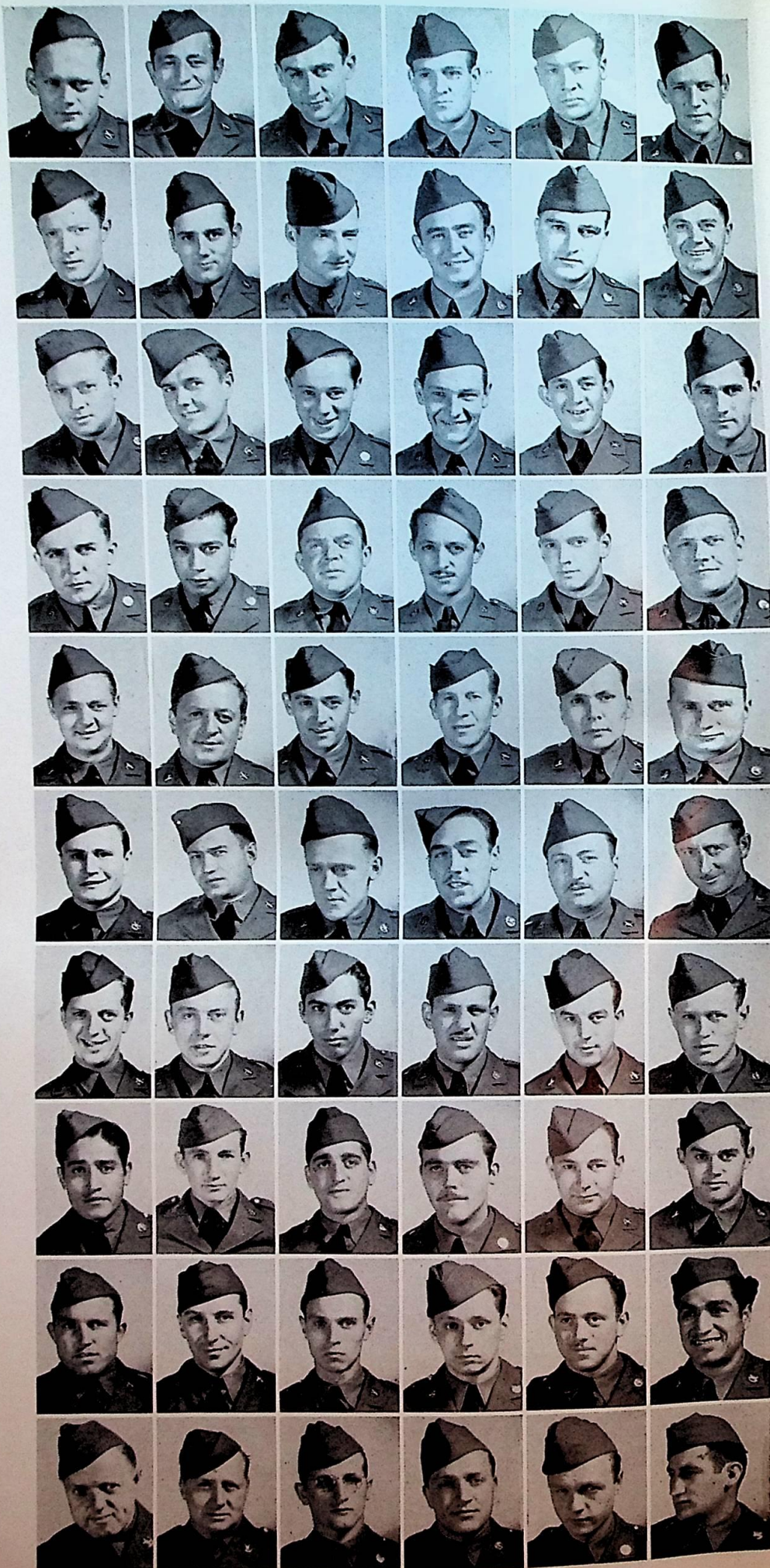
SIXTH ROW: Privates Nash, H. J.; Niewiarowski, A. A.; Nitz, O. G.; Peck, Arnold; Perdziak, E. F.; Pixner, S.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Quiring, O. A.; Rasmunson, Lester; Reyna, P. M.; Rogaz, A. H.; Rompala, F. G.; Roth, W. F.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Rueda, M. D.; Rump, H. L.; Sansone, J. J.; Schott, J. W.; Seny, Morris; Simons, E. A.

NINTH ROW: Privates Smith, R. E.; Stanio, John; Statkus, J. A.; Sterba, Anton; Tychman, Albert; Valdivia, R. M.

TENTH ROW: Privates Whallon, W. B.; Whipple, L. C.; Wikierak, F. J.; Wojak, Henry; Zim, S. F.; Zolar, John.

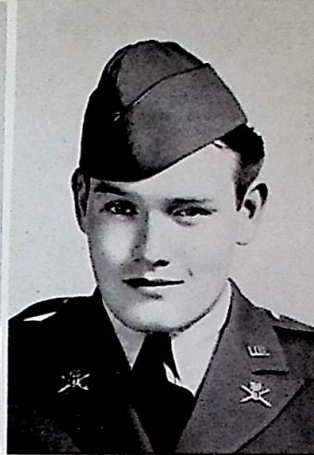




WARD C. SCHWEIZER
Captain
Commanding Officer



RIELLY D. CONRAD
First Lieutenant



NOLAN K. GRIFFIN
Second Lieutenant



JOSEPH G. WOODARD
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y B

56th Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Flanders, Merton O.; Sergeants Baleja, Harry F.; Crouse, Fred M.; Duncan, William G.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Emerson, Milton R.; Gamble, Thomas B.; Harris, Lee; Hidy, Conrad J.; Corporal Barnhart, Dale R.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Downing, William C.; Fleming, James W.; Hawkins, Joseph A.; Horn, Walter R.; James, Robert C.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Jennings, Alfred R.; Mikkelson, Lloyd M.; Oakes, Lee R.; Paus, Milton L.; Reiter, Frank E.

BATTERY B

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Alexander, James F.; Carreon, Joseph G.; Core, William; Frank, Melvin; Freeman, John H.; Fritz, William.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Gaffaney, Richard J.; Georges, Paul R.; Glick, Frank J.; Harshbarger, Herschel L.; Hatch, George; Just, Claude W.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Marcelwski, M.; McFarland, Dwayne E.; McGuire, William L.; Mirovsky, Edwin C.; Sommerfield, Edward; Thedinga, Harlan E.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Tidmore, Morris B.; Wieser, Joseph E.; Zupp, Frederick E.; Privates Aprato, Peter; Arndt, Harry W.; Babula, Joseph W.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Baka, William S.; Barger, James R.; Benes, George F.; Berasi, Edward; Billman, John T.; Black, Robert L.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Bokor, John T.; Brown, Parker H.; Bunning, Arthur H.; Carey, Vincent J.; Cohen, Bernard J.; Collier, James F.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Conley, John E.; Cowan, John W.; Cresta, Daniel; Cunneen, Thomas N.; Czernien, Stanley J.; Daniel, Frank J.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Dazzo, Frank; Ernest, Erwin E.; Ferrari, Ervin B.; Finkle, Ellis M.; Flint, Lawrence W.; Folger, Edwin B.

NINTH ROW: Privates Foster, Arthur W.; Friedman, Harry; Fronczak, Edward A.; Gavette, Charles M.; Gasco, Lawrence; Gazda, Stanley J.

TENTH ROW: Privates Gorak, Teddy J.; Haran, James F.; Harris, Clyde E.; Hollich, John A.; Hurt, George W.; Jacewski, Stanley H.



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56TH COAST ARTILLERY



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FIRST Row: Privates Johnson, Charles O.; Jones, Richard H.; Kielbassa, Joseph J.; Kopera, Stanley J.; Kristof, Monroe F.; Krygoski, John J.

SECOND Row: Privates Kuta, John I.; Law, Donald; Lee, Dick; MacLean, Gordon; Malik, William J.; Martinek, William H.

THIRD Row: Privates Maulsby, Howard W.; Miller, Fred D.; Mitchell, Harold D.; Monge, Martin E.; Montecalvo, Charles; Murch, Walter.

FOURTH Row: Privates Nelson, Jens L.; O'Malley, William S.; Pasiak, Felix J.; Pawlowski, Stanley J.

FIFTH Row: Privates Peterson, Orville E.; Popilchak, Steve; Rauhut, Henry G.; Reed, Robert C.; Riley, Carl B.; Rozanski, Eugene K.

SIXTH Row: Privates Salazar, Peter; Sarnowski, Henry W.; Schultz, Albert; Skowron, Marion R.; Snyder, Boyd C.; Spicer, Dudley G.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Stortz, Thomas J.; Sujdak, William J.; Tanner, Leland E.; Teters, William G.; Thaxton, Richard L.; Tinsley, Robert L.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Townsend, Oliver W.; Turek, John G.; Vavrik, Frank E.; Vitale, Domonic P.; Voris, Walter L.; Ward, William V.

NINTH Row: Privates Warner, John; Weir, Harold E.; Williams, Eugene; Winters, Leonard L.; Wojcik, Chester; Wojcik, Joseph R.

TENTH Row: Privates Wojcik, William A.; Wolek, Julius J.; Wolniak, Andrew; Wolstenholme, George F.; Wong, Kai W.; Zwerko, Adam.



HEADQUARTERS

Second Battalion

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



RONALD J. PRIDE
Major
Commanding Officer, Second Battalion



WAINO A. LAURI
Captain
Commanding Headquarters Battery



RICHARD W. LAZANSKY
First Lieutenant



WILLIAM W. STECKER
First Lieutenant



ALFRED H. FRIEDRICH
Second Lieutenant



LEONARD E. OLSON
Second Lieutenant



THOMAS R. SCOTT
Second Lieutenant

HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

SECOND BATTALION
56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: First Sergeant Moore, Charles E.; Staff Sergeant Phipps, Roger T.; Sergeants Adams, Wallace L.; Fretueg, Kenneth D.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Fullerton, Maurice A.; Kolash, Francis W.; Markham, Ernest W.; Moss, Louis M.; Peterson, Donald G.; Zimmerman, Troy L.

THIRD ROW: Corporals Atencio, Agpito P.; Castelli, Reynold J.; Glomski, Arthur R.; Henely, Paul R.; Hubble, Harold E.; Jones, Earl D.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Kinsley, James A.; Lloyd, Riddick S.; Martin, Clarence N.; Mease, William J.; Privates First Class Fry, Vincent; Gatt, Crispino.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Armstrong, Oran R.; Ball, Owen R.; Baird, Tracy L.; Bell, Kenneth E.; Betten-court, Edellino J.; Bilderback, Tony J.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Booth, William E.; Box, Atha M.; Bryant, Clarence; Carrico, Eugene J.; Chmielewski, Edward F.; Clement, Russel C.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Corella, Ignacio L.; Crawford, Ralph; De la Guerra, Kelly H.; Donham, Dock; Ebbing, Leo C.; Ferguson, Marvin D.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Fevinger, Esequiel; Francisco, Ralph M.; Frost, Leo J.; Geasler, Ralph G.; Gentry, Richard L.; Gibbs, Carl H.

NINTH ROW: Privates Gleason, Thomas D.; Gonzales, John A.; Gregor, Louis P.; Grotts, Howard J.; Gutierrez, Gilbert; Gutierrez, Ramon.



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

SECOND BATTALION
56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates Hackbarth, Elmer W.; Hoag, Lyle L.; Hunt, Charles L.; Hutton, Roy M.; Jones, Clinton W.; Jones, Orville T.

SECOND Row: Privates Lessley, Lester; McConkey, John; McClung, Dwayne D.; Meadows, Paul S.; Milon, Michael; Moreno, Joe.

THIRD Row: Privates Muscarella, Phillip A.; Noll, Wilford A.; Olson, Melvin F.; Palen, Roy S.; Parrillo, Antonio; Pilarski, Michael R.

FOURTH Row: Privates Price, Herbert C.; Probst, Alois J.; Pronold, Louis J.; Quiroz, John M.; Reidel, Norbert J.; Rockwell, Carl R.

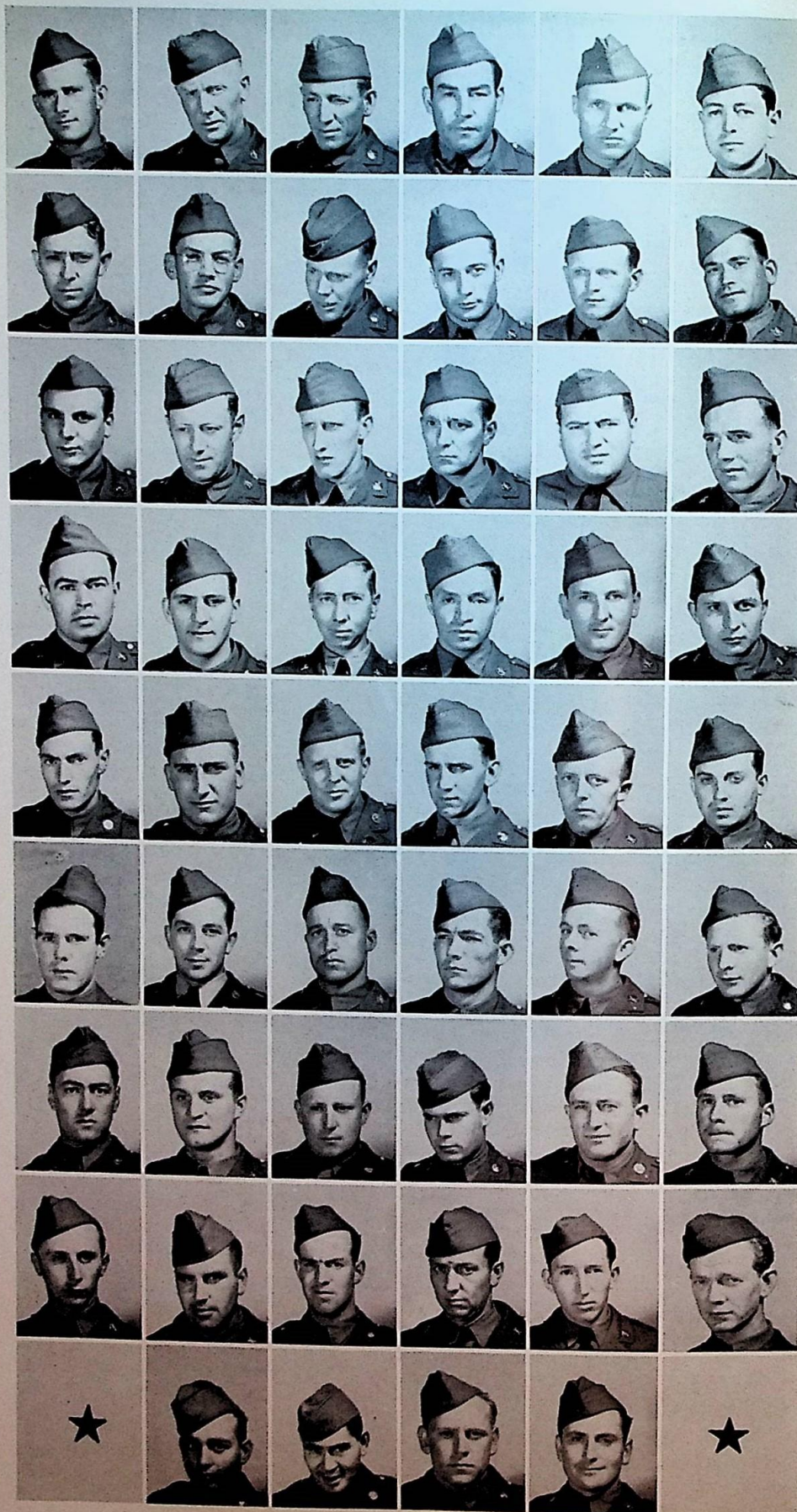
FIFTH Row: Privates Rose, Oliver J.; Ruffalo, William; Sanford, Rolland A.; Schauf, Leonard G.; Schou, Jack N.; Schumacher, George L.

SIXTH Row: Privates Shamblin, Howard L.; Skaife, Lawrence M.; Smith, Grover D.; Smith, Homer H.; Springer, Alvin A.; Springer, Carlyle H.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Swenson, Tilman O.; Tanana, William B.; Thompson, Glen C.; Tinsley, John W.; Tollison, Elmer R.; Von Ruden, Vernon A.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Vorndan, Norman J.; Wadzinski, Adolph A.; Wagner, Vilas A.; Watson, Henry C.; White, Basil W.; Whitsett, Jack M.

NINTH Row: Privates Wilson, Robert C.; Winchel, Henry J.; Yonules, Adolph; Zack, Edward I.





HENRY L. ORR
First Lieutenant



RANDELL A. DIEFFENDORF
Second Lieutenant



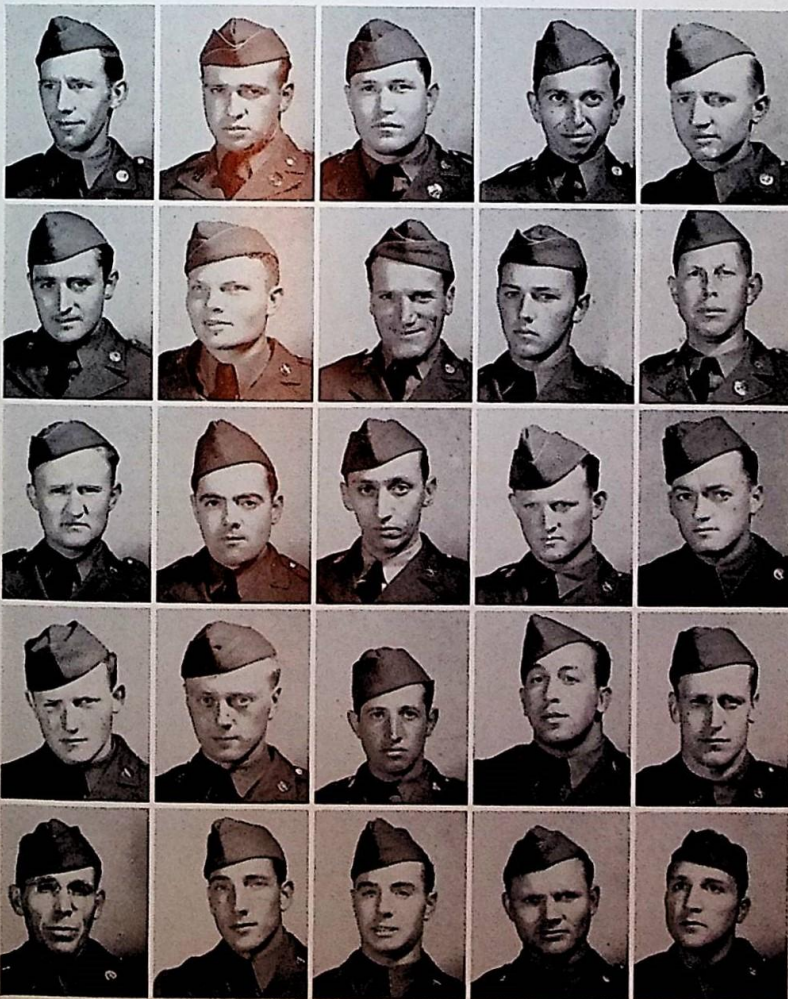
JOHN T. GHORMLEY
Second Lieutenant



GEORGE T. SAVAGE
Second Lieutenant

BATTERY C

56th Coast Artillery



GEORGE E. STEIGER
Captain
Commanding



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: First Sergeant Bulmer, John C.; Staff Sergeant Henry, Guy O.; Sergeants Barger, Foy E.; Chopelas, Angolo P.; Coleman, Warren C.

SECOND Row: Sergeants DeBow, Willard C.; Finout, Guy E.; Kozora, Joe J.; Madden, John C.; Seastrand, Paul W.

THIRD Row: Sergeant Whitaker, James L.; Corporals Bayley, Henry F.; Burke, John F.; Conway, Edward C.; Higbee, Samuel E.

FOURTH Row: Corporals Keough, Daniel T.; Luzinas, Daniel G.; Marino, Richard T.; McClain, Bernard T.; McDonald, John J.

FIFTH Row: Corporals Morrith, Wesley S.; Northrip, David N.; Passion, Alpha M.; Pitner, Victor J.; Woods, John G.

BATTERY C

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Anderson, Jack R.; Anderson, Raymond C.; Bruening, Eddie E.; Calkins, Edward G.; Clark, Harold H.

SECOND ROW: Privates First Class Ssesko, Henry J.; Dragetto, Alphonse; Hatch, G. S.; Hatfield, Harry M.; Higgins, Richard E.

THIRD ROW: Privates First Class Johnson, Charles E.; Juntnen, John E.; Kaitachuck, Donald W.; Kenney, Victor L.; Kibartas, Stanley S.

FOURTH ROW: Privates First Class Lansford, William S., Jr.; Laukkanen, Arnold; Laumann, Anton; Leech, James F.; Loftis, Basil C.

FIFTH ROW: Privates First Class Mojioa, Juan F.; Murda, Dominick F.; Musgrave, Calvin C.; Nagelvoort, Richard; Nelson, Orcille N.

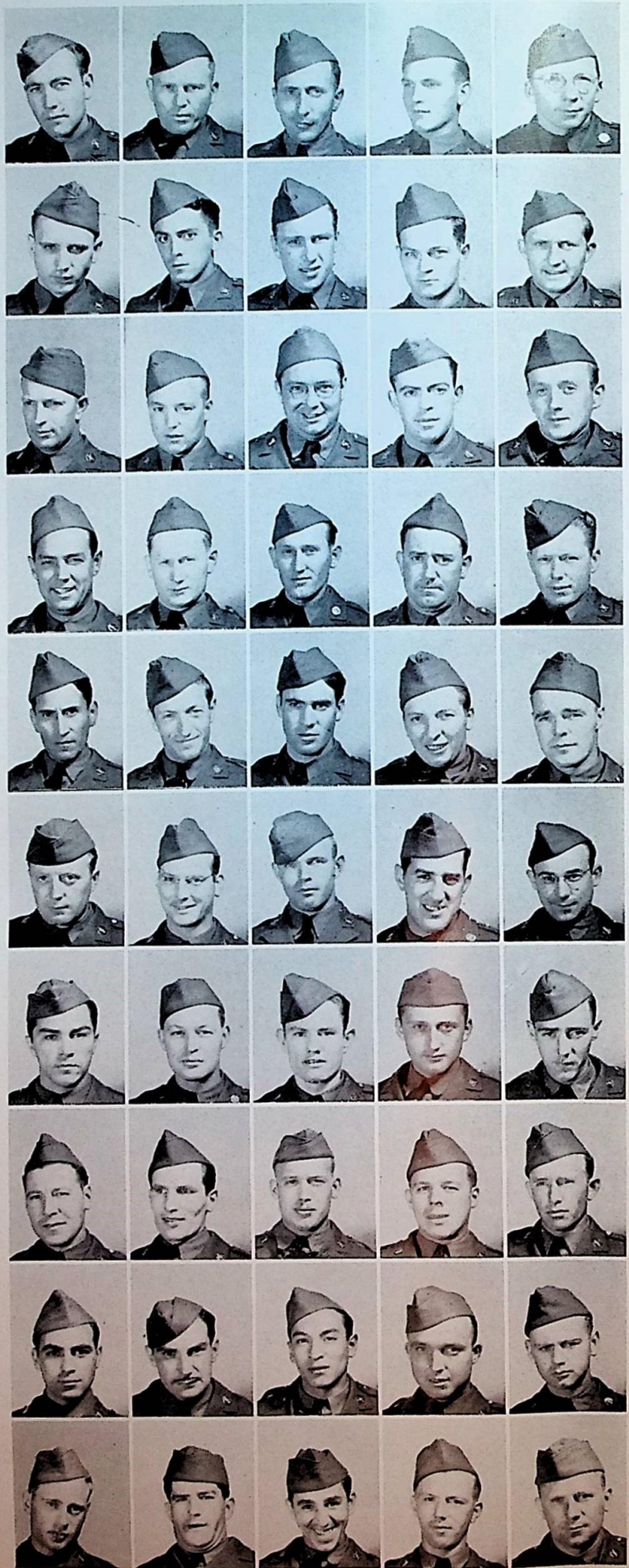
SIXTH ROW: Privates First Class Ray, Ernie L.; Reeves, Frank W.; Richards, Arthur H.; Serbaroli, Joseph A.; Studer, Verne L.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates First Class Tafoya, Joffre L.; Webb, Donald J.; Zupp, F.; Privates Baillis, Louis J.; Baker, Eugene P.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Baroli, Bill L.; Boro, Edward; Burlingame, Lyman R.; Carlson, Gordon; Casey, Kenneth.

NINTH ROW: Privates Cashia, Charles; Cepak, Emil; Clark, Waldo J.; Cleary, Mathew J.; Collins, Thomas J.

TENTH ROW: Privates Corbin, John N.; Cromydas, Demetre G.; DeVita, Salvator; Dore, Joseph D.; Drysch, Felix A.



BATTERY C

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates Encinas, Frank P.; Escalante, Albert E.; Fox, Edward J.; Fox, John.

SECOND Row: Privates Griggs, Earl J.; Gulbrand, Eric; Hagenson, Peter A.; Hajek, Roy F.; Hart, Garner F.; Hawkins, Charles F.

THIRD Row: Privates Kelnosky, Theodore; Kimmell, Delmar G.; Kosminski, Peter P.; Kramp, Walter H.; Lahnum, Wesley H.; Lakomisk, Leo R.

FOURTH Row: Privates Larson, Elliott L.; LaScola, Morriss; Lee, Rodney E.; Loeffel, William R.; Lonigro, Joseph L.; Lozowski, John.

FIFTH Row: Privates Maddox, Louis G.; Madrid, Raymond G.; Matelski, Stanley G.; Matezans, Albert A.; Matthews, Leon H.; Mauricio, Bonifacio G.

SIXTH Row: Privates McCracken, Floyd M.; McNamar, Francis X.; McIntosh, Garrett O.; Medford, Warren G.; Meidl, Joseph G.; Mejia, Ramon V.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Miller, Lawrence A.; Molini, Roy A.; Neuwirth, Carl F.; Olsen, Clyde M.; Plusser, Marvin A.; Porter, James H.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Prebowski, Edward S.; Rios, Tom O.; Romero, Robert F.; Rubinio, John F.; Spector, Max; Stanley, Arthur D.

NINTH Row: Privates Tallarico, Alfonso P.; Underwood, Frank; Volport, Leroy R.; Waldman, Jim D.; Warden, Jim L.; Williams, Russell L.

TENTH Row: Privates Nedlo, F. J.; Neuwirth, C. F.



WINSTON McBAIN
First Lieutenant



RICHARD B. WALKER
First Lieutenant



RALPH B. BAGGETT, JR.
Second Lieutenant



GEORGE F. HEIDE
Second Lieutenant

BATTERY D

56th Coast Artillery



JOHN H. NEWTON
Captain



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: First Sergeant Collins, Glen H.; Staff Sergeant Lopez, Frank L.; Sergeants DeSilva, George L.; Foutz, Orin H.

SECOND Row: Sergeants Hands, George; Lesniak, Stanley; Maculey, William J., Jr.; Machado, George F.; Warnock, John R.; Corporal Bowers, Robert F.

THIRD Row: Corporals Bowers, Fred D.; Broughton, Henry C.; Ceccarelli, Gino; Collins, Merlin A.; Coombs, Norman C.; Dahn, Herman D.

FOURTH Row: Corporals Dalton, Clarence; DeAngeleis, Domenic A.; Erlandson, Claude B.; Fagan, Leo P.; Hale, Glenn A.; Hulsizer, Frederick M.

FIFTH Row: Corporals Mostardi, Peter; Nadler, Meyer; Parr, Donald O.; Spears, Vernon S.; Wozny, Richard C.



BATTERY D

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates First Class Driver, James B.; Haresnape, Otto D.; Kouche, David W.; Lewis, Samuel A.; Privates Adair, Charles E.; Alenzueia, C. V.

SECOND ROW: Privates Arriaga, Florentino; Avina, Raul M.; Bailey, James F.; Ballard, Eugene, Jr.; Benett, John W.; Bertrand, Arthur C.

THIRD ROW: Privates Bettencourt, Gilbert S.; Blake, Louis A.; Blondin, Arthur B.; Bolin, William G.; Bosley, Louis J.; Bromann, Erwin W.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Brouillette, Alton E.; Brown, Wallace O.; Burde, Wilbur G.; Calvert, Fred W.; Camarena, Marcos A.; Campbell, Elmer C.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Cash, H. M. C.; Celestino, Mike; Chapman, Harold E.; Clark, Richard H.; Connolly, Lloyd T.; Davitt, Robert T.

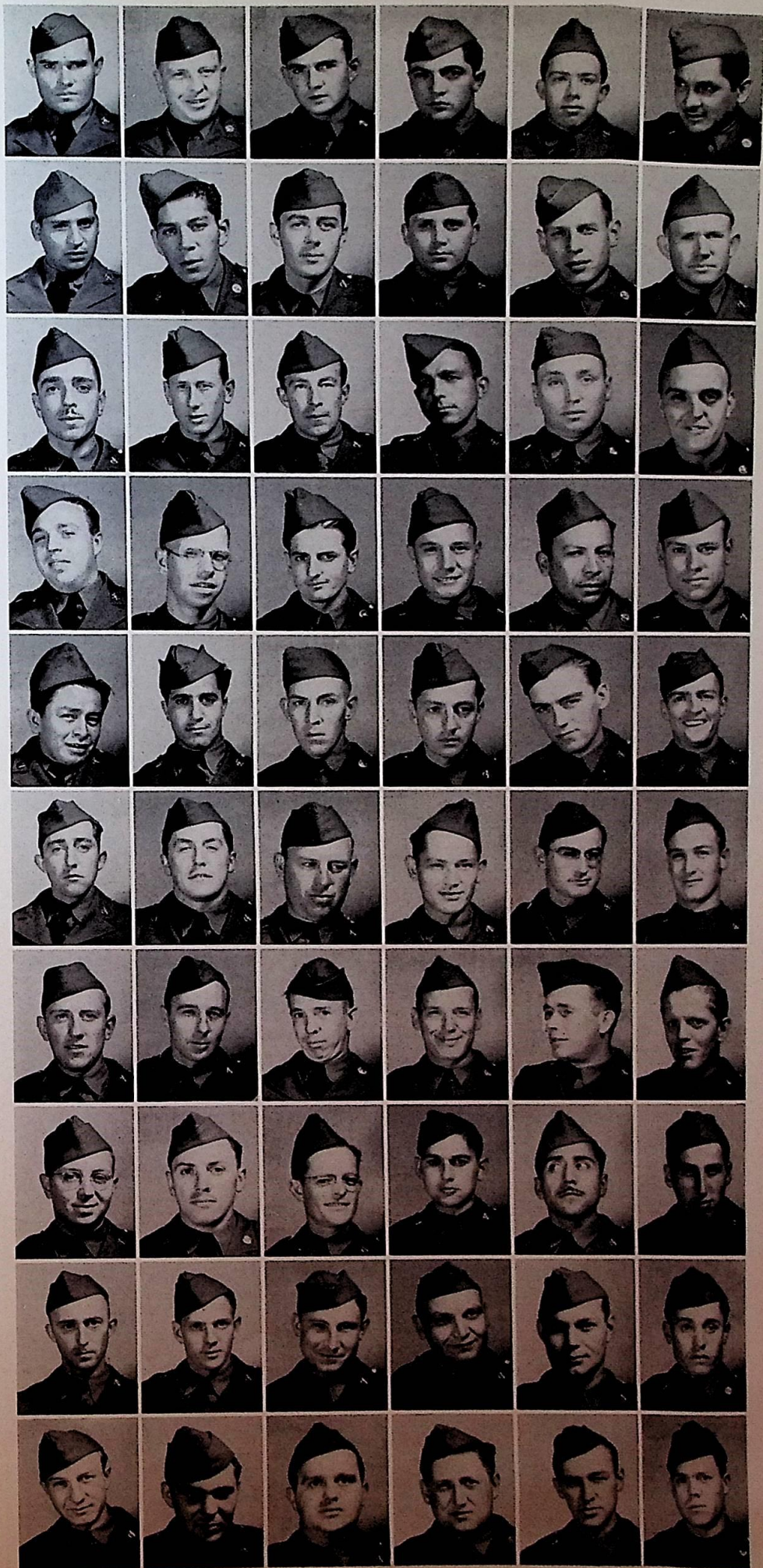
SIXTH ROW: Privates Denault, Wilfred L.; Diefenbach, George D.; Fadness, Ove G.; Felcyn, John J.; Felten, Arthur J.; Follrad, Ralph H.

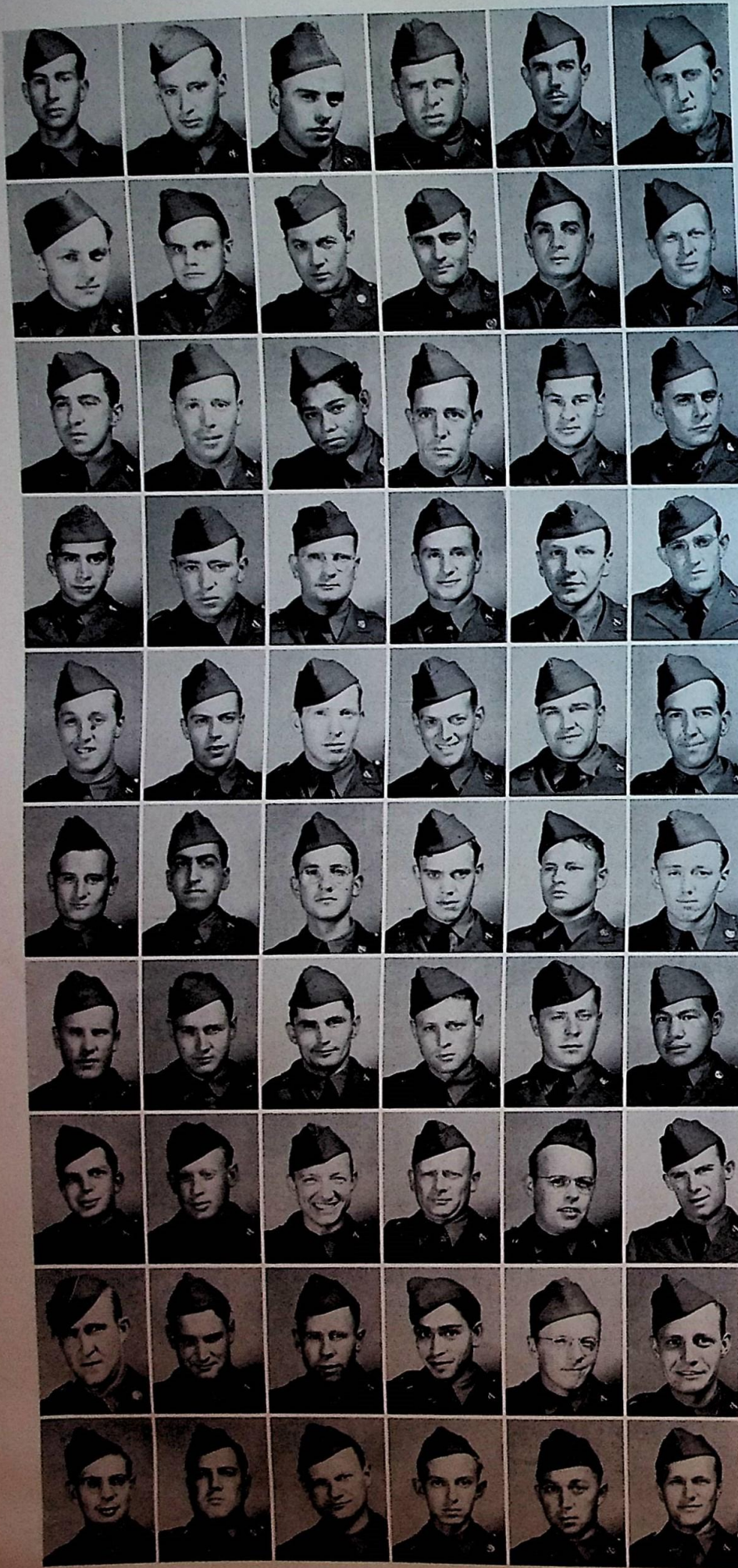
SEVENTH ROW: Privates Gasaway, Harold W.; Gray, George J.; Guth, Harold M.; Hale, Erwin E.; Hall, Earl; Hammer, Albert R.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Harke, Eldred M.; Hassler, Ivan G.; Haynes, James R.; Healless, Dale O.; Herrera, Joseph Y.; Heussner, Alvin C.

NINTH ROW: Privates Hill, Arthur A.; Hill, Edmund G.; Holt, Tim J.; Hudson, Raymond F.; Hughes, Reginald C.; Hurtado, Louis A.

TENTH ROW: Privates Inman, Thomas L.; Ivanhoff, Basil W.; Jacobowski, Anton S.; Jaros, John J.; Kemp, Wallace B.; Kidwell, Joseph P.





BATTERY D

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Klingbiel, Rex; Krug, Herbert W.; Krupp, John G.; Kulpa, Stanley L.; Land, Bruce K.; Maes, Rene L.

SECOND ROW: Privates Majerowicz, Chester W.; Maney, David; McDonald, James F.; Michel, Charles W.; Mickaels, John; Miglio, Adolph J.

THIRD ROW: Privates Mikulasek, William; Miller, Lyle R.; Molano, Manuel S.; Morgan, Richard F.; Morrow, William M.; Mroz, Joseph A.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Murillo, Valentine A.; Neal, William M.; Nelson, Harry W.; Nesler, Richard F.; Nexbouer, Frank W.; Noah, Alva E.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Olsen, Henry A.; Olsen, Robert; O'Malley, John F.; Opark, Eugene J.; Osborn, James C.; Phillips, Thomas A.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Pierce, Robert E.; Pinto, Frank M.; Platt, Ethan A.; Ray, Carl; Rhodes, Lloyd A.; Robinson, Gaylord W.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Rose, Courtland E.; Sabin, Max W.; Schmidt, Albert; Schreiner, George W.; Schuda, Casimer J.; Sharp, Delphert.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Simpson, Paul E.; Sparks, Harold J.; Stockli, Leo A., Jr.; Swanson, Lawrence L.; Swanson, Carl; Tatro, Charles J.

NINTH ROW: Privates Theall, Henry F.; Thomas, James L.; Ulm, Charley T.; Vega, Robert; Wiater, John J.; Wiegand, Edward J.

TENTH ROW: Privates Wilken, Henry F.; Williams, Harold H.; Wirkus, Raymond V.; Wolff, Paul O.; Wood, Carl O.; Zaleta, Joseph P.



MARVIN J. McKINNEY
Major
Commanding Officer, Third Battalion

HEADQUARTERS, THIRD BATTALION

56th Coast Artillery



RICHARD H. APPLING
Captain

DELMAR MILLER
Second Lieutenant



JAMES K. McMANIGAL
First Lieutenant

JOHN E. SLATER
Second Lieutenant



JAMES C. SEASHOLTZ
First Lieutenant

WILLIAM T. COLLINGWOOD
Second Lieutenant



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

THIRD BATTALION
56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: First Sergeant Van Frank, James D.; Staff Sergeant Peterson, Nordahl; Sergeants Rothwell, Donon I.; Rogers, Neil K.; Corporal Boyd, Roy W.

SECOND Row: Corporals Caldwell, Derrell S.; Foster, Walter C.; Simpson, Thomas W., Jr.; Privates First Class Borra, Steven; Cantrell, Howard O.

THIRD Row: Privates First Class Coon, Jesse C.; Feeney, Michael F.; Ford, Eldon L.; Hargrove, William C.; Haskett, Guy R., Jr.

FOURTH Row: Privates First Class Hawks, Harry M.; Isaacson, Marvin P.; Kubien, Anthony; McCarthy, Martin S.; McKinney, Charles E.

FIFTH Row: Privates First Class Mesenheimer, Leland E.; Monit, Edward G.; Muse, Doyle H.; Nowak, Chester A.; Nygowski, Stanley F.

SIXTH Row: Privates First Class Ogazaly, John J.; Perlberg, George A.; Peterson, Edgar F.; Pollock, Charles; Shaw, Jonathan W.

SEVENTH Row: Privates First Class Steinert, William W.; Szymanski, Adam J.; Talican, Henry R.; Wacht, Bruno C.; Waggoner, Russell K.

EIGHTH Row: Private First Class Wilson, Morris K.; Privates Acevedo, Alfred H.; Akstulewicz, Julian J.; Anderson, Clyde R.; Barefield, Arthur D.

NINTH Row: Privates Barrett, C. A.; Coffee, Charles; Coones, Joseph H.; Crippin, Paul; Daniel, James.



HEADQUARTERS BATTERY

THIRD BATTALION

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Dlugosinski, Theodore; Gagosian, Leo; Geertsen, Jorge; Halford, Joseph W.; Hazarshahian, John J.

SECOND ROW: Privates Healy, Norman J.; Herbst, George R.; Hocholek, Michael J.; Hoffman, Elmer R.; Hylton, Wilbur B.

THIRD ROW: Privates Javens, Curnal A.; Jones, Robert C.; Josefczyk, Andrew A.; Jurczyk, Adam B.; Krupa, Eugene A.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Kulaszewicz, Joseph J.; Laskowski, Edward J.; Loop, Donald W.; Maciha, Charles C.; Macuga, John P.

FIFTH ROW: Privates Makulski, John W.; Malaski, Stanley; Marcinowski, Joseph P.; McCurdy, John B.; Meshiriakoff, Boris M.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Mesich, Frank; Musial, Albert S.; Parker, Maurice F.; Pia, Aurelio; Rosetti, Carl.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Sabatini, Jack R.; Staton, Jake I.; Swider, Theodore E.; Szymanski, Casimere L.; Taylor, Charles R.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Taylor, Guy E.; Toresdahl, Garvin J.; Walker, Joseph R.; Walkowski, Stanley J.; Whipple, William F.

NINTH ROW: Privates Wiczorek, Casimere; Wiczorek, William J.; Wojtanowski, Stephen S.; Wrobel, Stanley J.; Wychiowski, Stephen F.



JOHN S. HAMILTON
First Lieutenant



WALLACE B. CHRISTENSEN
Second Lieutenant



NEVIN K. HIESTER
Second Lieutenant



RICHARD G. RAYBURN
Second Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y

56th Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: First Sergeant Yarbrough, Clint E.; Sergeants Brammer, Eugene H.; Borelli, Frank; Brown, Roy W.; Colosimo, Dominico A.; Golden, Lee W.



SECOND Row: Sergeants Holbert, Glen F.; Mulvey, Tracy R.; Steffen, James S.; Stevenson, William F.; Corporals Duarte, Romeo F.; Haldane, John C.



THIRD Row: Corporals King, Clarence L.; Lofland, Lavern E.; Murray, Joseph C.; Pratt, Raymond F.; Rains, Roger M.



BATTERY E

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Private First Class Dahl, Clarence T.; Privates Adamaszek, Arthur A.; Adams, George H.; Addison, Len.

SECOND Row: Privates Adkins, Homer C.; Alden, John D.; Anderson, Sherman E.; Bluhm, Lester C.; Borell, Petter; Burns, Wilson E.

THIRD Row: Privates Clade, Arnold B.; Campanelli, Joe; Cannady, James B.; Cantrell, Robert J.; Carrell, Joseph B.; Case, Franklin H.

FOURTH Row: Privates Castillo, Alvin G.; Cescaline, Angelo F.; Centoni, John R.; Centoni, Vincent H.; Chase, James M.; Clark, William E.

FIFTH Row: Privates Conrath, Charles L.; Cooper, James D.; Craddock, Samuel R.; Cummins, Will; D'Angelo, Camillo; Delgado, L. R.

SIXTH Row: Privates Dohn, Valentine J.; Edney, Markham E.; Evich, John J.; Galusza, Alphonse A.; Georgecakis, J. C.; Giacomazzi, Richard P.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Graumann, Casimir G.; Greinke, Harold H.; Grysiewicz, Edward S.; Guerra, Francisco M.; Gunville, Albert F.; Hall, George D., Jr.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Hamilton, Joseph R.; Hardy, Walter D.; Harmon, Elton L.; Haver, Willard E.; Hill, James R.; Hilton, Roswell N.

NINTH Row: Privates Hodson, Taylor R.; Humphrey, Lloyd W.; Johnson, Gustave W.; Johnson, Robert A.; Joiner, Thomas F.

BATTERY E

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Jesme, Melford J.; Jonkouski, Joseph L.; Private First Class Klauk, E. W.; Privates Kane, Paul J.; Karroll, J. B.; Kasallis, James W.

SECOND ROW: Privates Keslov, Lewis W.; Kingstad, Thomas R.; Kirkpatrick, Harry J.; Kloos, William H.; Komorowski, Frank A.; Kornoff, William.

THIRD ROW: Privates Kramer, Sylvester E.; Krasner, Lawrence B.; Staff Sergeant Krebs, H.; Privates Larson, Lawrence T.; Lau, John T.; Levitsky, Leonid N.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Lorenzen, Donald G.; Lyford, Moses; Maas, Walter F.; Macchia, James R.; Manderschied, James J.; Martinez, Auginaldo A.

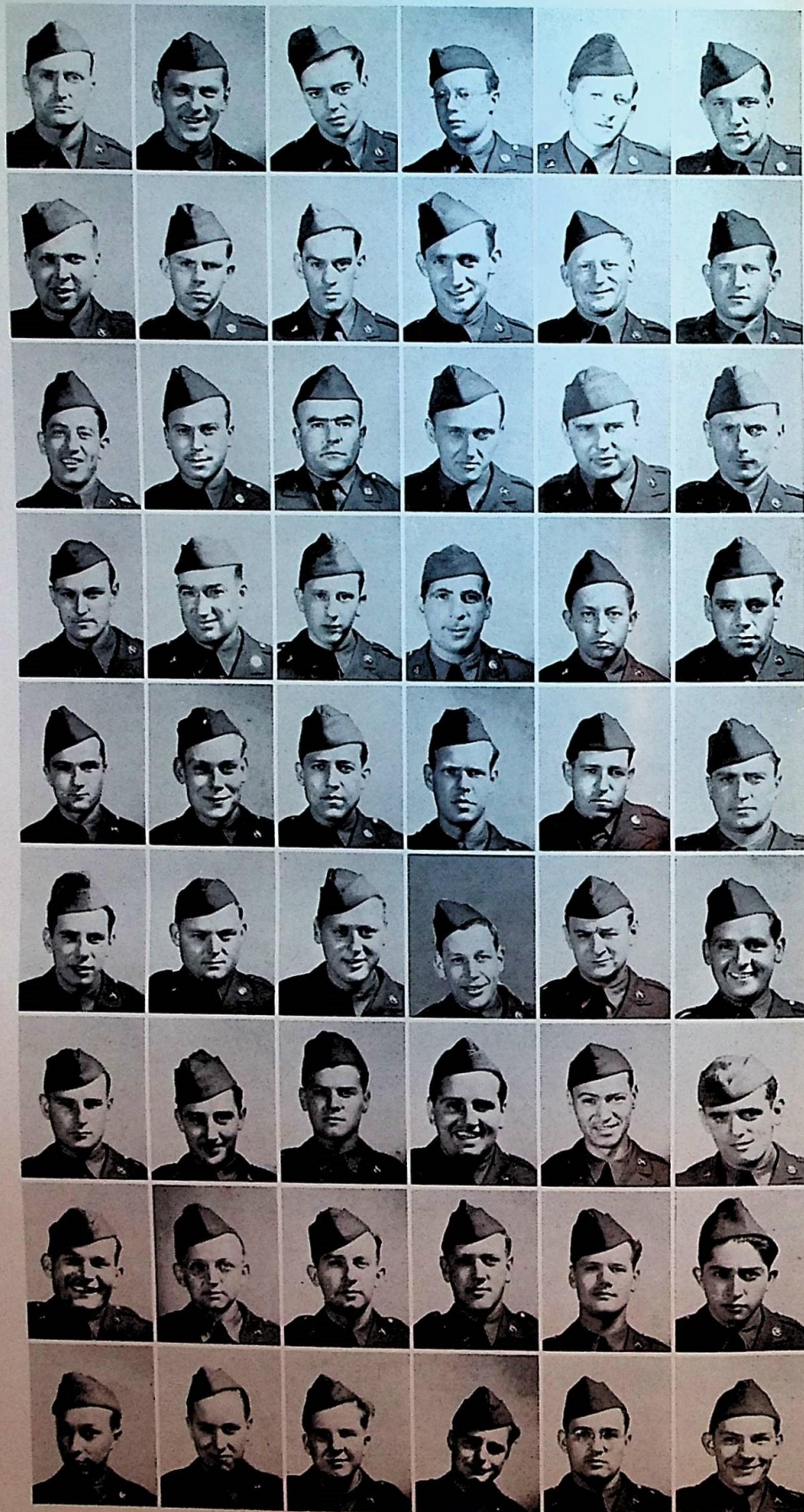
FIFTH ROW: Privates Martz, Stephen R.; McGuire, Jack H.; Mittman, John C.; Monson, Joseph C.; Morgan, Theodore R.; Murphy, Merle D.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Netzel, Kenneth A.; Orr, Doyle R.; Paetz, Lester H.; Partridge, Reginald W.; Pasowicz, Stanley J.; Pedersen, Alfred E.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Piazza, Roger J.; Picha, Edward F.; Piper, Delbert L.; Pollard, Richard M.; Popdan, John; Popp, George.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Prince, Sydney L.; Raabe, Willis A.; Raines, George H.; Reeves, Donald E.; Reitsma, Peter; Rivera, David.

NINTH ROW: Privates Sanders, Thomas S.; Schultz, William M.; Shemberger, Kenneth A.; Stanley, Dean S.; Stewart, John M.; Vosberg, Gerald F.





HARRY BAHEN
First Lieutenant



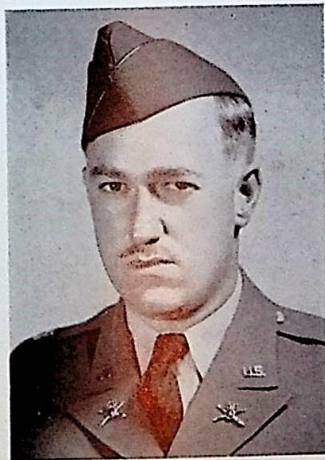
ROBERT A. CADIGAN
Second Lieutenant



KENNETH L. CARDEN
Second Lieutenant



WALTER D. PATERSON
Second Lieutenant



WALTER WOLFKUEHLER
Captain
Commanding Officer

BATTERY F

56th Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

First Sergeant Burdick, Harry C.; Staff Sergeant Comstock,
Richard D.; Sergeant Schmidt, Nicholas C.; Corporal Heller,
Dallas E.



B A T T E R Y F

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Private First Class Ambrose, Paul L.; Privates Anderson, Howard D.; Andre, John J.; Andrews, Robert B.; Atkinson, Howard M.; Athey, Lyle J.

SECOND ROW: Privates Beck, Lester J.; Bejna, Charles W.; Berman, Lewis; Bertrand, Eilmer; Billingsley, Claude D.; Bistry, Michael P.

THIRD ROW: Privates Bleich, Wilford C.; Blissmer, Floyd W.; Borri, Ancho A.; Bowen, Ralph W.; Braland, Edmond M.; Bromberek, Philip L.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Brumbelow, Charles J.; Brussock, John A.; Buczek, John V.; Byrd, George; Cejka, George J.; Cheesman, James P.

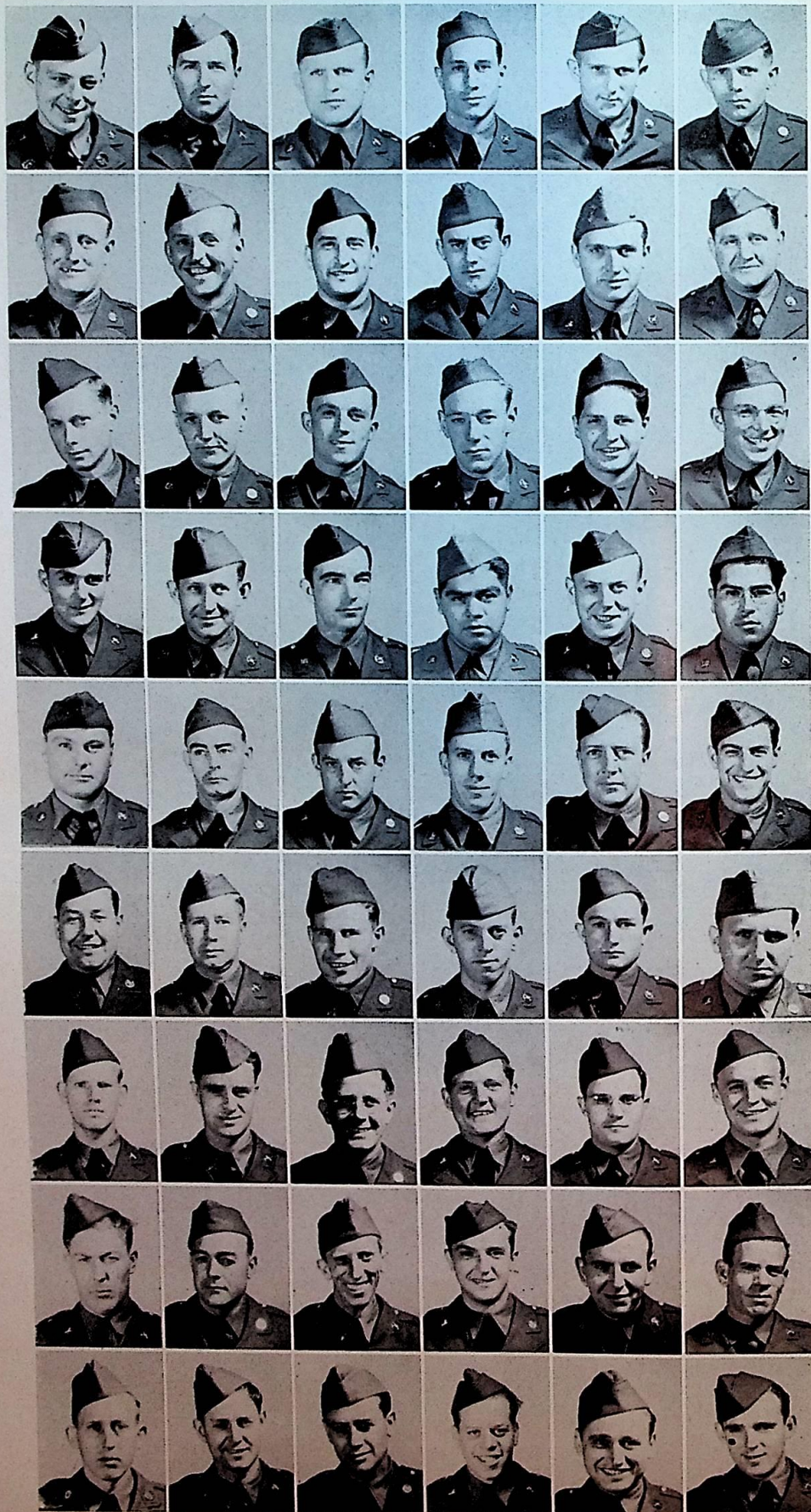
FIFTH ROW: Privates Clark, Albert; Cleary, William M.; Conley, Raymond W.; Corn, Lee E.; Cosgrove, Donald J.; Damm, Joseph P.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Dennison, Thomas R.; Dillon, John A.; Doolittle, Mervin H.; Dorethy, Lewis W.; Dotson, Ralph E.; Dubiel, Walter P.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Dunkerly, Joe A.; Endres, Ferrol K.; Erickson, Elwyn H.; Freestate, Robert C.; Fortney, Robert M.; Geier, Clifford C.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Glenn, Edward; Goodson, Riley M.; Grimes, Henry G.; Gunnell, John P.; Hamilton, Richard H.; Hammonds, Claude.

NINTH ROW: Privates Harkrider, Guy M.; Harmison, Verne L.; Hembree, Robert C.; Holmgren, Lloyd D.; Horak, Robert C.; Hertzfeld, George J.





BATTERY F

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Privates Howser, Warren B.; James, Walter G.; Jones, Robert T.; Jurek, August A.; Kobelenz, John A.

SECOND ROW: Privates Kohout, James C.; Kosak, James L.; Kral, George W.; Labno, Julian N.; Legris, Aubin M.

THIRD ROW: Privates Liljencrantz, Thor; Lindsey, Everett S.; Maher, Lawrence J.; Malm, Walter G.; Marinelle, Fred D.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Martin, Archie E.; Mattas, Frank J.; Matteson, Charles M.; Matteucci, Peter; May, William G.

FIFTH ROW: Privates McGuire, Emmitt H.; Mendelson, William D.; Menicucci, Danny J.; Miller, Joe L.; Minehan, John J.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Minerich, John L.; Mortensen, Wallace E.; Nation, Walter E.; Nelson, Harvey; Ott, Vesper P.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Peterson, Russell J.; Perry, William A.; Price, William K.; Proffit, William; Rakas, Frank J.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Richardson, Charles L.; Schooley, LaVern R.; Shelhamer, William H.; Stratton, Claude E.; Tews, Walter J.

NINTH ROW: Privates Thomas, Donald G.; Thomas, Woodie H.; Thorson, Marion S.; Tillman, Albert F.; Waca, William H.

TENTH ROW: Privates Waddingham, Dean; Warning, Wilbur F.; Wells, Jack J.; Willerton, Lynn C.



ERLING HORN
Captain



JACK D. GALLUP
First Lieutenant



JAMES W. GRAVES, JR.
First Lieutenant



JOHN A. MOKRES
First Lieutenant

B A T T E R Y G

56th Coast Artillery



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST ROW: Staff Sergeants Bury, Elmo J.; Dutton, Henry C.; Ellwood, Harold D.; Sergeant Brewster, Edward F.

SECOND ROW: Sergeants Cairns, Harry W.; Clark, Marion B.; Homen, William F.; Martin, Boyd A.; Mullaney, Gerald; Saulenas, Alphonse A.

THIRD ROW: Sergeant Shepard, Francis W.; Corporals Bugger, Laverne J.; DeWitt, Dale D.; DeShetler, Lambert W.; Hamby, John B.; Holmes, John S.

FOURTH ROW: Corporals Holt, Phillip F.; Jones, Robert H.; Karwoski, John; LaCasse, Edward A.; Ramsey, William F.; Reiter, John.

FIFTH ROW: Corporals Riley, Herbert E.; Rusnik, John; Temple, Bernard B.; Thompson, Lawrence C.; Wyman, Harold C. G.



B A T T E R Y G

56TH COAST ARTILLERY



(Reading from Left to Right)

FIRST Row: Privates First Class Alverson, Joseph J.; Berry, James F.; Calasanti, Sebastiano; Calhoun, John B.; Dasher, Ross T.

SECOND Row: Privates First Class Dietrich, Walter G.; Fowler, George L.; Kistler, Chalmer W.; Palmer, Eugene W.; Tenn, Joe H.

THIRD Row: Privates First Class Wagner, Edward; Woods, George J.; Privates Adams, Jack C.; Bassett, Harry T.; Baumgartner, Edward C.

FOURTH Row: Privates Bennett, Frank J.; Best, Nelson; Bonner, Ulys G.; Brown, Scott W.; Cantor, Peter.

FIFTH Row: Privates Chase, Leo R.; Childs, Winfield R.; Comroe, Benjamin; Cramer, John; Dana, Harold V.

SIXTH Row: Privates Dubovsky, Joseph F.; Duke, Roy D.; Ellsworth, David; Evans, Robert L.; Fischbeck, George W.

SEVENTH Row: Privates Garcia, Julian; Geiss, Nicodemus; German, James N.; Griffin, John T.; Guffey, Fred.

EIGHTH Row: Privates Hack, Joseph H., Jr.; Hardy, Paul J.; Hartman, Victor R.; Head, Wendell; Holsonback, Bernard L.

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FIRST ROW: Privates Hospodar, Michael; Houde, Ned A.; Hunziker, Alma D.; Kreig, Cameron F.; Kreueger, Howard I.

SECOND ROW: Privates Lane, Donald M.; Lane, George R.; Larko, John; Lewis, Dallas E.; McDonnough, Donald J.

THIRD ROW: Privates McIntosh, Edward J.; Mead, Norman A.; Mitchell, Harry E.; Mizote, George; Molina, Manuel S.

FOURTH ROW: Privates Moline, Stanley R.; Moreno, Anthony M.; Neubecker, Leon E.; Olivas, Ernesto L.; Pamer, Anton J.

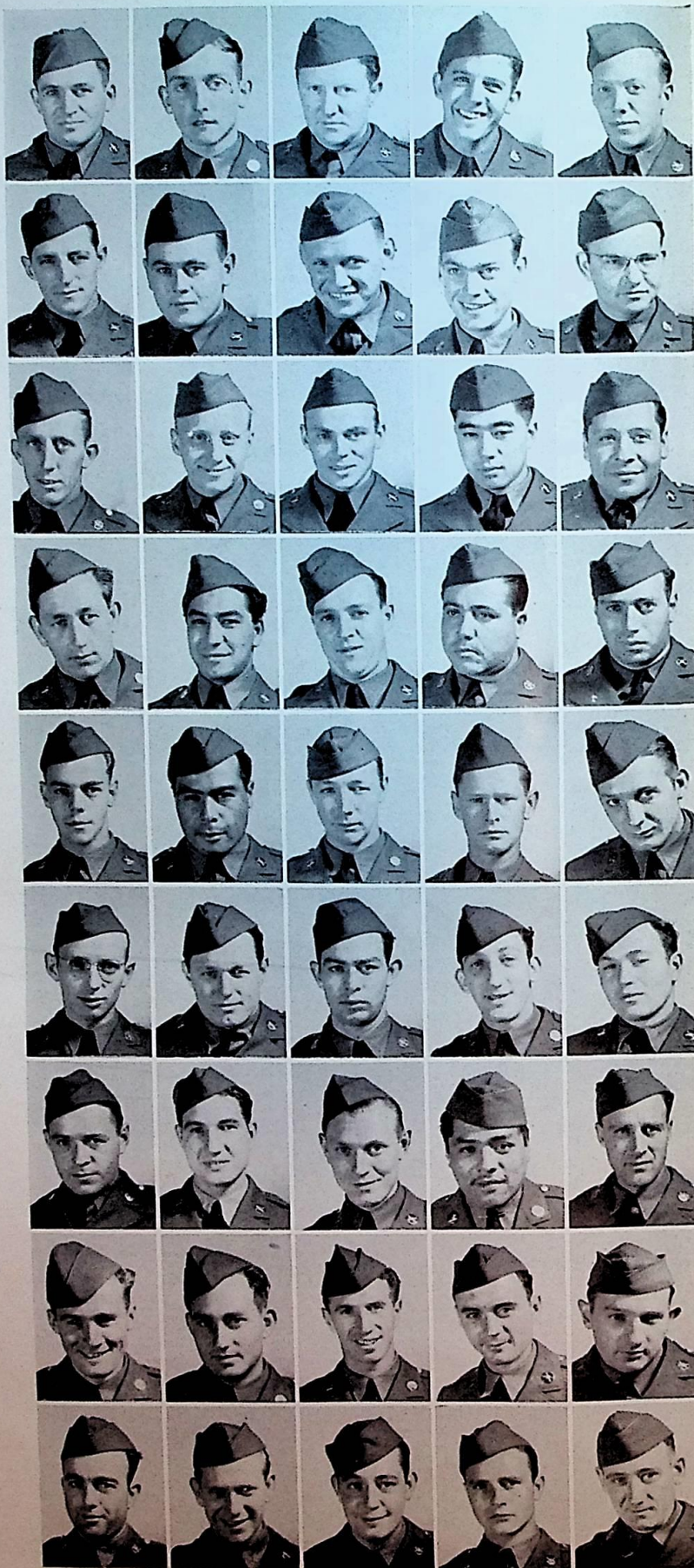
FIFTH ROW: Privates Ramm, Frank J.; Rodriguez, Henry A.; Sawyer, Anton L.; Schuttpelz, Elmer F.; Seborowski, Chester P.

SIXTH ROW: Privates Simpson, John C.; Smith, Wilbur J.; Stepp, Frank E.; Stillwater, Henry; Stone, Fred C.

SEVENTH ROW: Privates Sullivan, Francis C.; Taylor, R.; Townsend, Sherwood M.; Trejo, Merced A.; Tyler, Albert E.

EIGHTH ROW: Privates Walker, Ralph; Walker, Thomas A.; Walsh, James N.; Walsh, Michael V.; Walz, Albert, Jr.

NINTH ROW: Welch, Leo J.; Wright, William G.; Yourchok, Charles F.; Zitar, John J.; Zuehlke, William H.





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First Lieutenant



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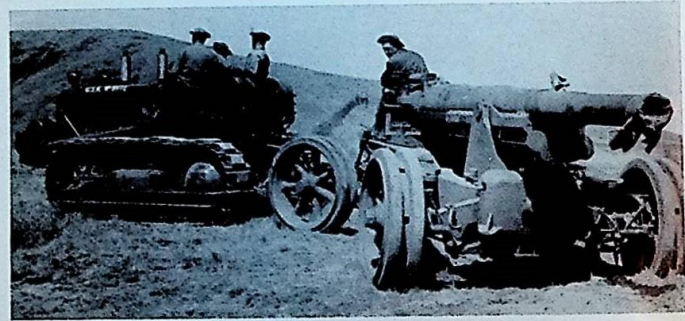
FIRST Row: Staff Sergeant Melinec, Steve; Sergeants Calhoun, Bernice S.; Frankenbert, Alexander G.; Tresch, Robert J.; Corporals Gunn, Robert W.; Hannum, Davis D.

SECOND Row: Private First Class Whitenack, Harvey L.; Privates Bennett, Donald L.; Carter, Albert L.; Fortuna, Emil F.; Gephart, Richard G.; Geringer, John R.





Above, gun crews of the 56th Coast Artillery line up the huge 155-mm. guns for action. At left, a non-commissioned officer instructs a group of soldiers in the operation of the 155-mm. Below, spotting 155-mm. gun emplacements.



THE 56TH COAST ARTILLERY GOES INTO ACTION WITH THE 155-MM. GUN

155-MM. GUN BATTERIES, A VITAL PART OF THE HARBOR DEFENSES OF SAN FRANCISCO

