Battery A, Thirteenth Field Artillery

SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, HAWAII

Christmas Dinner

1930

Menu

Oyster Soup and Oysterettes

Olives *Shrimp Cocktail* *Sweet Pickles*

Roast Turkey *Oyster Dressing*

Giblet Gravy *Cranberry Sauce*

Creamed Mashed Potatoes *Candied Sweet Potatoes*

Head Lettuce *Waldorf Salad* *Mayonnaise Dressing*

Parker House Rolls *Creamery Butter*

Mince Pie *Chocolate Layer Cake* *Pumykin Pie*

Oranges *Apples* *Bananas*

Vanilla Ice Cream *Mixed Candy* *Orangeade*

Cigars *Mixed Nuts* *Cigarettes*

Mess Sergeant
Tom L. Russell

Cooks
Auburn, Vaillencourt, Erazo and Foskett
Pastry Cook, Quintana

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Roster

Captain
LeCount H. Slocum

First Lieutenant
Daniel F. Healey, Jr.

Second Lieutenants
Frank Q. Goodell
Clayton E. Hughes

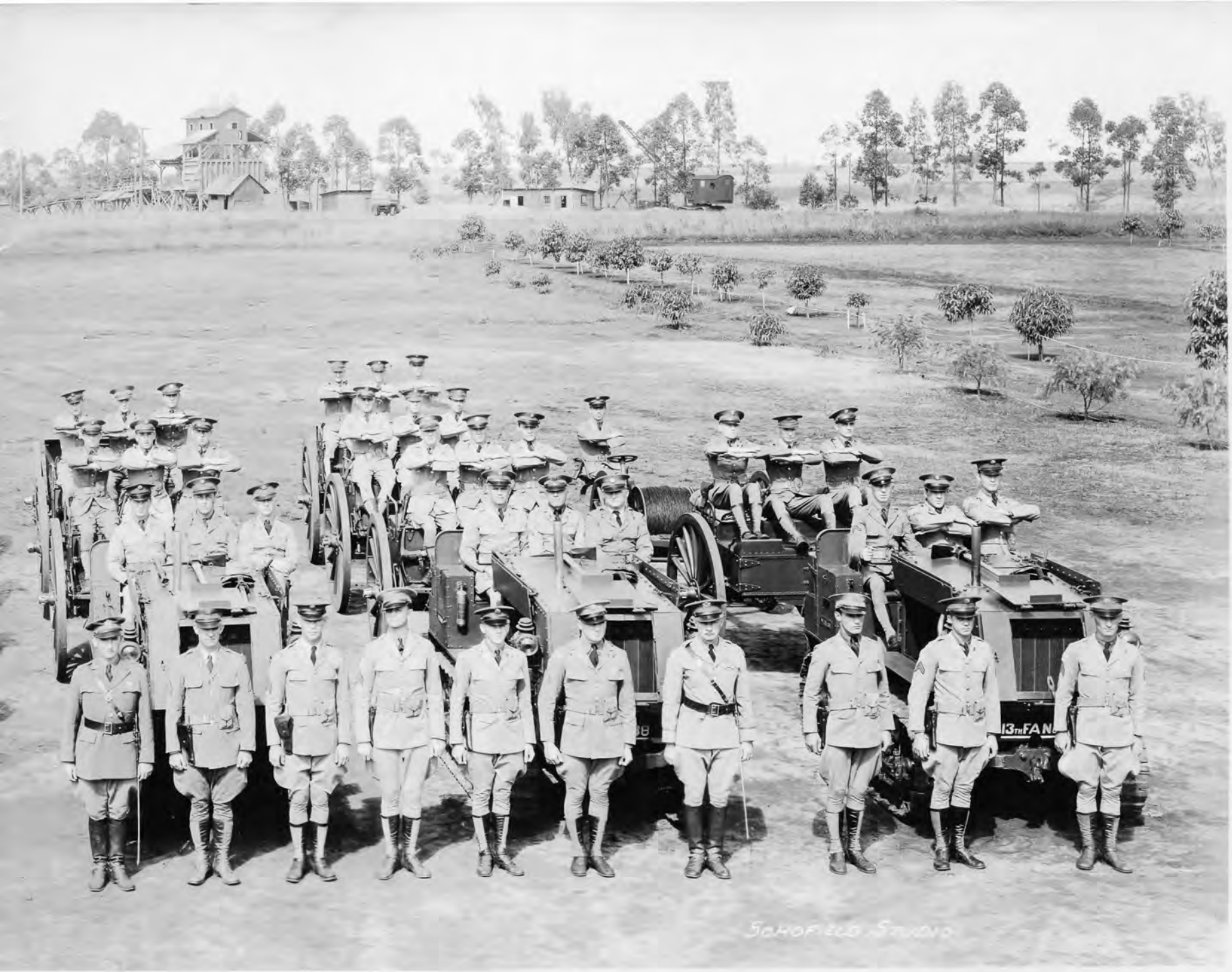
First Sergeant
Raymond VanHam

Sergeants
Charles W. Ashmore
Joseph A. Baldauf
Carl G. Carroll
Earl H. Kirkland
Thomas B. McKiernon
Leonard J. Meixell
Tom L. Russell
Henry C. Schwartz
Joseph E. Sulzner
James VanHam

Corporals
Lige Hutto
Roby King
Jacob L. Meder
Russell E. Redmond
Ernest E. Rock
Eldon L. Scott
Norman Smothers
Charles Souza
Richard Taylor

Privates First Class
Lucius Amburn
Wilburn T. Currie
Eusibio F. Erazo
J. E. Fransetick
Glenn C. Goble
Noland H. Kirkland
John O. Lawver
C. C. MacQueen
Robert McKinley
Jack E. Nelton
Henry Miller
Ted Miller
C. S. Pressman
Juan A. Quintana
Walter H. Schmidt
Leo Sibilski
George F. Sluyter
Dan E. Smothers
Herbert VanHorn
George W. Wiest
Marcell J. Zdunek
Sol Saperstein

Privates
Edwin J. Anglesey
Woodfin P. Bagwell
Gilbert J. Bailey
Leon J. Barat
Kemper Q. Blevins
Preston B. Blue
James R. Britt
Clarence F. Byrd
Cecil M. Cassel
John W. Curran
Walter T. Cusic
Horace W. Cusick
Rufo I. Dancel
Vernon H. Dittmer
Frederick C. Dunning
Marion J. Erkes
Paul P. Feiman
W. T. Florence, Jr.
Herbert W. Floyd
Jay W. Ford
Charles Foskett Jr.
Hardy A. Fox
Frank V. Francis
William K. Freese
Julius J. Goldstein
Clyde P. Haas
Cecil B. Hanna
L. L. Hitchman
Floyd A. Hawkins
Samuel Harbour
William M. Hardy
Henry L. Hood
Arthur A. Hornbeck
Harry M. Kirk
Stephan P. Kleman
Henry E. Kowalski
Harold C. Lawton
E. P. A. L'Italien
Robert B. Loyd
Purvis L. Martin
Joseph E. Myers
James H. McClaary
Samuel Mitchell
Leonard R. Mustari
Vincent G. O'Brien
Harlow W. O'Conner
William D. Oglesby
Gerald A. Orr
Ruel O. Pell
Ernest Peterson
Metro J. Plisko
Frank Pontious
Kelly D. Rains
Joseph A. Reeves
Louis J. Roberts
Henry Roelofs
Joseph J. Sawicki
George Shalonis
Frank W. Shaw
John G. Smith
William N. Smith
Clyde G. Smith
Alfonso J. Strumolo
Brinton M. Swope
Edgar R. Teague
Roy Therrell
Mike Volas
Chester Webb
Paul J. Wells
J. B. Wright
Charles L. Wyatt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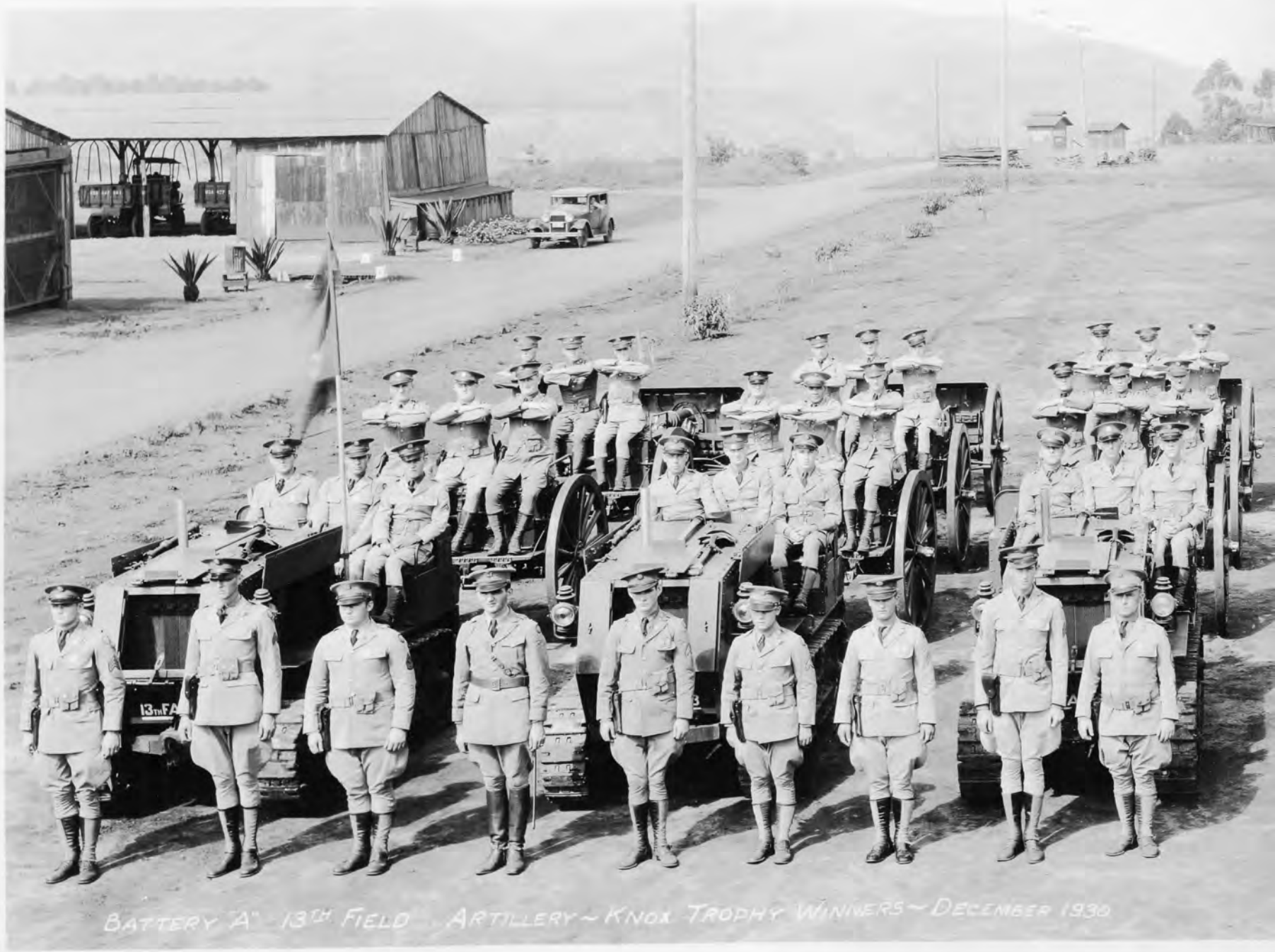

BATTERY "A" 13TH FIELD ARTILLERY ~ KNOX TROPHY WINNERS ~ DECEMBER 1930

Schofield Barracks

By Capt. Frank A. Deroin, U. S. A.

Schofield Barracks, the scene of the incidents recited so graphically and so humorously in this book, is the largest post in the Army. It is located at the north end of the island of Oahu, Hawaii, with the Waianae Range of jagged mountains looming up behind the high plateau on which the post is situated. Miles and miles of pineapple and sugar cane fields stretch out on this same high plateau. Many thick rows of eucalyptus trees and tropical and semi-tropical flower trees and bushes abound.

A full reinforced combat division, two squadrons of pursuit aircraft, and other special troops of various branches are all quartered at Schofield Barracks. It is in effect a military city rather than a military post. Some ten thousand troops and over five hundred officers and their families live there. Big quadrangles of massive concrete buildings house the troops in barracks and there are cottages and bungalows in which the families live. There is also a population of Chinese, Japanese, Filipinos, Hawaiians and part-Hawaiians. These people are the small shop keepers, tailors, cobblers, laundrymen, restaurant keepers, servants and civilian employees about the post.

Schofield is a self contained community. For stores it supports a large commissary, a big department store type of Post Exchange as well as a number of other smaller general stores. There are a library, five theaters, a big service club, several officers' clubs, a post office, telephone exchange, railroad and bus stations, a police force, paved streets, a bank, electric lights, and all of the other characteristics of a small up to date prosperous city.

Intense rivalry exists in all forms of athletics and particularly in boxing, football, baseball and track. Teams representing the regiments compete in these sports. Great crowds turn out for all athletic contests and for boxing there is a big concrete circular stadium called the "Bowl" into which practically everybody on the post crowds to witness the boxing bouts during the winter months. Beside the local rivalry there are big contests by the champions of Schofield against the champions in the Honolulu sector in baseball, football, basketball, boxing and track.

There is an excellent 18-hole golf course at Schofield. Over two hundred enlisted men and about one hundred and thirty officers are members of the golf clubs. There is an excellent soccer team which is made up of men from all over the post. This team plays against outside teams and has been very successful.

For entertainment there are four theaters open every night. Motion pictures including the latest talkies are to be seen. There is a weekly dance at the Kaala Club for the enlisted men and a weekly dance for officers at one of their clubs. The fraternal orders are represented at Schofield and the Moose and the American Legion particularly promote dances and entertainments which are enjoyed by all. Every Sunday night a stock company comes from Honolulu and plays at one of the theaters. This company has a system of guest stars and excellent plays. During the year there are numerous special shows and local talent entertainments, some of which are very good.

The resident at Schofield has his own Waikiki Beach. This is an Army-supervised beach at Haleiwa about eight miles from the Post. Transportation is furnished for those who patronize it and bath houses and life guards are provided by the Army.

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On the island of Hawaii there is a military rest camp to which all may go. This camp is near the great volcano Kilauea. The necessary expenses of the trip are advanced to those who wish to go and this credit system makes it possible for everyone who so desires to spend at least two weeks a year at a pleasant resort.

In a big post like Schofield there is of course a great deal of transportation and many animals. The Annual Horse and Transportation Show is therefore a big event and a most interesting and instructive spectacle. It lasts two days and some wonderful riding is to be seen.

Every few months there is a division review in which the division turns out to honor some distinguished visitor. This is an inspiring event. Probably nothing like it may be seen anywhere in the Army in peace time. The Hawaiian division, being strongly reinforced with motorized artillery and aircraft, presents a unique spectacle when it passes in review. When the division turns out for the annual maneuvers these are on such a scale that there is present a great deal of the sensation of real warfare.

Many visitors to Hawaii include Schofield in their itinerary. Although in some ways Schofield is off the beaten track, "on the last frontier" as some one has said, it is an interesting fact that everybody who makes the Army a career sooner or later gets there and most visitors to Hawaii and people crossing the Pacific to or from the Orient get at least a glimpse of this very live-wire military community.

The above extract is taken from 'Recruiting in Hawaii' by Josephus Orangeblossom.

Post Commanders of Schofield Barracks

Jan. 1909 to Dec. 6, 1910.....Col. Walter S. Schuyler
Dec. 6, 1910 to Feb. 14, 1911....Lt. Col. Homer W. Wheeler
Feb. 14, 1911 to Mar. 29, 1911.....Col. Wilber E. Wilder
Mar. 29, 1911 to Nov. 1912.....Col. Francis M. Mansfield
Nov. 1912 to Sept. 13, 1913....Col. George K. McGunnegle
Sept. 14, 1913 to Feb. 12, 1914....Col. Lyman W. V. Kennon
Feb. 13, 1914 to July 19, 1914....Col. George K. McGunnegle
July 19, 1914 to July 22, 1914.....Col. William D. Beach
July 23, 1914 to Sept. 30, 1914....Col. Lyman W. V. Kennon
Oct. 1, 1914 to Dec. 3, 1914..Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards
Dec. 4, 1914 to Jan. 13, 1915....Col. Lyman W. V. Kennon
Jan. 14, 1915 to Nov. 19, 1915....Brig. Gen. John P. Wisser
Nov. 20, 1915 to Dec. 14, 1915.....Col. John F. Guilfoyle
Dec. 15, 1915 to July 5, 1916..Brig. Gen. Frederick S. Strong
July 6, 1916 to Sept. 3, 1916.....Col. John F. Guilfoyle
Sept. 4, 1916 to Sept. 12, 1916....Col. Henry C. Hodges, Jr.
Sept. 13, 1916 to Nov. 16, 1916....Brig. Gen. F. S. Strong
Nov. 17, 1916 to Dec. 12, 1916.....Col. John F. Guilfoyle
Dec. 13, 1916 to Aug. 16, 1917....Brig. Gen. Charles G. Treat
Aug. 17, 1917 to Aug. 30, 1917.....Col. Lloyd M. Brett
Aug. 31, 1917 to Dec. 12, 1917..Brig. Gen. H. C. Hodges, Jr.
Dec. 12, 1917 to Jan. 16, 1919.....Col. John W. Heard
Oct. 8, 1918 to Apr. 1919....Garrisoned by Haw. Nat. Guard
Apr. 1919 to Sept. 25, 1920....Brig. Gen. H. C. Hodges, Jr.
Sept. 25, 1920 to Dec. 22, 1921....Brig. Gen. Joseph C. Kuhn
Dec. 22, 1921 to Feb. 13, 1922.....Brig. Gen. Barrette
Feb. 14, 1922 to Aug. 11, 1924....Maj. Gen. Chas. T. Menoher
Aug. 12, 1924 to Sept. 15, 1924.....Brig. Gen. Slavens
Sept. 16, 1924 to Jan. 13, 1925..Maj. Gen. Edward M. Lewis
Jan. 14, 1925 to Feb. 13, 1925..Brig. Gen. Van Horn Moseley
Feb. 14, 1925 to Aug. 27, 1927....Maj. Gen. William R. Smith
Aug. 28, 1927 to Oct. 6, 1927..Brig. Gen. Van Horn Moseley
Oct. 7, 1927 to Jan. 24, 1928.....Maj. Gen. Fox Conner
Jan. 25, 1928 to Apr. 3, 1928.....Brig. Gen. Paul A. Wolf
Apr. 4, 1928 to Oct. 24, 1930 Major Gen. Edwin B. Winans
Oct. 24, 1930 to date.....Major Gen. Briant H. Wells

The above is correct to the best available records.