

History of the Sanitary Detachment, 5th Infantry Regiment, National Guard of California 1893-1917

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Sanitary Detachment, 5th Infantry Regiment C .N.G.
 Reference; Adjutant General's Files
 Location; Oakland, Alameda County.

Organization January 3, 1893*
 Mustered into Federal Service June 28, 1916**
 Mustered out Federal Service October 7, 1918***
 Resumption service National Guard 1916****
 Mustered into Federal Service April 10, 1917+
 Redesignated September 24, 1917*:

COMMANDING OFFICERS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Majors</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Commission</u>
James P. Dunn Major (Retired March 7, 1906)	Coast Artillery	May 17, 1893	November 22, 1897
Charles A. Duker Major (Relieved of Command Nov. 14, 1910)		June 7, 1908	February 14, 1908
Frank H. Paterson Major (Major June 10, 1914)		June 10, 1914	June 10, 1914

* Adjutant General Report 1920-1926, page 26.

** Sanitary Detachment as part of the Fifth Infantry Regiment mustered into Federal Service for duty on the Mexican Border June 28, 1916.
 Adjutant General Report 1914-1920, page 18.

*** Adjutant General Report 1920-1926, page 26.

**** General and Special Orders and Bullatins 1916, General Order # 34, page 150.

+ Sanitary Detachment, 5th Infantry Regiment mustered into Federal Service for duty during the World War, April 10, 1917.
 Muster Roll, Sanitary Detachment, 5th Infantry Regiment April 10, 1917.
 Adjutant General's Office.

** Adjutant General Report 1920-1926, page 26.

<u>Name</u>	<u>In Command</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Commissions</u>
Frank A. St. Sure Capt. (Resigned May 11, 1902)		May 1, 1901	May 31, 1901
Orro Crosby Hyde Capt.		June 4, 1903	July 15, 1903
Robert B. Williams 1st Lt. (Assumed Command Nov. 9, 1905) (Relieved of command Dec. 15, 1906) (Resigned Mar. 6, 1907)		Mar. 31, 1902	May 26, 1902
Charles A. Dukes 1st Lt. (Assumed command Dec. 15, 1906) (Promoted to Major Mar. 2, 1908)		Mar. 31, 1905	May 26, 1905
Frank S. Emmal Capt. (Transferred to Coast Artillery Apr. 1, 1909)		Jan. 11, 1909	Apr. 1, 1909
Clarence A. DePuy Capt. (Resigned Sept. 15, 1910)		July 5, 1910	July 5, 1910
Joseph Butler 1st Lt. (Assumed command Nov. 14, 1910) (Relieved of command Apr. 13, 1911)		Sept. 30, 1908	Apr. 1, 1909
James C. Hanley 1st Lt. (Assumed Command Apr. 13, 1911) (Promoted to Capt. Sept. 8, 1912)		July 19, 1909	Aug. 9, 1909
James C. Hanley Capt. (Transferred to Field Artillery June 26, 1914)		Aug. 22, 1912	Sept. 8, 1912
Frank H. Paterson Capt. (Promoted to Major June 30, 1914)		Oct. 1, 1913	Dec. 22, 1913
Wilfred E. Chambers 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. July 27, 1914)		May 30, 1911	June 27, 1911
Wilfred E. Chambers Capt.		July 1, 1914	July 27, 1914

First Lieutenants

<u>Name</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Commissions</u>
Charles A. Dukes 1st Lt. (Assumed command Dec. 15, 1906) (Promoted to Major Mar. 2, 1908)	Mar. 31, 1905	May 26, 1905
Robert M. Bonar 1st Lt. (Resigned Mar. 22, 1907)	Apr. 18, 1906	Apr. 18, 1906
Frank Seely Emmal 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. Feb. 16, 1909)	Mar. 31, 1905	June 12, 1907
Clarence A. DePuy 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. July 5, 1910)	June 10, 1907	July 5, 1907
Joseph Butler 1st Lt. (Relieved of Command own request Apr. 19, 1911)	Sept. 30, 1908	Apr. 1, 1909
J. C. Hanley 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. Sept. 8, 1912)	July 19, 1909	Aug. 9, 1909
Frank H. Paterson 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. Dec. 22, 1913)	Sept. 22, 1910	Oct. 1, 1910
Wilfred E. Chambers 1st Lt. (Promoted to Capt. July 27, 1914)	May 30, 1911	June 27, 1911
Charles E. Schwartz 1st Lt. (Transferred to Coast Artillery Corps. Jan. 23, 1917.)	June 26, 1916	June 26 1916
Albert B. Heffrick 1st Lt.	June 28, 1916	June 28, 1916

ACTIVITIES

The Sanitary Corps, Fifth Infantry Regiment was organized in Oakland, California January 3, 1898. Details of the organization of the unit could not be found in the records of the Fifth Infantry Regiment. Monthly Detachment Returns beginning in March, 1904 is the oldest documents available.

The detachment consisted of twelve members in March, 1904. In February 1917 the detachment had an enrollment of 23 members.

The Sanitary Detachment as a part of the Fifth Infantry Regiment was mustered into Federal Service June 28, 1916 for duty on the Mexican Border, serving until October 7, when the regiment was mustered out.

On March 26, 1917, the Fifth Infantry Regiment was called into Federal Service for duty during the World War. The Sanitary Detachment was mustered into Federal Service April 10, 1917, and on September 24, 1917, was redesignated Medical Detachment 158th Infantry Regiment, 40th Division.

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