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(MECHANIZED)



GRIZZLY

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PREFACE

Within this document you will find a brief introduction to the 40th Infantry Division (Mechanized), California Army National Guard. It covers our history, current mission, organization, major commanders, principle staff officers, as well as our training objectives and philosophy.

This Division, with its members located the length and breadth of California and in Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico as well, continues to play an ever increasing role in assuring the security of the United States and to help lessen the suffering and damage inflicted upon the State's residents by man-made or natural disaster.

With the publication of this edition, we continue a long standing tradition among the California Army National Guard Divisions that have served this State. Its primary purpose is to help maintain our heritage and current identity. As changes occur, we will endeavor to update this publication.

It is dedicated to the 40th Infantry Division (Mech), the "Sunburst Division", the "Grizzly Division", and especially to the men and women who comprize its membership and its strength.

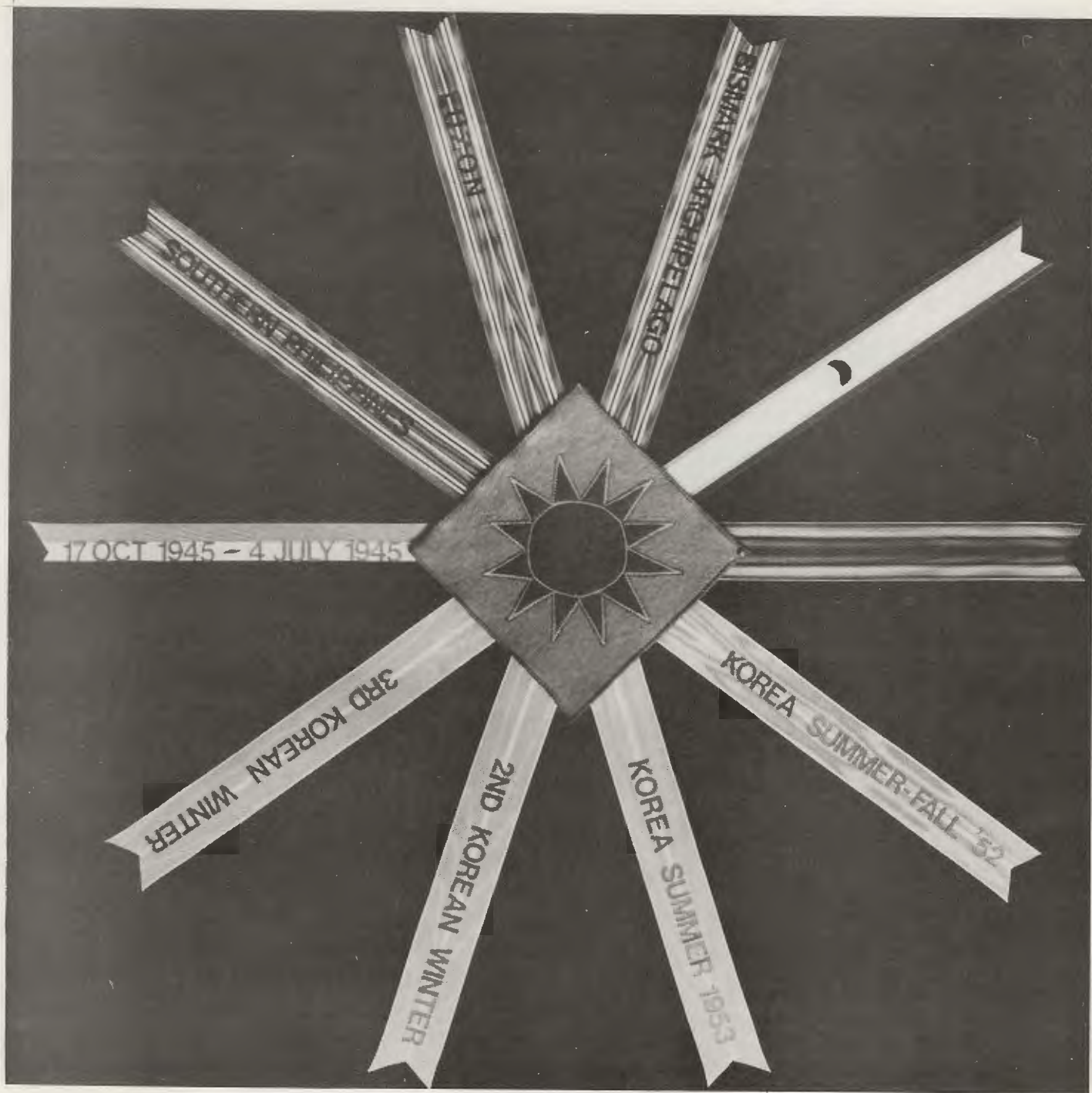


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40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)



CURRENT

HISTORY OF THE
40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECHANIZED)
(GRIZZLY)

Militia companies from California, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah, with heritages from 1874, comprised the National Guard units which were organized into the 40th Infantry Division on 18 July 1917. Mobilized on that date for its first tour of Federal service, the Division became the training vehicle whose members were later to distinguish themselves in such legendary units as "The Lost Battalion", and at places indelibly written into the history books; the Argonne and St. Mihiel.

In 1919, following World War I, the 40th was returned to National Guard status, with its units organized in three states - California, Nevada, and Utah. For twenty-one years, the Division met the readiness requirements of its time, and on 3 March 1941 - nine months before Pearl Harbor - the 40th was again inducted into federal service. The training site was Camp San Luis Obispo. In 1942, the 40th landed in Hawaii, then Guadalcanal; the 40th subsequently served in New Britain, the invasion of Luzon, the assaults on Panay Island and the Negros Island chain, from which it prepared for the invasion which never occurred. The 40th was slated to spearhead the final assault of Japan's home islands. The war over, the 40th was moved to occupy Korea. Although it could not be foreseen at the time, the Korean stationing was an ironic harbinger of campaigns yet to come.

7 April 1946, marked the end of the 40th's distinguished World War II service; Camp Stoneman was the place to which the command was returned home and to its role as an integral part of the California National Guard.

Shortly after the outbreak of the Korean Conflict in 1950, the Division received its third call to active duty. At that time it numbered approximately 10,000 officers and men in 46 Southern California communities. The Division commenced training at Camp Cooke, California on 1 September 1950 and sailed for Japan the following April. After training for ten months on the main Japanese island of Honshu, the 40th moved to Korea in January 1952, where it relieved the veteran 24th Infantry Division on the battle line. Battle participation included Heartbreak Ridge, Sandbag Castle and the Punchbowl. The Division colors returned to California and the Division was inactivated at San Francisco on 19 June 1954. Meanwhile, National Guardsmen who answered the original call to duty had returned to the states in March-June 1952. Twelve hundred of these returned veterans organized the 40th Infantry Division (NGUS) on 2 September 1952. Shortly thereafter, the Division was reorganized into an armored division and maintained that status for fourteen years during which time it responded to the National Guard's dual challenges of readiness for both federal and state missions. It maintained federal proficiency as a back-up to the regular Army, and was frequently called upon to respond to state needs in natural disasters and, for a time, civil disorders.

In 1968, the entire reserve force structure of the U.S. Army underwent a major reorganization and the 40th Division was deactivated, its place being then in California by separate brigade and support groups.

12 January 1974, marked the return of the GRIZZLY - a symbol, and a heritage, which were never really far away. In its new mechanized division status, (the only such Division in the entire National Guard structure) the 40th draws units and personnel from the length and breadth of California.

As always, its men and women stand ready to respond to the next call or mission.

COMMANDERS

5 Aug 1917 - 2 Jun 1919	MG Frederick J. Strong
17 Jun 1925 - 30 Jun 1937	MG David P. Barrows
1 Jul 1937 - 18 Jun 1941	MG Walter P. Story
19 Jun 1941 - 15 Apr 1942	MG Ernest J. Dawley
16 Apr 1942 - 21 Jul 1945	MG Rapp Brush
22 Jul 1945 - 7 Apr 1946	BG Donald J. Myers
15 Aug 1946 - 1 Dec 1947	MG Harcourt Hervey
2 Dec 1947 - 1 Sep 1952	MG Daniel H. Hudelson
2 Sep 1952 - 2 Jul 1960	MG Homer O. Eaton, Jr.
3 Jul 1960 - 31 Jan 1968	MG Charles A. Ott, Jr.
12 Jan 1974 - 15 Aug 1974	MG Charles A. Ott, Jr.
16 Aug 1974 - 27 Aug 1975	MG Thomas K. Turnage
28 Aug 1975 - 3 Oct 1976	MG Robert E. Johnson, Jr.
4 Oct 1976 - 7 Nov 1977	MG James T. Keltner
8 Nov 1977 -	MG Thomas K. Turnage

MISSION

The missions assigned to the Division are to achieve the highest possible state of readiness in preparation for mobilization; to train for and be prepared to respond to the chief executive of the state for the protection of life and property, and the preservation of peace, order, and public safety; and to provide support to civil authorities in the event of natural disaster and for civil defense.

THE 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)

Forming the largest reserve component of the Armed Forces within California, the 40th Infantry Division (Mech), with an authorized strength of 14,529 men and women, comprizes almost three-fourths the total strength of the California Army National Guard and contains a majority of its 180 units.

The Division is composed of a Division Headquarters, three Brigades, Division Artillery, Division Support Command, Cavalry Squadron, Engineer Battalion, Air Defense Artillery Battalion, Aviation Battalion, Signal Battalion, and a Military Police Company. All assigned units are located within the State of California except the air defense artillery battalion and two aviation companies. The 4/200th Air Defense Artillery Battalion, New Mexico ARNG, is located in Tucumcari, NM. Company B (Combat Support), 40th Aviation Battalion, Arizona ARNG, is located in Phoenix, AZ. Company D (Attach Helicopter), 40th Aviation Battalion, Colorado ARNG, is based in Aurora, just outside Denver, CO.

Even discounting out-of-state units, the Division still has a significant geographic span of control, with units based as far north as Yreka and as far south as San Diego, a distance of some 720 miles.

If called upon to fight on today's modern battlefield, the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) would perform its mission as a combined arms team. It would control its combat arms through the three brigades, each of which would be assigned subordinate units tailored to meet the specific tactical situation.

The Division draws much of its combat power, its versatility and its staying power from its six mechanized infantry battalions, each with an authorized strength of 761 personnel. They are an integral part of the 40th's combined arms team and provide the principle means for closing with and destroying the enemy by fire and maneuver. To enhance their mobility and survivability on the battlefield and to allow them to work in close cooperation with armor, each battalion is authorized forty-eight M113 armored personnel carriers, nine M125 81mm mortar carriers, and four M106 4.2" mortar carriers. To defeat enemy armor at long or short ranges each battalion is authorized eighteen jeep mounted TOW and eighteen man-portable DRAGON anti-tank guided missile launchers.

Four armored battalions form the backbone of the Division, enhancing its offensive power, survivability, and tank defeating capabilities. Each armor battalion, with an authorized strength of 501 personnel, adds forty-three M48A5 main battle tanks to the Division's combat power. Despite the age of the chassis, the new 105mm main gun, RISE diesel engine, improved sighting and night vision devices have made this tank one of the most formidable fighting vehicles in the world. Each Battalion is also authorized four M106 4.2" mortar carriers to provide immediate indirect fire support and two armored vehicle launched bridges on an M60 main battle tank chassis. Each AVLB is capable of laying one 60 foot long class 60 aluminum scissors bridge to span obstacles.

Another integral part of the Division combined arms team, the Division Artillery, provides one target acquisition battery and the lethal punch of four field artillery battalions. Three of the field artillery battalions are authorized eighteen M109A1 improved 155mm self-propelled howitzers apiece. The fourth battalion has twelve M110A1 improved 203mm self-propelled howitzers, giving the Division a total of sixty-six artillery tubes capable of throwing either conventional or nuclear munitions to a maximum range of 20,600 meters.

The eyes and ears of the Division is its Cavalry Squadron. The squadron's three armored cavalry troops and single air cavalry troop provide vital intelligence, whether engaged in screening the movement of division elements, fighting a delaying action, or providing rear area security. With an authorized strength of 815 personnel, the squadron's twenty-seven M48A5 main battle tanks, twenty-two M113 armored personnel carriers, nine M106 4.2" mortar carriers, eighteen jeep mounted TOW, ten OH-58 observation helicopters, seven UH-1H utility helicopters, and nine UH-1M armed utility helicopters give it significant combat power.

The aviation battalion also contributes significant combat power to the Division combined arms team, complementing the air cavalry troops mission with its capability to perform a host of air support missions. Company A has thirty-two OH-58 and fourteen UH-1M helicopters which perform command and control, liaison, and utility support missions for Division elements. Company B adds another twenty-three UH-1H helicopters to the battalions aviation assets to support airmobility, aerial resupply, and aerial delivery of antitank or antipersonnel minefields as required. Company D is authorized AH-1S, but is presently assigned twenty-one UH-1M, twelve OH-58, and three UH-1H helicopters to perform its antiarmor and fire support role. The thirty-six additional attack helicopter company aircraft that would be added upon mobilization by the assignment of Company C (Attack Helicopter), and the two UH-1Hs in Company E, would provide the Division a total of one hundred and forty-three helicopters from the one aviation battalion.

Despite the large numbers of friendly aircraft over the battlefield, the Division elements are still susceptible to attack by enemy aircraft. Control of the Division airspace and defense against air attack falls in part upon the Air Defense Artillery Battalion, which provides a portion of the air defense umbrella over our sector. The M42 Dusters organic to the battalion have been operational for more than twenty-five years, but can still provide accurate anti-aircraft fire with their twin 40mm automatic guns, and can double as direct fire support weapons when necessary.

The Combat Engineer Battalion adds a decisive edge to Division combat operations. Helping to maintain our mobility while denying it to the enemy, or to enhance our survivability through reveting or camouflage, the engineers can call upon eight combat engineer vehicles, eight scoop loaders, seven caterpillar tractors, three road graders, two twenty-ton cranes, one fairlead roller and twenty dump trucks. They can operate four water purification points to provide potable water. The bridge company, using either the M4T6 Class 60 floating bridge/raft or the light tactical raft, can support river crossing operations employing either one 141 foot or two 75 foot floating bridges with the M4T6 and one 44 foot light vehicular bridge/raft. To span obstacles under 60 feet, they are authorized four armored vehicle launched bridges on the M60 main battle tank chassis.

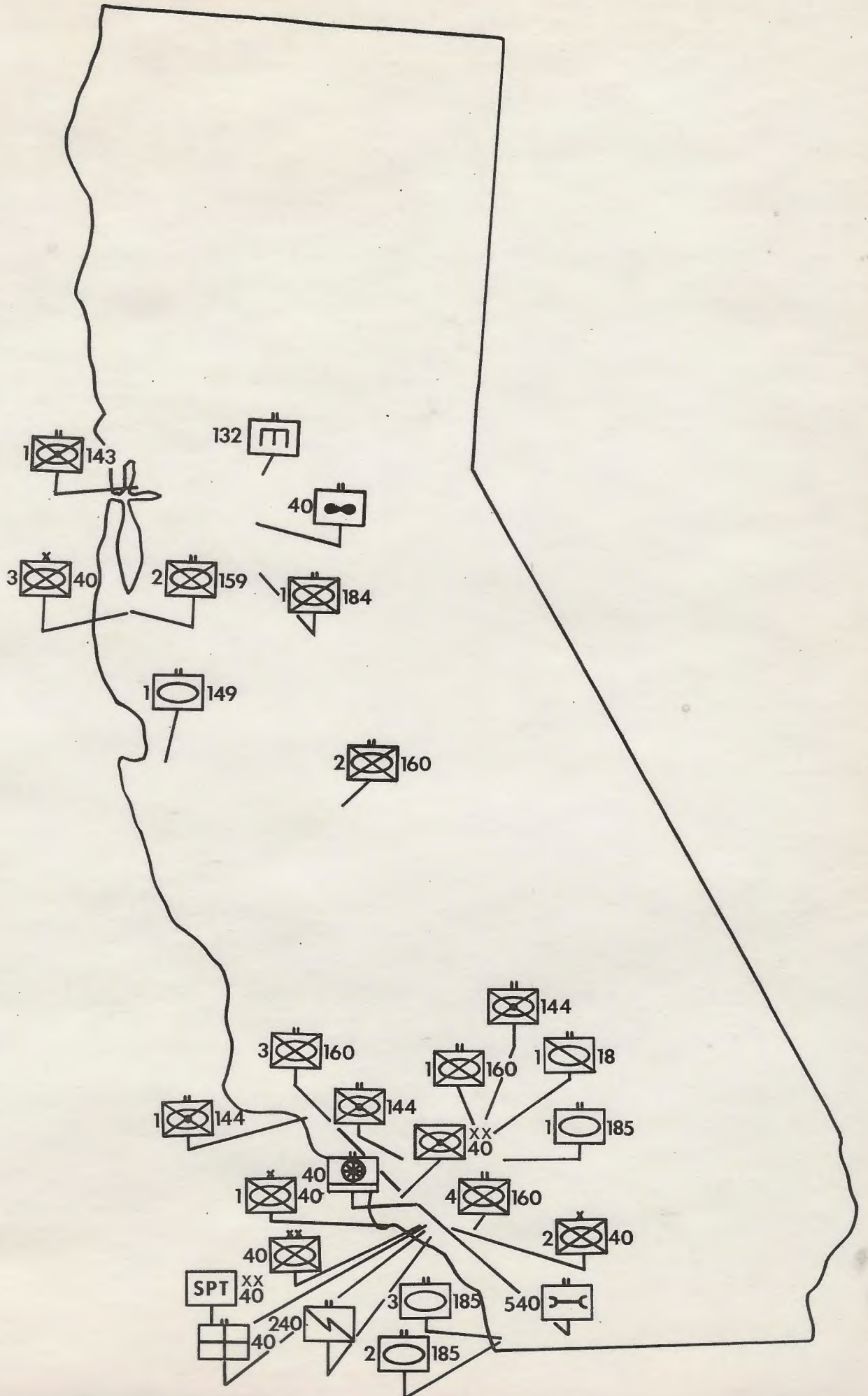
The mission of the Division Signal Battalion is to provide signal communication systems and facilities for all echelons of the Division to include the Division Support Command; to perform direct support cryptologistics; and to provide photographic support as needed, to include processing of aerial and ground still pictures. Because of the enormous size and complexity of the Division organization, the demand for information in combat, and the vulnerability of any signal communication system to jamming or destruction, the performance of our signal battalion is critical to success or failure in combat.

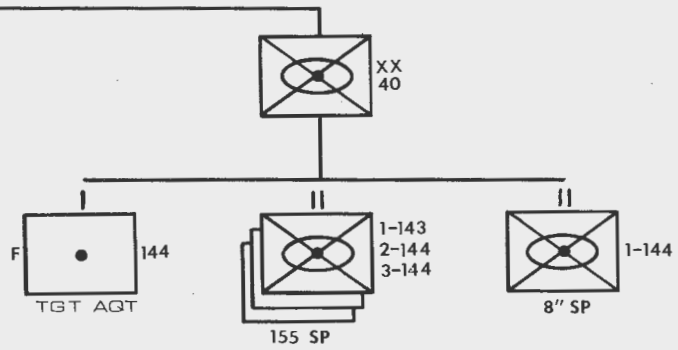
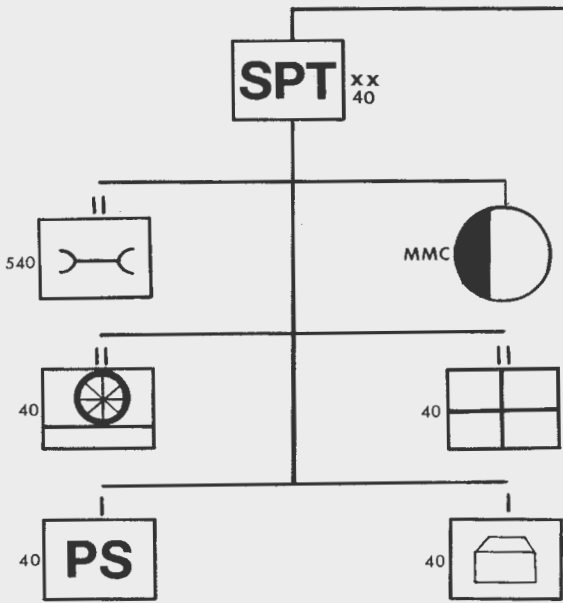
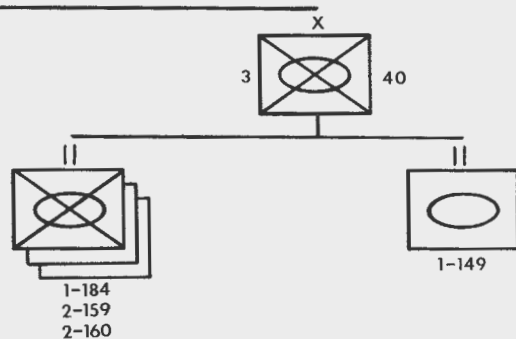
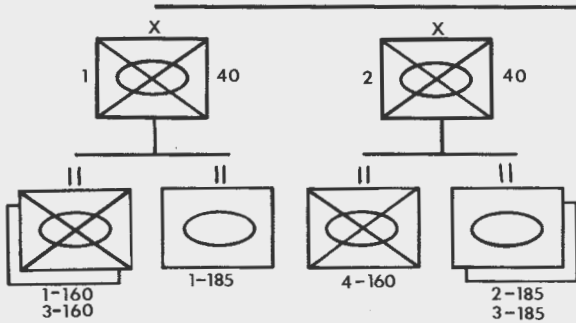
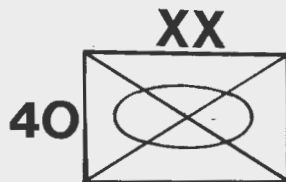
The Military Police Company's mission is to maintain law and order within a 1200 square kilometer or greater area which could well be overflowing with indigenous civilian populations, American military, and enemy forces operating in our rear areas. With an authorized strength of 191 personnel, it also seeks to provide personal security against assassination, rear area security against small enemy forces threatening our rear, control the stream of enemy prisoners of war, stragglers and refugees, provide traffic control along congested roads or at choke points, and supports river crossing operations.

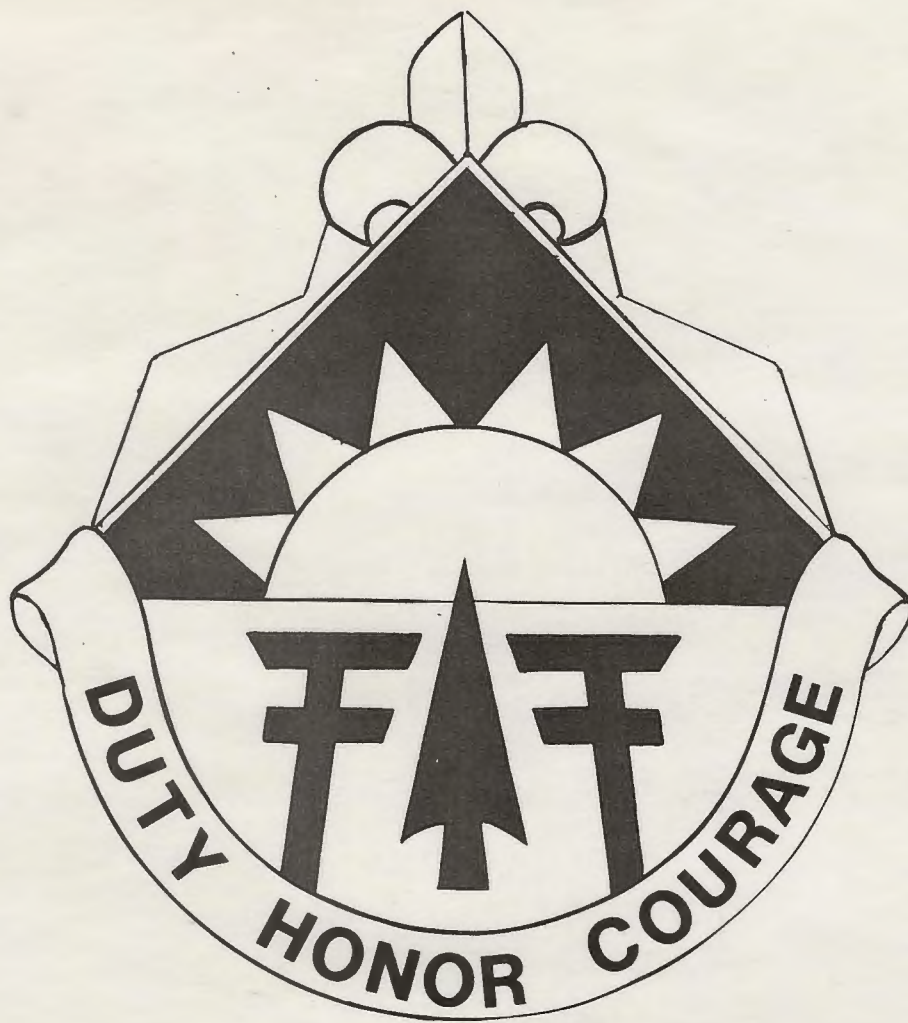
The Division Support Command is composed of a Headquarters and Headquarters Company with attached Material Management Center to provide a nerve center for logistical support, one Maintenance Battalion, one Medical Battalion, one Supply and Transportation Battalion, one Adjutant General Company and a Finance Company. Broken down into companies or detachments throughout the brigade or division rear area, these elements can sustain the combat and combat support forces of the Division for an indefinite period. In an effort to maintain a favorable combat ratio for our forces, the Maintenance Battalion provides contact teams up to battalion trains and overhauls or cannibalizes unserviceable equipment on a priority basis to speedily return useable equipment to the front. The Medical Battalion maintains medical clearing stations, manages essential medical supplies, and controls the air/ground medical evacuation pipeline. The Supply and Transportation Battalion handles requests for most classes of supply and provides some of the vehicles required to move it forward to brigade trains, field artillery battalions, or for stockpiling. In conjunction with the Finance Company, the Adjutant General Company handles pay or personnel records and controls the administrative pipeline within the Division. In addition, the Adjutant General Company operates a postal service and a replacement depot.

Although organized and trained to perform its principle mission upon mobilization, the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) retains the versatility, capacity and responsiveness essential to meeting its other missions. It blends a unique combination of diverse and complex organization with immeasurable human experience, and several generations of weapons, tactical vehicles, and support equipment into an instrument responsive to the needs of the State of California and the Nation.

ORGANIZATION







BIOGRAPHIES

BORN: Conroe, Texas
27 June 1923

Attended Allen Military Academy, 1942; Texas A&M, 1943; University of California at Los Angeles, B.S., 1950; George Washington University, M.S., 1965; Infantry School, Basic, 1943; Air Ground School, 1953; Armor School, Advanced, 1955; Command and General Staff College, 1957; Chemical, Biological and Radiological Weapons Course, 1961; Army War College, 1964-65; National War College Defense Strategy Seminar, 1966, 1970; Aviation Safety Course, USC, 1969; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR GENERAL THOMAS K. TURNAGE
COMMANDING GENERAL, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
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General Turnage was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1942, was later assigned to the 386th Infantry Regiment of the 97th Division, and served as a Platoon Leader during combat in Europe. After VE Day, he was redeployed to Japan where he commanded a company during occupation duties until 1946.

Returning to college after World War II, he was recalled to active duty with the 40th Infantry Division in 1950 and served in the Korean conflict as an Infantry Battalion Operations Officer and Executive Officer. General Turnage remained active with the California National Guard after return from Korea in 1952, and subsequently served at all levels of command and staff through Chief of Staff of the 40th Division.

After reassignment to Military Department Headquarters in Sacramento in 1967, he served as State Inspector General; Deputy Adjutant General, Army; Deputy Commanding General, Army; J3 Army and Commander of the California Task Force. These were successive assignments interrupted only by a previous tour as Division Commander during 1974-1975. General Turnage returned to the 40th Infantry Division as its Commander in December 1977. He is a career National Guard Officer and is on full-time duty in his current capacity.

General Turnage has a Bachelor of Science degree in Marketing from UCLA and a Master of Science degree in International Relations from George Washington University, Washington, D.C. He is a graduate of the Infantry School Basic, Armor School Advanced, Command and General Staff College and Army War College.

His decorations and awards are the Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster; Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Combat Infantry Badge with Star (second award); Korean Presidential Unit Citation; California Medal of Merit with three Oak Leaf Clusters; and numerous service medals reflecting two wars and almost thirty-six years of service.

General Turnage is active in professional and civic affiliations at the national, state and local levels, to include: Department of Defense Reserve Forces Policy Board (RFPB); Association of the United States Army; National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Reserve Officers Association; Rotary International; Boy Scouts of America; United States Armor Association; Long Beach Chamber of Commerce; Armed Services Commission; and many others.

He and B.J. Turnage reside in Long Beach and they have a son and daughter, both married.

BORN: Pottsville,
Pennsylvania
12 November 1925

Attended University of Southern California, A.B., 1950; University of California, Los Angeles, J.D., 1955; Graduate, Basic and Career Officer Courses (resident), U.S. Army Adjutant General School, 1961; Graduate, U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, 1965; Graduate, U.S. Army War College, 1971.



BIOGRAPHY OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBERT L. MEYER
ASSISTANT DIVISION COMMANDER, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
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General Meyer joined the United States Army in 1944, shortly after he was graduated from high school in Pennsylvania. His initial service was as an enlisted man serving with the 214th Field Artillery Group in Europe. Following his return to the United States, and subsequent release from active duty, General Meyer enlisted in Headquarters Company, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) of the California Army National Guard on 14 October 1946, the date of activation of the Division. Less than one year later, General Meyer received his commission as a Second Lieutenant in the Adjutant General Corps.

Upon his graduation from the University of Southern California, General Meyer, then a First Lieutenant, was ordered to active duty with the Division. He served with the 40th as Chief of the Personnel Division in both Japan and Korea. Receiving his release from active duty in the first half of 1952, General Meyer rejoined the Division in September of that year and was assigned as Executive Officer of the Adjutant General's Section. He was subsequently assigned as Division AG in July of 1957, and Assistant Chief of Staff, G1, in September of 1966.

During the reorganization of the California National Guard, General Meyer was named G1 of the newly formed Southern Emergency Operations Headquarters. He served with that organization as Chief of Staff, and on 1 January 1971, was appointed Deputy Commander. As a result of the April 1971 California Army Guard reorganization, General Meyer was assigned as Commander of the 80th Support Center, Rear Area Operations. On 1 November 1971, he was named Deputy Brigade Commander, 40th Armored Brigade. He assumed command of that Brigade in December of 1973. When the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) was reactivated in January of 1974, General Meyer was transferred to duty as Brigade Commander, 1st Brigade. On 1 September 1974, he was assigned ADC, 40th Infantry Division. He was federally recognized a Brigadier General on 29 July 1975 and became Assistant Deputy Chief of Staff J3 on 1 October 1976.

His decorations and awards are the Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Good Conduct Medal; American Campaign Medal; European-African-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal; World War II Victory Medal; National Defense Service Medal; Korean Service Medal; Army of Occupation Medal (Germany and Japan); Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal; Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation; United Nations Service Medal; California National Guard Medal of Merit.

General Meyer is a member of the National Guard Association of the United States.

In his civilian career, General Meyer is the Assistant Chief Counsel, Department of Transportation, State of California.

BORN: Pasadena, California
14 July 1922

Attended Pasadena City College, A.A., 1940; Chaffee College, 1974; LaVerne College, 1976; University of Redlands, B.S., 1978; LaVerne College, currently enrolled in M.S. program. Infantry Officer Basic Course, 1951; Association Armor Officer Course, Advanced, 1957; Command and General Staff College, 1963; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1974.



BIOGRAPHY OF BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBERT F. BRAINARD
ASSISTANT DIVISION COMMANDER, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
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General Brainard began his military career during World War II where he served twenty-four months in the South Pacific as an enlisted man. He was discharged in 1946 and in 1947 joined the Army National Guard and served in various capacities as a Non-Commissioned Officer. He received a direct commission as Second Lieutenant Infantry in April 1950, and subsequently served as Platoon Leader and Company Commander of various Infantry and Armor Units.

Recalled to active duty as a Lieutenant Colonel in May 1968, General Brainard commanded a Cavalry Squadron while in the United States, and while in the Republic of Vietnam he served consecutively as Deputy G4 and G4 of First Field Force Vietnam and as Deputy Commander of Task Force South which was a provisional Infantry Brigade.

Since his release from Active Duty, General Brainard has commanded a Tank Battalion and a Support Group which were separate organizations, and after the organization of the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) on 13 January 1974, he has commanded the Division Support Command, the Division Artillery, the First Brigade, and has also served as Chief of Staff for a short period. He was federally recognized as Brigadier General on 4 February 1977.

His decorations and awards are the Legion of Merit; Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Air Medal with Second Award; Army Commendation Medal; Good Conduct Medal; American Campaign Medal; Asiatic Pacific Campaign Medal with One Star; World War II Victory Medal; National Defense Service Medal; Vietnam Service Medal with Four Stars; Philippines Liberation Ribbon; Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Bronze Star; Republic of Vietnam Medal of Honor First Class; Staff Service Medal; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal and the Combat Infantryman Badge.

In his civilian career, General Brainard is the Manager of Plant Engineering and Maintenance, Xerox, Electro-Optical Systems. He is also a Consultant to the Pasadena Chamber of Commerce on Military affairs.

General Brainard is active in civic and professional organizations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Association of the U.S. Army; The Armor Association of the U.S.; Veterans of Foreign Wars; National Management Association; and the American Institute of Plant Engineers.

He and his wife Josephine live in Upland, California and they have six children.

BORN: Salt Lake City, Utah
12 June 1924

Attended Long Beach City College, A.A., 1970; California State University at Long Beach; Air Defense Artillery Advanced Officers Course, 1953; Artillery Fire Control Systems Maintenance Officer Course, 1954; Command and General Staff College, 1961; Officer Transition (NIKE HERCULES) Course, 1963; Electronic Counter-Counter Measure Course, 1963; ARADCOM Senior Officer Maintenance Management Course, 1978; SAFEGUARD Staff Planners Course, 1971; Civil Emergency Management Course, 1975; Combat Division, C&GSC Refresher, 1976, 1977.



BIOGRAPHY OF BRIGADIER GENERAL NEIL E. ALLGOOD
ASSISTANT DIVISION COMMANDER, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
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General Allgood's military career began on 4 March 1943 when he was inducted as a Private in the Army of the U.S. His World War II service covered assignments in the Tank Destroyers, Infantry, Field Artillery, and Signal Corps. He reenlisted in February 1946 and was discharged in the grade of Master Sergeant 11 February 1947. He enlisted in the CAL ARNG in April 1947 and was assigned as the Sergeant Major of the then newly activated 720th AAA Gun Battalion (90mm). In June of 1947 he activated Battery A of the 720th as the unit First Sergeant. On 18 May 1948 he received a direct commission as a Second Lieutenant, Coast Artillery Corps and was assigned as the Battalion Adjutant. Subsequently, he was assigned positions of Battery Commander, Liaison Officer, Operations and Training, S3 and Battalion Executive Officer.

In March 1957, Department of the Army and the National Guard Bureau announced a test program to determine the feasibility of Army National Guard unit participation in the active missile air defense of CONUS. The 720th AAA Gun Battalion (90mm) was announced as the pilot unit and conversion to NIKE-AJAX missile designation was directed. General Allgood was a prime member of the task force organized to effect the conversion, following which he was reassigned to the 234th Anti-aircraft Artillery Group as Intelligence S2, with the full-time assignment as Defense Supervisor for the on-site program. During the period July 1960 to February 1971 he served as Battalion Commander and full-time Battalion Supervisor of the 4th Battalion, 251st Artillery. The Battalion during his command tenure, established new missile firing and operational records for the entire Army Air Defense Command (ARADCOM). In February 1971 General Allgood was selected as the ARNG Liaison Officer to Headquarters ARADCOM and he returned to active duty in March 1971 for a four-year statutory tour in the position of Chief, Office of Reserve Forces of that headquarters. General Allgood returned to the CAL ARNG in February 1975 as Chief, Office of Emergency Plans and Operations following which he served as Chief, Office of Administration. He was reassigned to the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) as Chief of Staff in August 1975 and in August 1976, was appointed Assistant Division Commander. He was federally recognized as Brigadier General on 4 February 1977.

Among his decorations and awards are the Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster; Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; California Medal of Merit with Cluster and the California Commendation Medal with two Clusters.

General Allgood is active in professional and civic affiliations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Association of the U.S. Army; Kiwanis; Armed Services Committee; Long Beach Chamber of Commerce; Armed Services Committee; Torrance Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife Eulaine reside in Long Beach and they have one daughter.

BORN: Ft. Sam Houston, Texas
6 October 1930

Attended Allen Military Academy 1943-1948; B.S. United States Military Academy, 1954; M.B.A. Texas A&M 1963; Basic Infantry Officer Course, 1954; Ranger Course, 1955; Airborne Course, 1955; Advanced Infantry Officer Course, 1969; Command and General Staff College, 1963.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL WILLIAM D. OLD, II
ADVISOR, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
USARR IX, PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO

Colonel Old enlisted in the Air Force in 1948 after graduation from Allen Military Academy. In 1950 he was appointed to the United States Military Academy by Senator Harley M. Kilgore, West Virginia.

Commissioned as an Infantry Officer upon graduation from the United States Military Academy in 1954, Colonel Old attended the Basic Infantry Officer, Ranger, and Airborne Courses. In 1955 he was assigned to Germany and was a Platoon Leader, Company Executive Officer, and Company Commander in the 39th Infantry Regiment, 9th Infantry Division and 5th Infantry Regiment, 8th Infantry Division. He was also a Platoon Leader in the 3d Reconnaissance Squadron, 8th Cavalry, and aide-de-camp to the Commanding General, 8th Infantry Division.

When he returned to the United States in 1959, he attended the Advanced Infantry Officers Course and was assigned to Texas A&M to teach ROTC. While at Texas A&M, Colonel Old obtained a Master of Business Administration Degree. In 1964 he graduated from the Command and General Staff College and then went to Vietnam. During this tour he performed duties as a district, regimental, and G3 Advisor with the 9th Infantry Division Army of Vietnam.

From 1966 to 1968 Colonel Old served in the Office Chief of Staff, U.S. Army, as a Staff Officer. His next assignment was to Vietnam as Commander 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry, 4th Infantry Division, and G2 Operations Officer, I Field Force. In 1969 Colonel Old was assigned to U.S. Continental Army Command as Chief Force Structure Branch, Office Deputy Chief of Staff, Force Development. Then in 1971, he was reassigned to the Infantry School as the Commander of the Florida Ranger Camp. In 1974 he was sent to Germany as the Deputy Commander, Ansbach Military Community where he served until 1977. He currently holds the position of Advisor to the 40th Infantry Division (Mech), California Army National Guard.

His decorations include the Silver Star; Legion of Merit with Oak Leaf Cluster; Meritorious Service Medal; Bronze Star; Purple Heart; Air Medal; Army Commendation Medal; and various other service medals and foreign awards. Colonel Old has also been awarded the Combat Infantry Badge, Ranger Tab and Master Parachute Wings.

Colonel Old is married to the former Carole White. They have a daughter and son.

BORN: Madera, California
1 August 1934

Attended University of California Fresno, 1954; San Jose State University, 1976; California Military Academy, 1958; Air Defense Artillery Officer Basic, 1960; Chemical, Biological and Radiological Weapons Course, 1962; Surface to Air Missile Staff Officer Course, 1967; Nuclear Weapons Employment Course, 1968; Air Defense Officer Advanced Course, 1970; Command and General Staff College, 1973; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL JAMES W. JONES
CHIEF OF STAFF, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
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Colonel Jones enlisted in the U.S. Army in December 1950 and was subsequently assigned to the 25th Infantry Division in Korea. During the three years he was on active duty, he was also assigned to the 44th Infantry Division (Illinois National Guard) which had been activated and was stationed at Camp Cooke, CA. His last assignment during this tour was in France with an Ordnance Battalion.

Colonel Jones entered college after release from active duty and in March 1955, enlisted in the California National Guard in San Francisco, CA. This began a full-time career in the Air Defense Artillery that spanned eighteen years and three progressions of weapons systems. He held assignments within this same battalion from Supply Sergeant to Battalion Commander. He was the honor graduate of the California Military Academy in 1958 and accepted his commission in February 1959.

In 1973 Colonel Jones was reassigned to the Military Department Headquarters in Sacramento as the Deputy Commandant of the California Military Academy. In 1975, he was assigned to the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) first as the Executive Officer Third Brigade, then in 1977, as the Division G3 and in July 1978, to his current position as Chief of Staff.

Colonel Jones has attended numerous refresher and orientation courses and is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College.

His decorations and awards are the Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster, Purple Heart, Combat Infantry Badge; Korean Presidential Unit Citation; California Medal of Merit and several service medals earned during twenty-seven years service.

Colonel Jones is active in professional and civic affiliations to include: Association of the United States Army; National Guard Association of the United States and California; Lions Club; American Red Cross and the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife Ola along with one son reside in Westminster. They also have two daughters and one son who are married.

BORN: Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania
28 July 1939

Attended United States Military Academy, West Point, B.S., 1961; University of Delaware, 1970; The Infantry School, Airborne, Ranger, Officer's Basic, 1961; Officer's Advanced and Instructor Training Courses, 1969; Special Warfare School, 1963; Jumpmaster Course, 1965; Defense Language Institute, 1965; Jungle Operations Course, 1966; Chemical, Biological, Radiological Weapons Course, 1966; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL JAMES R. HAISE
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G1, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Haise, commissioned in 1961 as an Infantry Officer, was assigned to the First Battle Group, 32d Infantry, 7th Infantry Division, Korea where he served as Rifle and Weapons Platoon Leader, Davy Crockett Platoon Leader, Guerrilla Warfare School Instructor and Commandant, and Rifle Company Commander. Assigned in 1963 to the 7th Special Forces Group, he served in various training capacities until 1964 when he deployed to Vietnam as Commander of Special Forces Operational Detachment "A". Following a short language school tour in 1965, LTC Haise performed various staff and command duties with the 8th Special Forces Group (Abn), Canal Zone, until 1967.

LTC Haise was then appointed to the 5th Battalion, 7th Cavalry of the 1st Air Cavalry Division, first as a Rifle Company Commander in Combat, and subsequently as Aide-de-camp to the Division Commander. His next assignment came in 1968-69 after a student tour at the Infantry School, when he was selected to serve as Senior Instructor at the Mountain Ranger Camp of the Ranger Department, USAIS. Upon leaving active duty in 1970, LTC Haise spent four years with the Pennsylvania Army National Guard, serving as SGS and Cavalry Squadron S3. During the period 1975-1979 he joined the Alabama Army National Guard where he first served as Commander, 4th Support Battalion, 20th Special Forces Group (Abn), and later as Commander, 1343d Engineer Battalion (Cbt). LTC Haise was appointed in 1979 as Assistant Chief of Staff, G1, of the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) of the California Army National Guard.

In his civilian career LTC Haise is the Southern California District Manager for Philadelphia Gear/Limitorque Corporation.

LTC Haise has a Bachelor of Science degree from U.S.M.A. He is a graduate of the Infantry School Basic and Advanced Courses, the Jungle Operations Course, Special Warfare School and is currently enrolled in the Command and General Staff Course.

His decorations and awards are the Silver Star; Bronze Star Medal; Air Medal with Ten Oak Leaf Clusters; Combat Infantry Badge; Ranger Tab; Master Parachutist Badge; Jungle Expert Badge; Pennsylvania Active Duty Ribbon; Thomas K. Stewart Medal (Pa.); Republic of Vietnam Cross for Gallantry with Bronze Star and Palm; Republic of Vietnam Parachutist Badge; and several service and Campaign Medals.

LTC Haise is active in civic and professional organizations to include the National Guard Association of the United States; Association of Graduates, U.S.M.A.; Army Athletic Association; and the National Rifle Association.

He and his wife Judy reside in Fullerton with their two daughters.

BORN: Springfield Missouri
6 April 1940

Attended Lincoln University,
B.A., 1961; California State
University, M.S., 1970;
Armor Officer Basic, 1962;
Infantry Officer Advanced,
1970; Command and General
Staff College, 1975.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL GEORGE R. GRUNER
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G2, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Gruner was commissioned upon graduation from Lincoln University as a Distinguished Military Student (ROTC) in 1962. He attended Armor School at Fort Knox, Kentucky and served on active duty with the 1st Medium Tank Battalion (Patton), 34th Armor. During the period 1962-1964 LTC Gruner was a staff officer of the 3d Brigade 4th Infantry Division. At the conclusion of his active service, LTC Gruner joined the Washington ARNG and commenced graduate work at the University of Puget Sound in order to complete his secondary teaching credential requirement. In 1965 LTC Gruner accepted employment in California and transferred from the 1st Battalion, 303d Armor to the 1st Squadron 111th Cavalry headquartered in Inglewood. During his National Guard service in California, LTC Gruner served in various command and staff assignments in both Armor and Infantry organizations. Before assuming his present position, he spent three years as Commander of the 1st Squadron, 18th Cavalry. LTC Gruner has also been active in development and supervision of the California Officer Training Program, working in several assignments and capacities with the California Military Academy.

LTC Gruner received his Master of Science degree from California State University at Fullerton in 1970 and has been employed by the Huntington Beach Union High School District since 1965. He is an honor graduate of the United States Army Infantry School (Advanced Course) and the Distinguished Graduate of the Combat Intelligence Staff Officer Course of the Intelligence School. He is also a graduate of the Command and General Staff College where he finished on the Commandant's list of academic achievement; in addition, he has completed numerous other short-term military courses.

LTC Gruner's awards and decorations include the Meritorious Service Medal and the Army Commendation Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters.

He is a member of the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, and officer of the Parent-Teacher Association, a member and officer of his local chapter of the California Teacher's Association, and a counselor with the Boy Scouts of America.

LTC Gruner resides with his wife Semra in Huntington Beach. They have two sons who are currently attending college.

BORN: Jamestown, California
23 January 1926

Attended Franklin High School,
1943; U.S. Army Air Corps
Aircraft and Engine Mech-
anic School, 1944; U.S.
Navy Radar Technician School,
1947; Field Artillery Career
Course, 1964; Command and
General Staff College, 1974;
and various Refresher/
Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROBERT G. NICHOLS
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G3, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Nichols enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1943 and was assigned as a Flight Engineer Gunner in B-24 heavy bombardment. He served in the European Theater of Operations and remained on occupation duty after the end of the war. Returning home, he joined the Marine Air Reserve and served as a Dive Bomber Radar Gunner until deactivation of his squadron. He then transferred to the Naval Air Reserve where he continued to serve in various bomber assignments. When his squadron moved to the east coast, LTC Nichols became a member of his local hometown National Guard Unit and cross-trained into Field Artillery. Recalled to active duty in 1950 with the 40th Infantry Division (Mech), LTC Nichols deployed to Korea where he was engaged in various Field Artillery assignments.

Upon release from active duty, LTC Nichols received a direct commission as a Field Artillery Officer in the California National Guard. He has subsequently served in all positions of staff and has commanded every caliber of Field Artillery in the National Guard Inventory. In addition, LTC Nichols has held positions as Aviation Group Operations Officer; Armor Group S3; Air Defense; Automatic Weapons Commander; and Air Defense Artillery Commander.

LTC Nichols is a career National Guard Officer. In his civilian career he is employed as a full-time technician at Headquarters, 40th Infantry Division (Mech).

His decorations and awards include the Aerial Gunner Wings Distinguished Flying Cross; Air Medal; Meritorious Service Medal; Bronze Star Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Korean Presidential Unit Citation; and numerous service medals reflecting two wars and over thirty-five years of service.

LTC Nichols is active as a Ventura County Reserve Deputy Sheriff and serves as that organization's Training Officer and Range Master. His additional civic and professional affiliations include the Simi Valley Boosters Club; Good Sam Recreational Vehicle Club; and the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California.

He and his wife Judy reside in Simi Valley and they have one son.

BORN: Pasadena, California
11 December 1933

Attended John Muir College,
1952; Army Medical Service
School, Basic, 1961; Army
Medical Field Service
School, Advanced, 1971;
Command and General Staff
College, 1977; and various
Refresher/Orientation
Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL DANIEL J. HERNANDEZ
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G4, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Hernandez enlisted in the California Army National Guard 29 November 1949. He served as a member of the 223d Infantry Regiment, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) during the Korean Conflict. Remaining active with the California Army National Guard after release from active duty, LTC Hernandez re-enlisted in the Army in December 1953. Upon graduation from the California Military Academy, he was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Medical Service Corps in June 1958.

LTC Hernandez has served as a Platoon Leader; Unit Commander; Battalion S4; Separate Brigade Supply Officer; Brigade S4, Support Battalion Executive Officer; Infantry Battalion Operations Officer; Battalion Commander; and Division Material Management Center Commander.

He was assigned as Division G4 on 4 December 1978.

LTC Hernandez is a career National Guard Officer and is on full-time duty as the Director of Industrial Operations, Armed Forces Reserve Center, Los Alamitos.

He is a graduate of the U.S. Army Medical Field Service School Basic and Advanced Courses; Command and General Staff College, and various Infantry and Armor Orientation and Refresher Courses.

LTC Hernandez has received many decorations and awards which include the Army Commendation Medal and the California Commendation Ribbon with three Oak Leaf Clusters, and other service medals reflecting his twenty-six years of service.

LTC Hernandez is an active member of the Association of the United States Army and the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California.

He and his wife Dorothy reside in Altadena and they have five sons.

BORN: College Point, Queens,
New York
20 January 1936

Attended New York University, B.C.E., 1958; University of California (Los Angeles, and Berkeley), 1963-1966; Engineer School, Basic, 1959; Engineer School, Advanced, 1970; Command and General Staff College, 1972; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1974; Army War College, 1977-1978.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL JACK M. GREENSPAN
ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G5, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Greenspan was commissioned from ROTC as an Engineer Officer in 1958 and served on active duty as a Platoon Leader in the 553d Engineer Company (Float Bridge), 937th Engineer Group, XVIII Airborne Corps, Fort Campbell, Kentucky, from 1959 through 1961. After release from active duty, LTC Greenspan became a member of the California ARNG as a Platoon Leader in Company E (Bridge), 132d Engineer Battalion, 40th Armored Division. His assignment with the 132d Engineer Battalion included positions of increasing responsibility as Company Commander of Company E in 1961-1962, and Battalion Adjutant (S1) in 1962-1964. LTC Greenspan was assigned in 1965 as Assistant Operations Officer, 49th Infantry Division, and was later appointed to successive brigade staff positions as Brigade Engineer and Liaison Officer when the 49th Infantry Brigade (Separate) was formed in 1966.

Returning to Southern California in 1967, he served as Engineer Equipment Maintenance Officer for the 40th Maintenance Battalion, 40th Armored Division. After the Division was retired in 1968, LTC Greenspan held three consecutive positions with the 161st Maintenance Battalion: S3, Maintenance Operations Officer, and Executive Officer. He was transferred in 1973 to the 223d Support Group as S2/3, and in 1974, he became S4 of the newly reorganized 40th Infantry Division (Mech) Support Command. During the period 1974 through 1976, LTC Greenspan served as Commander of the 161st Maintenance Battalion. He returned to the 40th Infantry Division in December 1976, and has since held a number of senior staff positions as Division Chemical Officer, Division Finance Officer, G4 and G5. He has also served as Commander of the 40th Material Management Center as well as co-authored the Department of Defense Reserve Forces Policy Board's 1978 Annual Report to the President and Congress.

LTC Greenspan is a career National Guard Officer.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; National Defense Service Ribbon; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal; Twenty Year Reserve Service Ribbon; and the California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant.

LTC Greenspan is active in professional and civic organizations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Association of the U.S. Army; Army War College Alumni Association; Institute of Transportation Engineers; Transportation Research Board; Smithsonian Associates; Society of American Military Engineers; American Society of Civil Engineers; and Santa Monica Yacht Club.

LTC Greenspan is a Consulting Engineer and a principal of Linscott, Law & Greenspan, Playa del Rey and Irvine, California. He is a registered Professional Engineer-Traffic.

He and his wife Peggy reside in Lomita and they have seven children.

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PROVOST MARSHALL
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LTC Curtis H. Bryan, Jr.



INFORMATION OFFICER
MAJ Richard A. Hartwell



SECRETARY GENERAL STAFF
CPT Gary L. MacNamara



HEADQUARTERS COMMANDANT
MAJ Kenneth M. Ductor



FIRST BRIGADE

BORN: Chicago, Illinois
5 May 1936

Attended Los Angeles Valley College, 1954-1956, A.A. Degree; California State University, 1957-1958; Long Beach State University, 1972; Infantry School OCS, 1958; Military Police School Advanced, 1970; Command and General Staff College, 1975; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1977.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL HARRY S. HANSEN
COMMANDER, 1ST BRIGADE, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Hansen enlisted in the California Army National Guard in 1953, serving as a non-commissioned officer prior to his attendance at the Infantry Officer Candidate School in 1958. An honor graduate of OCS, he served as a platoon leader, Company Executive Officer, and as an Aide-de-camp prior to his first command assignment.

Having served as a Company Commander 1963-1967, LTC Hansen was assigned to various staff positions in Headquarters, 40th Armored Division; 1st Battalion, 160th Infantry, and in the 40th Infantry Brigade (SEP). He commanded the 1st Battalion, 160th Infantry during the period 15 February 1973 to 1 November 1975. Following this tour, he was assigned as a general staff officer, 40th Infantry Division, and then as Executive Officer 1st Brigade. On 15 January 1979 LTC Hansen assumed command of the 1st Brigade.

LTC Hansen holds a degree in Political Science from Los Angeles Valley College, and has taken graduate program classes in Management from Long Beach State University. He is currently a member of a Doctoral Committee at the University of Southern California.

His decorations and awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal, the Expert Infantryman's Badge, Reserve Components Achievement Medal, the California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant and numerous service awards, reflecting twenty-five years of service.

LTC Hansen is employed as a Captain, Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department, currently commanding the Temple City Station. He has completed numerous professional training programs and holds the California Peace Officer Standards and Training Advanced and Management Certificates.

His association in civic and professional organizations include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, the California Peace Officers Association, and the Boy Scouts of America.

LTC Hansen and his wife Judie reside in Burbank and have two daughters.

FIRST BRIGADE

First Brigade has a unique and colorful heritage that can be traced back to the Seventh California Infantry Regiment (1885). The Headquarters is located at Fort MacArthur, in San Pedro, CA.

BORN: Cushing, Oklahoma
2 July 1939

Attended Chaffey College,
1959; California State
University, Los Angeles,
B.S., 1975; University of
Southern California (USC),
1976; California Military
Academy, 1963; Armor Officer,
Basic, 1964; Armor Officer,
Advanced, 1972; Command and
General Staff College, 1977;
and various Refresher/
Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR ROSS MOEN
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Moen joined the California Army National Guard as a Private in 1956 during his junior year at Barstow High School. He was promoted through the enlisted ranks to the grade of Staff Sergeant while a member of the 40th Armor Division. In 1963 he was commissioned as an Armored Cavalry Officer and assigned as a Platoon Leader in the 111th Reconnaissance Squadron.

He was assigned to the 1st Squadron, 18th Armored Cavalry Regiment (Selective Reserve Force) in 1965, serving as a Platoon Leader, Troop Executive Officer and Troop Commander. When called to active duty in 1968 for duty in Southeast Asia, he accompanied the Squadron to Fort Lewis, Washington. Subsequently, he was assigned to the 2d Battalion, 502d Infantry (ABN), 101st Airborne Division in the Republic of Vietnam, where he performed the duties of Battalion Intelligence Officer and commanded a Combat Infantry Company.

Major Moen remained active with the California Army National Guard after his return from Vietnam in 1970, and has since served as Cavalry Squadron Communications Officer; Aide-de-camp to MG Ott; Armor Brigade Intelligence Officer; Tank Battalion Operations Officer; Mechanized Infantry Brigade Operations Officer; Cavalry Squadron Executive Officer; Division Assistant Operations Officer; and Division Provost Marshal.

Major Moen is a career National Guard Officer and is the Commander of the 1st Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mech), 40th Infantry Division (Mech).

In his civilian occupation he is an eighteen-year veteran of the Los Angeles Police Department. He currently holds the position of Sergeant of Police and is assigned to the North Hollywood Police Division.

His decorations and awards are the Bronze Star Medal; Air Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Combat Infantry Badge; California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant; and numerous service medals.

Major Moen is active in professional and civic affiliations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Optimist International; Los Angeles County Peace Officers Association; Glendale Chamber of Commerce and the Burbank Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife Patty reside in Simi Valley with their two daughters.

1ST BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)

The Headquarters of the 1st Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mechanized) is located in Glendale, CA, in an armory shared with one of its companies. The other companies are stationed in Burbank. The Battalion can trace its lineage directly from the Seventh California Infantry Regiment (1885).

BORN: Orange, California
24 July 1932

Attended St. Anthony High School, 1949; Santa Ana College, Orange Coast College, Golden West College; OCS, 1959; AOB, 1960; Armor Officer Advanced Course, 1972; Command and General Staff College, 1974; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1978; Race Relations Leader Course, 1975; various maintenance, refresher and staff courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR JAMES P. MCLAIN
COMMANDER, 3D BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major McLain enlisted in the 3d Battalion 224 Infantry Regiment of the 40th Infantry Division in February 1950, and served with the Division during the Korean conflict as a member of the 140th Tank Battalion. Upon return from active duty, he rejoined the Division and rose through the ranks to become Battalion Sergeant Major before attending OCS in 1959.

Commissioned as an Armor Officer upon graduation from OCS, Major McLain has subsequently served as Reconnaissance Platoon Leader, Infantry Company Commander, Battalion Motor Officer, Battalion S4, Brigade S3 Air, Battalion S3, Battalion XO and now as Battalion Commander.

As a Unit Commander his companies were honored with Superior Unit Awards and the Eisenhower Trophy for Unit Excellence.

Major McLain has served on State Active Duty during the "Watts Riot," Isla Vista and the Sylmar earthquake as well as having participated in three Joint Forces Exercises, Desert Strike, Exotic Dancer and Brave Shield XVI.

Major McLain's decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, Korean Presidential Citation, California Medal of Merit, Commendation Ribbon, plus numerous service medals.

His civilian occupation is that of partner/general manager of a printing and mailing business in Fountain Valley. His civic affiliations include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, Lions Club, Smithsonian Associates and Westminster Boys Basketball League.

He and his wife Marlene reside in Westminster and are the proud parents of one daughter and three sons.

3RD BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)

Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mechanized), situated in Inglewood, also has units located in the cities of Fullerton, Gardena and Lynwood.

BORN: Chicago, Illinois
25 May 1939

Attended Claremont Men's College, B.A., 1961; University of Southern California, M.B.A., 1969; University of California at Los Angeles Leadership Laboratory, 1975; Armor School, Basic, 1966; Armor School, Advanced, 1974; Currently enrolled Command and General Staff College; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR RICHARD W. METCALF
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Metcalf was commissioned from the California Military Academy in 1964 following enlisted service in the USMCR as an Artilleryman. All subsequent assignments have been with the California Army National Guard.

His initial assignment upon commissioning was as a Rifle Platoon Leader with 3-160 Infantry, then located in Santa Ana; this was followed by a succession of assignments with the Headquarters and Headquarters Companies of the 1st Brigade and the 40th Armored Brigade-Separate.

During the period 1969 through 1972, Major Metcalf commanded successively HHC and Company A of the 1st Battalion, 185th Armor. Under his leadership, Company A was twice the winner of the "Best Armor Unit in California" Award.

Following service as an S3 Air and Brigade Supply Officer, Major Metcalf was assigned as Operations Officer for 1-185 Armor when the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) was formed. Assignments as S2, 1st Brigade and Executive Officer, 4-160 Infantry preceded his appointment as Commander, 1-185 Armor in September 1978.

Major Metcalf has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Business Economics from Claremont Men's College and an M.B.A. from USC.

In his civilian career, he is employed by Beckman Instruments, Inc. in Fullerton as a Group Employee Relations Manager.

He and his wife Nora reside in Yorba Linda with their two daughters.

1ST BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR

Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 185th Armor is located in the City of San Bernardino, with elements also in Hemet, Lancaster, Indio, Apple Valley and Banning. It can trace its proud and colorful heritage back to a volunteer calvary squadron founded in 1855 to protect settlements in the lower Mojave Desert.

BORN: Orange, California
24 July 1932

Attended St. Anthony High School, 1949; Santa Ana College, Orange Coast College, Golden West College; OCS, 1959; AOB, 1960; Armor Officer Advanced Course, 1972; Command and General Staff College, 1974; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1978; Race Relations Leader Course, 1975; various maintenance, refresher and staff courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR JAMES P. MCLAIN
COMMANDER, 3D BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major McLain enlisted in the 3d Battalion 224 Infantry Regiment of the 40th Infantry Division in February 1950, and served with the Division during the Korean conflict as a member of the 140th Tank Battalion. Upon return from active duty, he rejoined the Division and rose through the ranks to become Battalion Sergeant Major before attending OCS in 1959.

Commissioned as an Armor Officer upon graduation from OCS, Major McLain has subsequently served as Reconnaissance Platoon Leader, Infantry Company Commander, Battalion Motor Officer, Battalion S4, Brigade S3 Air, Battalion S3, Battalion XO and now as Battalion Commander.

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Major McLain's decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, Korean Presidential Citation, California Medal of Merit, Commendation Ribbon, plus numerous service medals.

His civilian occupation is that of partner/general manager of a printing and mailing business in Fountain Valley. His civic affiliations include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, Lions Club, Smithsonian Associates and Westminster Boys Basketball League.

He and his wife Marlene reside in Westminster and are the proud parents of one daughter and three sons.

3RD BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)

Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mechanized), situated in Inglewood, also has units located in the cities of Fullerton, Gardena and Lynwood.



BORN: Los Angeles, California
27 January 1925

Attended University of California at Los Angeles (UCLA), B.S., 1950; California State University, Los Angeles, M.A., 1973; Infantry School, Basic, 1956; Armor School, Advanced, 1958; Armor School, Major Level, 1964; Armor School, Career Course, 1967; Command and General Staff College, 1969; Industrial College of the Armed Forces, 1972; and various Armor and Infantry Staff Officer Refresher Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL DONALD E. HUNT
COMMANDER, 2D BRIGADE, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Hunt entered active duty with the U.S. Army on 8 July 1943 as an enlisted man. During World War II, he served in combat with the 164th Infantry Regiment of the famed Americal Division as well as with the 32d Infantry Division. He was separated from federal service on 28 March 1946.

Colonel Hunt was commissioned in the California ARNG in November 1952 as a Second Lieutenant, Infantry. His initial assignment was a six-year tour as Division Headquarters Company Commander. He then was reassigned to a tank company as its Commander for three years. Colonel Hunt then served as Assistant G3, following with assignments of Division Commandant, Executive Officer of an Infantry Battalion, Assistant G2, and G4. He then assumed command of the 1st Battalion, 185th Armor for four years.

Colonel Hunt next assumed the duties of an S3 in an Armored Brigade and upon reorganization of the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) in January 1974, he subsequently served in the following positions: Executive Officer, 1st Brigade, 40th Infantry Division; G3, 40th Infantry Division; Brigade Commander, 1st Brigade, 40th Infantry Division; Detachment Commander, HHD CAL ARNG; and Detachment Commander, ARNG Training Site, Camp Roberts. Colonel Hunt returned to the 1st Brigade, 40th Infantry Division, as its Commander in December 1977. After another thirteen months as the 1st Brigade Commander, he was transferred to duty as Commander of the 2d Brigade, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) on 15 January 1979.

In civilian life, Colonel Hunt is an Associate Professor of Physical Education at Pasadena City College where, for seven years, he has also served as the Head Football Coach.

His decorations and awards are the Combat Infantry Badge; Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device and Oak Leaf Cluster; twice awarded the Army Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Good Conduct Medal; National Defense Medal; Reserve Components Achievement Medal; the American Theater and Southwest Pacific Campaign with Bronze Arrowhead and two Battle Stars; World War II Victory Medal; Phillipine Liberation with Bronze Arrowhead and two Battle Stars and many others.

Colonel Hunt is active in professional and civic affiliations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California Association of the U.S. Army; College Professors of the U.S.; Pasadena City College Faculty Association and Association of Honorable Kentucky Colonels.

He and his wife LaVerne reside in La Canada and they have one son.

SECOND BRIGADE

Second Brigade has an armor heavy task organization for training. The brigade traces its lineage back to the formation of the Los Angeles Mounted Rifles in 1861. The Headquarters is located at Los Alamitos Armed Forces Reserve Center in Los Alamitos, CA.

BORN: Waterloo, Iowa
29 October 1935

Attended Chaffey College,
1955; American University
of Redlands, 1958; California
State University, Long Beach,
M.A., 1962; Infantry Officer
Basic, 1963; Armor School,
Advanced, 1969; Command
and General Staff College,
1974; National Defense
University, National Defense
Management Course, 1978.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL HAROLD R. KOUGH
COMMANDER, 4TH BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Kough was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1961 and was assigned to the 3d Armored Rifle Battalion of the 40th Armored Division as a Rifle Platoon Leader, Weapons Platoon Leader, and as a Company Executive Officer. Transferring to the Headquarters of the First Brigade, LTC Kough served as the Company Executive Officer and Company Commander during which time he was promoted to Captain.

He was transferred to the Headquarters of the newly organized 40th Armored Brigade and served in that Headquarters as an AG Officer. In 1969 he was selected as the Aide-de-camp to Major General Charles O. Ott, Commander of the Southern Emergency Operations Headquarters. LTC Kough was assigned to the 1st Squadron, 18th Cavalry in 1970 as the S1 Adjutant, and later as the Signal Officer. In 1972 he was selected to help organize the newly created 223d Support Group as the S1 Adjutant and later as the Intelligence Operations Officer.

Returning to the 40th Armored Brigade in 1973, LTC Kough served as the Brigade S1 until he was assigned to the 4th Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mech) as the Operations and Training Officer, Battalion Executive Officer, and Battalion Commander since August 1977.

LTC Kough has a Bachelor of Arts degree in Government from the University of Redlands and a Masters of Arts degree in Social Science from California State University, Long Beach. He is a graduate of the Infantry Officer Basic, Armor School Advanced, and the Command and General Staff College.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal and the California Commendation Ribbon.

LTC Kough is affiliated with various professional and civic organizations which include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, the California Teachers Association and the Young Men's Christian Association.

He and his wife Doran live in Fullerton and they have four school-age sons and one daughter.

4TH BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)

The Headquarters, 4th Battalion, 160th Infantry (Mechanized) is located in Santa Ana with elements also found in the cities of Corona, Orange, Riverside, and Fullerton. It traces its lineage directly back to the Southern Rifles, a militia unit founded in Orange County back in 1857.

BORN: Colon, Panama
31 July 1935

Attended Texas A&M, B.S.,
1960; Boston University,
M.A., 1975; Armor Basic
Course, 1961; Combat
Survival Training
Course, 1963; Armor
Advanced Course, 1964;
Nuclear Weapons Employment
Course, 1964; Airborne
School, 1966; Air
Ground Operations Course,
1970; and various Refresher/
Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR DON W. MAYHUE, JR.
COMMANDER, 2D BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Mayhue was commissioned as an Armor Officer in 1960 and assigned to the 2d Battalion, 40th Armor of the 7th Infantry Division in Korea where he served as a Tank Platoon Leader and Company Executive Officer. Returning to the United States in 1962, he was assigned to the 5th Squadron, 9th Cavalry at Fort Ord, California, and served as Troop Executive Officer, Commander of a long range reconnaissance company and Squadron Operations Officer.

In 1964 Major Mayhue was assigned to the Seventh Army Training Center in Germany where he spent two years as the Range Operations Officer. Major Mayhue returned to the United States in 1966 and after a short tour in the General Subjects Department of the Armor School at Fort Knox, he was assigned to the 101st Airborne Division at Fort Campbell. In Vietnam he served with the Division as a Brigade TOC Officer, Infantry Battalion Executive Officer and Support Command S4 Officer. In 1972 Major Mayhue was appointed as the Operations and Training Officer of the 1st Squadron, 2d Armor Cavalry Regiment in Germany. Following that assignment, he served in ODCSOPS, Headquarters, United States Army Europe and Seventh Army, Heidelberg, Germany.

Major Mayhue was discharged from the Army in 1975. He spent a year teaching in Germany before returning to the San Diego area in 1976. In his civilian career, he is employed as a counselor in the Sweetwater Union High School District.

His decorations and awards include the Soldiers Medal; Bronze Star Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters; Meritorious Service Medal; Air Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Army Commendation Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters; Combat Infantry Badge; Parachute Badge; Vietnam Armed Forces Honor Medal; Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm; Civil Actions Honor Medal and the Meritorious Unit Citation.

Major Mayhue is active in professional and civic affiliations to include the Association of the U.S. Army and the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California.

He and his wife reside in Chula Vista with their two sons.

2ND BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR

Headquarters, 2nd Battalion, 185th Armor, is in National City. Its subordinate elements lay along the international border with Mexico in Calexico, Vista, Escondido, El Centro and Brawley. It can trace its heritage back to the San Diego Rifles (1889) and the Imperial Cavalry.

BORN: New York City, New York
29 August 1940

Attended California State University, Fullerton; Infantry OCS, Armor Basic Course, 1965; Armor Officer Advanced Course, 1969; Command and General Staff College, 1974; Logistics Executive Development Course, 1976; various specialist and orientation courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR JOHN J. FERREIRA
COMMANDER, 3D BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR
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Major Ferreira entered military service as a private of Marines in 1957. He served in field artillery units of Fleet Marine Force, Pacific, as an operations sergeant. In 1963 he enlisted in the Regular Army and served as an operations sergeant in 2d Howitzer Battalion, 37th Artillery in Germany.

He attended Infantry Officer Candidate School and was commissioned in Armor in 1965. While on active duty, Major Ferreira served as Platoon Leader, Executive Officer, and Commander of a Cavalry troop in the 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment in Germany; Cavalry Troop Advisor, Military Assistance Command, Vietnam; Commander, Headquarters Company, U.S. Army, Vietnam; S3 Air, 1st Squadron, 11th Armored Cavalry Regiment in Vietnam; Cavalry Tactics Instructor, The Armor School; and S3 Air, 1st Squadron, 2d Armored Cavalry Regiment in Germany.

Major Ferreira was appointed in the California Army National Guard in 1973. He was assigned as S4, 4th Battalion, 160th Infantry; Assistant G4, Headquarters, 40th Infantry Division (Mech); S3 and Executive Officer, 1st Squadron, 18th Cavalry. On 14 January 1979 Major Ferreira assumed command of 3d Battalion, 185th Armor.

He is a career National Guard Officer and is on full-time duty in his current capacity.

Major Ferreira is a graduate of the 1st Marine Division of Non-Commissioned Officer School; the Seventh Army Non-Commissioned Officer Academy; Seventh Army Reconnaissance Leader's School; U.S. Army School of the Americas Jungle Operations Course; Military Assistance Training Advisor (Corps/Division) Course of the John F. Kennedy Center for Special Warfare; and the U.S. Air Force Europe Combat Operations Course.

His decorations and awards include the Bronze Star Medal; Air Medal; Army Commendation Medal (2d award); Parachute Badge, California Medal of Merit (1st Order); California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant.

Major Ferreira's professional and civic affiliations include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, the American Historical Association; the American Film Institute, and the American Studies Association. He is a member of the U.S. Armor Association and the Society of Logistics Engineers.

3RD BATTALION, 185TH ARMOR

Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 185th Armor is located exclusively within the city of San Diego. It continues the lineage and honors of one of California's oldest military units, the San Diego City Guard (1856).



BORN: Los Angeles, California
18 May 1931

Attended Fresno City College, 1949-1954; California State University, Fresno, 1949-1954; Infantry Officer Basic Course, 1954; TAERS, 1963; Material Readiness Course, 1963; Infantry Officer Advanced Course, 1966; California Specialized Training Institute, 1971; Air Mobility Course, 1972; Command and General Staff College, 1973; Infantry Commander and Staff Course, 1975; NATO Orientation Course, 1976.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL JEROME M. SHINAVER, JR.
COMMANDER, 3D BRIGADE 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Jerome M. Shinaver, Jr. entered military service as a Private with the California Army National Guard in the Tank Company of the 185th Infantry Regiment, 49th Infantry Division on 28 November 1950. He received his basic training at Camp Cooke, CA in 1951 with the 49th Infantry Division. In late 1951, he applied and was accepted as a Cadet in Officer Candidate School and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant on 14 September 1952. Colonel Shinaver, Jr. served with the 185th Infantry Regiment as Platoon Regiment's Headquarters Company.

In May 1959 the Regiment was reorganized and Colonel Shinaver was reassigned to the Operations Section, serving first with the Second Battle Group, 184th Infantry, and then the First Battle Group, 184th Infantry, as Assistant Operations and Training Officer and as Intelligence Officer. Upon another reorganization in 1960, he was assigned to the First Battalion, 185th Infantry as Operations and Training Officer. During the Berlin Crisis, Colonel Shinaver served a short tour of active duty in 1962 with the 2d Engineer Amphibious Support Command at Fort Lewis, Washington. In January 1968 he was assigned as Executive Officer of the Second Battalion, 160th Infantry (San Joaquin Rifles) of the 40th Infantry Brigade (SEP). He was appointed the Battalion Commander and promoted to Lieutenant Colonel on 16 October 1970. He served as G2, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) from 1 October 1974 to 21 January 1975 and was assigned as Executive Officer of First Brigade, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) on 22 January 1975. Colonel Shinaver was appointed to his current position as Commander, Third Brigade 40th Infantry Division (Mech) in August 1975 and promoted to Colonel on 14 October 1975.

His awards and decorations include Meritorious Service Medal; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal with Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Medal of Merit (1st Order); Commendation Ribbon with Pendant with one Oak Leaf Cluster; California Service Medal with Gold Redwood Cluster; and the State Service Ribbon with one Bronze Diamond Device.

Colonel Shinaver is a member of the National Guard Association of the U.S. and California.

Colonel Shinaver is an Engineering Technician for California Division of Highways.

He and his wife Rosemarie make their home in Fresno and have two sons and a daughter.

THIRD BRIGADE

Third Brigade, which is located in San Jose, CA, supervises or controls the activities of a number of Division elements in Northern California, including three mechanized infantry and one armor battalion. Its span of control runs the length of the San Joaquin Valley and extends from Monterey to San Jose.

BORN: Eureka, California
16 April 1940

Attended San Jose City
College, 1960; Infantry
School, Basic, 1968;
Infantry School,
Advanced, 1971;
Command and General
Staff College,
1978; and various
Refresher/Orientation
Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR GARY D. RICHARDS
COMMANDER, 2D BATTALION (M), 159TH INFANTRY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Richards was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1964 and assigned as a Rifle Platoon Leader, Company A, 2d Battalion (M), 159th Infantry.

Major Richards has served with the 1st Battalion, 159th Infantry, 749th Maintenance Battalion, 49th Infantry Brigade (Separate) and 3d Brigade, 40th Infantry Division (Mech). In these organizations, he served in personnel and operations assignments. In 1972 he was assigned to the Continental Army Command Special Study Group on Revitalization of Army Training Publications. Out of this special group emerged the Army Training and Evaluation Program (ARTEP).

Major Richards has progressed through all levels of command in the battalion. Prior to his commissioning, Major Richards served as a Rifle Squad Leader. Since his appointment as an Infantry Officer, he has served as Platoon Leader, Company Commander, Adjutant, Intelligence Officer, Operations Officer, Logistics Officer, Executive Officer and was assigned as Battalion Commander in April of 1978.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Armed Forces Reserve Component Medal; California Medal of Merit; California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant; and State Service Ribbon.

Major Richards is active in promoting the National Guard. He is currently a member of the Santa Clara County National Guard Commission; the California National Guard Association and the National Guard Association of the United States.

He and his wife Loretta reside in San Jose and they have five daughters and one son.

2ND BATTALION, 159TH INFANTRY (MECH)

Except for one element in Gilroy, CA, the 2nd Battalion 159th Infantry (Mechanized) is located within the city of San Jose. It derives its lineage directly from the San Jose Zouaves (1862), a volunteer infantry unit created in response to public sympathy and political alignments caused by the American Civil War.

BORN: Los Angeles, California
18 May 1931

Attended Fresno City College, 1949-1954; California State University, Fresno, 1949-1954; Infantry Officer Basic Course, 1954; TAERS, 1963; Material Readiness Course, 1963; Infantry Officer Advanced Course, 1966; California Specialized Training Institute, 1971; Air Mobility Course, 1972; Command and General Staff College, 1973; Infantry Commander and Staff Course, 1975; NATO Orientation Course, 1976.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL JEROME M. SHINAVER, JR.
COMMANDER, 3D BRIGADE 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Jerome M. Shinaver, Jr. entered military service as a Private with the California Army National Guard in the Tank Company of the 185th Infantry Regiment, 49th Infantry Division on 28 November 1950. He received his basic training at Camp Cooke, CA in 1951 with the 49th Infantry Division. In late 1951, he applied and was accepted as a Cadet in Officer Candidate School and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant on 14 September 1952. Colonel Shinaver, Jr. served with the 185th Infantry Regiment as Platoon Regiment's Headquarters Company.

In May 1959 the Regiment was reorganized and Colonel Shinaver was reassigned to the Operations Section, serving first with the Second Battle Group, 184th Infantry, and then the First Battle Group, 184th Infantry, as Assistant Operations and Training Officer and as Intelligence Officer. Upon another reorganization in 1960, he was assigned to the First Battalion, 185th Infantry as Operations and Training Officer. During the Berlin Crisis, Colonel Shinaver served a short tour of active duty in 1962 with the 2d Engineer Amphibious Support Command at Fort Lewis, Washington. In January 1968 he was assigned as Executive Officer of the Second Battalion, 160th Infantry (San Joaquin Rifles) of the 40th Infantry Brigade (SEP). He was appointed the Battalion Commander and promoted to Lieutenant Colonel on 16 October 1970. He served as G2, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) from 1 October 1974 to 21 January 1975 and was assigned as Executive Officer of First Brigade, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) on 22 January 1975. Colonel Shinaver was appointed to his current position as Commander, Third Brigade 40th Infantry Division (Mech) in August 1975 and promoted to Colonel on 14 October 1975.

His awards and decorations include Meritorious Service Medal; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal with Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Medal of Merit (1st Order); Commendation Ribbon with Pendant with one Oak Leaf Cluster; California Service Medal with Gold Redwood Cluster; and the State Service Ribbon with one Bronze Diamond Device.

Colonel Shinaver is a member of the National Guard Association of the U.S. and California.

Colonel Shinaver is an Engineering Technician for California Division of Highways.

He and his wife Rosemarie make their home in Fresno and have two sons and a daughter.

THIRD BRIGADE

Third Brigade, which is located in San Jose, CA, supervises or controls the activities of a number of Division elements in Northern California, including three mechanized infantry and one armor battalion. Its span of control runs the length of the San Joaquin Valley and extends from Monterey to San Jose.

BORN: Helena, Montana
28 May 1936

Attended Armor Officer Maintenance Course, 1962; Officer Candidate School, 1963; Armor School, Basic, 1965; Infantry School, Advanced, 1973; Bakersfield College, Management Studies, 1976; Command and General Staff College, 1978; and various Refresher and Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR DUANE R. BELL
COMMANDER, 2D BATTALION (MECH) 160TH INFANTRY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Bell was assigned to the 1st Cavalry Division stationed in Japan where he attended the 1st Cavalry NCO Academy and served as an Infantry Squadron Leader. After release from active duty, he joined the Bakersfield unit of the California Army National Guard where he served in various enlisted assignments until he was appointed a Warrant Officer.

Upon completion of Officer Candidate School he was commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1963 and assigned as Platoon Leader of the Battalion Reconnaissance Platoon. He served in various positions of leadership and command including command of both Armor and Infantry companies.

His service with the 2nd Battalion, 160th Infantry began with the command of its Company C in Bakersfield. Other assignments with the Battalion included duties as the Operation Officer and Executive Officer. He was then appointed as the Operations and Training Officer of the Third Brigade, 40th Infantry Division. Major Bell returned to the 2d Battalion, 160th Infantry as its Commander in July 1978.

Major Bell is a graduate of Officer Candidate School; Armor School Maintenance; Armor School, Basic Course; Infantry School, Advanced course; Command and General Staff College and various refresher and orientation courses.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal; Army Good Conduct Medal; Armed Forces Achievement Medal with device; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; California Medal of Merit; California Commendation Ribbon with device; and the California State Active Duty Ribbon with two devices.

Major Bell is affiliated with the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, Armor Association, National Association of Stock Car Auto Racing, and professional organizations related to his civilian career in printing production.

He and his wife Kay reside in Bakersfield with their son and daughter who are both currently attending college.

2ND BATTALION, 160TH INFANTRY (MECH)

Headquarters, 2nd Battalion 160th Infantry (Mechanized) is located in Fresno, CA. Its subordinate elements are located exclusively within the Southern San Joaquin Valley in the cities of Visalia, Hanford, Tulare, Porterville, Delano and Bakersfield. Calling themselves the "San Joaquin Rifles", they take great pride in a heritage dating back to the formation of volunteer companies of mounted riflemen in their locale between 1856 and 1863.

BORN: Yeager, Oklahoma
17 April 1937

Attended California Military Academy, 1962; Armored Officer, Basic, 1963; Infantry Officer Advanced Course (USAR), 1973; Command and General Staff College (USAR), 1977; Army Aviation Orientation Course for Commanders, 1977; Command/Staff Refresher Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR JAMES A. MARTIN
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 184TH INFANTRY (MECH)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Martin first enlisted in the National Guard while he was a Junior in High School in 1954; he attained the rank of Corporal by the time of graduation. He enlisted in the Regular Army after graduation in 1955. Major Martin served as a Tank Commander in Korea with the 6th Tank Battalion, 24th Infantry Division. Upon returning to the United States, he served as a Senior Supply Specialist at Fort Holabird, Maryland in the grade of E5. In August 1958 Major Martin was discharged from the Regular Army. Later the same year, he re-enlisted in the National Guard as a Tank Commander E6 in a Reconnaissance Platoon of A Troop, 179th Cavalry.

Major Martin attended the California Military Academy in 1962 and was commissioned as an Armor Officer; he received the Honor Graduate Award as well as the AUSA Leadership Award. Major Martin served as a Cavalry Platoon Leader, Executive Officer, and in 1965 was assigned as Commander of A Troop, 170th Cavalry. He commanded the A Troop during the civil disturbances in Watts in 1965.

He is a career National Guard Officer.

Major Martin attended night school at Modesto Junior College where he studied engineering. He is a graduate of the Armored Officer Basic Course, Infantry Officer Advanced Course and the Command and General Staff College.

He has been employed with Stanislaus County Planning and Community Development Department for twenty years as Chief Planning Technician. He is an active member of the Sportsmen of Stanislaus and enjoys all sports, especially high powered speed boats and water skiing.

Major Martin is the father of three children: Kevin, Karla and Kraig.

1ST BATTALION, 184TH INFANTRY (MECH)

The Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 184th Infantry (Mechanized) is situated in Modesto, CA. Other elements are located in Stockton, Merced, Madera, Auburn, Oakdale, Columbia, and Turlock. While the majority of these elements can trace their beginnings to the Second California Infantry Regiment (1864), the lineage of the Columbia unit can be traced back to 1853.

BORN: Kansas City, Kansas
2 June 1939

Attended San Bernardino Valley College, 1959; Los Angeles State College, 1963; Riverside University, B.S., 1971; College of Notre Dame, M.B.A., 1975; Infantry Officer Candidate Course, 1961; Infantry Officer Basic Course, 1962; Advanced Infantry Officer Course, 1967; Nuclear Weapons Employment Course, 1967; Armor Staff Officers Refresher Course, 1968; Civil Disturbance Management Course, 1973; Command and General Staff Officers Course, 1979; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL GEORGE C. MULLENIX
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 149TH ARMOR
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Mullenix, commissioned as an Infantry Officer in 1961, was initially assigned as a Platoon Leader in Company C, 2d Armored Rifle Battalion, 224th Infantry. Before attending OCS, he served as an enlisted man for four years achieving the rank of Staff Sergeant. While assigned to the 2d Battalion, 160th Infantry, LTC Mullenix performed a variety of duties including Company Executive Officer, Company Commander, and Battalion Logistics Officer S4.

When the California Army National Guard was reorganized in 1968, LTC Mullenix was selected as Assistant Intelligence Officer for the newly created 40th Armored Brigade (SEP). He also served as Assistant Operations Officer-Air S3 and Assistant Operations Officer S3. While performing in this S3 position, LTC Mullenix was promoted to Field Grade. He later moved to northern California and transferred to the 49th Infantry Brigade as Assistant Operations Officer. In 1974 the California Army National Guard was again reorganized. At that time, LTC Mullenix served successively as Assistant G3-Air and Assistant G3 on the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) staff. He was subsequently assigned as a Battalion Executive Officer, and in 1976, assumed command of the 1st Battalion, 149th Armor.

In his civilian career, LTC Mullenix is employed as an Engineering Department Manager by an aerospace firm located on the San Francisco peninsula.

His decorations and awards are the U.S. Army Commendation Medal (1st and 2nd); Armed Forces Reserve Medal; U.S. Army Reserve Component Achievement Medal with Bronze Oak Leaf Cluster; and California Service Medal.

LTC Mullenix is active in civic and professional organizations to include the Association of the U.S. Army; National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; U.S. Army Armor Association; American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics; American Defense Preparedness Association; Association of Old Crows and the American Society for Metals.

LTC Mullenix resides in Los Altos, California.

1ST BATTALION, 149TH ARMOR

Headquarters, 1st Battalion, 149th Armor is located in Salinas, CA. Its other elements are also located along the Central California Coastline below San Francisco, in the cities of Monterey, Freedom, Santa Cruz and Hollister. Their lineage dates from volunteer units founded during the period of the American Civil War.



BORN: Detroit, Michigan
23 June 1931

Attended University of Michigan, A.B., 1953; University of Michigan, M.B.A., 1958; Artillery Officer Candidate School, 1955; Primary Flight Training, 1955; Army Aviation Tactical Course, 1955; Helicopter Flight School, 1955; Army Aviation Helicopter Tactical Course, 1955; Field Artillery Advanced Course, 1965; Command and General Staff College, 1973; California Civil Disorder Management Course, 1973; Air Mobility Course, 1974; TAAMS Course, 1974; Rotary Wing Instrument Course, 1974; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL RICHARD A. DEMMER
COMMANDER, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH) ARTILLERY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Demmer entered the U.S. Army in February, 1954 and was assigned to Fort Knox for basic training. He entered the Artillery Officer Candidate School in mid 1954 and graduated in January 1955. Colonel Demmer was selected for Army Aviation Flight Training in early 1955; after graduating from this training, he attended Helicopter Flight Training School which he completed in January 1956.

Colonel Demmer was assigned to the 30th FA Battalion in Erlangen, Germany where he spent one year as an aviator; the following year, 1957, he served as aviator for the V Corps. He was separated from the Army in late 1957 in order to return to college.

After completing his Masters Degree in Business Administration at the University of Michigan in June, 1958, Colonel Demmer moved to California and joined the California Army National Guard. Since that time, his assignments with the CAL ARNG have been varied. He was assigned as XO, 40th Aviation Company; S3, 40th Aviation Battalion; Division Artillery Aviation Officer; S4, 76th Aviation Group; G1 and G4, Southern Emergency Operations Headquarters; XO and finally Commander of the 76th Aviation Group. In October 1976 Colonel Demmer was assigned as Commander, 40th Infantry Division (Mech) DISCOM, and in June 1977, as Commander of Division Artillery (DIVARTY).

His decorations and awards are the Meritorious Service Medal; the National Defense Service Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Armed Forces Components Achievement Medal and Senior Army Aviation Badge. His state awards include the Medal of Merit; Outstanding Unit Award; California Service Ribbon; and Drill Attendance Ribbon.

Colonel Demmer is the General Manager of Poly-Optical Products, Inc., and was the former Mayor of Placentia, California. He is active in the National Guard Associations of California and the U.S.; the Association of the U.S. Army; the Reserve Officers Association, and several civic and professional organizations.

He and his wife Gail reside in Newport Beach and have a son and a daughter.

40TH DIVISION ARTILLERY

40th Division Artillery is located in Los Angeles. Its elements are distributed throughout metropolitan Los Angeles, the San Fernando Valley, and one battery is located in Richmond, CA, on the San Francisco Bay.

BORN: Fort Worth, Texas
11 September 1930

Attended Los Angeles City College, 1946; California State College at Hayward, 1967; California College of Law, 1971; San Francisco State University, 1975; California State College at Hayward, 1979; The Artillery School and OCS, 1955-56; Anti-Aircraft Artillery and Guided Missile School, Officers Basic, 1957; Army Maintenance Management School, 1964; Ordnance Center and School, Officer Career Course, 1965; Command and General Staff College, 1974; and the U.S. Army War College, 1978.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL ROOSEVELT C. FRANKLIN
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 143D ARTILLERY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Prior to receiving his commission as a Second Lieutenant, Colonel Franklin served as an enlisted man on active duty in the U.S. Air Force and subsequently, as an enlisted man in the California Army National Guard. He was discharged as a Sergeant E-7 in 1956.

Colonel Franklin was commissioned as an Artillery Officer in September 1956. He was then assigned to Battery A, 719th Anti-Aircraft Artillery (AAA) Battalion where he served as a Platoon Leader. Following this assignment, he was appointed as Platoon Leader with Battery D, 951st AAA Battalion. During the period 1961-1966, Colonel Franklin held successive positions as Commander, HHB, 3-250th Artillery; Company D, 3-250th Artillery; Company D, 749th Maintenance Battalion; Headquarters and Company A, 749th Maintenance Battalion; and as Signal Officer, 749th Maintenance Battalion.

Colonel Franklin was assigned to the 49th Infantry Brigade (SRF) in 1966 as the Brigade Maintenance Officer. After this assignment he was appointed to two consecutive positions: Executive Officer, 49th Support Battalion, and S4, 49th Infantry Brigade. He served as an Operations and Training Action Officer during a short tour of active duty in 1973 at the National Guard Bureau in the Pentagon.

Colonel Franklin was selected in 1974 to serve as the National Guard Advisor to the Commanding General at Headquarters, U.S. Army Readiness Region IX, Presidio of San Francisco. Following his release from active duty in 1977, Colonel Franklin was assigned as Evaluation/Inspector, California Task Force (CAL TAF) where he conducted Annual General Inspections (AGI). Prior to assuming command of the 1st Battalion, 143d Artillery, Colonel Franklin served as the Chief of Staff, California Task Force.

He is a career National Guard Officer. In his civilian career, he is employed by the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare as an Automatic Data Processing Systems Specialist.

His many decorations and awards include the Meritorious Service Medal and the California Service Medal.

Colonel Franklin is a member of the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; the U.S. Army War College Alumni Association; and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People.

He and his wife Alexandra (Alex) reside in Newark.

1ST BATTALION, 143D FIELD ARTILLERY

Headquarters, 1st Battalion 143d Field Artillery and all but two subordinate elements are based in Richmond, CA, on the San Francisco Bay. The other elements are located in Lodi and in Woodland.

BORN: Sacramento, California
28 June 1935

Attended Sacramento Junior College, A.S.E.E., 1956; La Salle University, B.S., 1974; California Military Academy, 1963; Infantry School, Basic, 1963; Signal Officer School, Basic, 1965; Ballistic Missile Staff Course, 1968; Field Artillery Advanced Course, 1973; Air Command and Staff College, 1976; Air War College, 1977-78; and various Refresher and Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR MELVIN G. GORDON
COMMANDER, 1ST BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Gordon enlisted in the California Army National Guard in 1953 and was assigned to the 184th Infantry Regiment, 40th Division, and served as a Tank Commander and Operations NCO. In 1959 Major Gordon enlisted in the 15th U.S. Army Corps as an Operations and Intelligence NCO and served with the Corps until 1961. Returning to the California National Guard after a brief tour in Japan, Major Gordon was assigned to the 1-184 Infantry, California Army National Guard as the Battalion Operations NCO until he attended the California Military Academy during 1962-63.

After receiving his commission from the California Military Academy in 1963, Major Gordon returned to the 1-184th as the Battalion Signal Officer. He was transferred in 1966 to the 1-144th Field Artillery in Southern California. Major Gordon held successive command and leadership positions after being re-assigned in 1966 to the 1-144th Field Artillery in Santa Barbara. He served as Commander, HHS Battery; Commander, A Battery; Commander, C Battery; Commander, HHB; Battalion S3 and finally Battalion Executive Officer before being reassigned to the 40th Infantry Division Artillery as the S3 in 1975. He returned to the 1st Battalion, 144th Field Artillery in 1976 as the Battalion Executive Officer and was later assigned as Commander of the 1-144th Field Artillery in March 1978.

His decorations and awards are the Army Commendation Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; Good Conduct Medal; National Defense Service Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal with Hourglass; Armed Forces Reserve Component Achievement Medal with Oak Leaf Cluster; California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant and Oak Leaf Cluster; Expert Infantry Badge; and numerous other medals reflecting over twenty-five years of service.

Major Gordon is a career National Guard Officer and in his civilian capacity is assigned as the Director, Technical Plans and Requirements Division, Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff, Communications and Instrumentation, 1st Strategic Aerospace Division, Vandenberg Air Force Base, California.

Major Gordon is a member of the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; the Society of American Military Engineers; the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers and many others.

He and his wife Doris reside in Lompoc and they have three daughters.

1ST BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY

Headquarters, 1st Battalion 144th Field Artillery is located in the city of Santa Barbara. Its units are based along the Central California Coastline between San Luis Obispo and Los Angeles in the cities of Santa Maria, Oxnard and Ventura. The battalion derives its lineage from artillery units formed in this area as far back as 1854.

BORN: Omaha, Nebraska
27 March 1933

Attended Santa Monica
Community College; Long
Beach State University;
Officers Basic Course, Field
Artillery Advanced Course,
1967; Nuclear Weapons Em-
ployment Officer Course,
1967; Infantry Staff Officer
Refresher Course, 1971;
Command and General Staff
College, 1972; Armor Staff
Officer Course, 1973;
Nuclear Weapons Employment
Officer Refresher Course,
1975; Command and General
Staff Refresher Course,
1976; Field Artillery Re-
freshers Course, 1977 and
1978.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL MELVIN H. MARQUARDT, JR.
COMMANDER, SECOND BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Enlisting in the U.S. Army in B Battery, 143d Field Artillery Battalion, Santa Monica, California, LTC Marquardt served as a Chief of Section in Korea and was appointed First Sergeant in 1952. He was commissioned a Second Lieutenant, Field Artillery, in September 1957. LTC Marquardt commanded Alpha, Charley and Headquarters and Service Battery of the 143d Field Artillery Battalion. He has since served in various staff positions including Division Artillery Fire Support Coordinator and Executive Officer. He commanded the 3d Battalion, 144th Field Artillery and is currently the Commander of the 2d Battalion, 144th Field Artillery.

His decorations and awards include the Army of Occupation Medal (Japan); Korean Service Medal with two battle stars; National Defense Service Medal; Good Conduct Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; United Nations Service Medal; Medal of Merit; Commendation Ribbon with pendant with two Oak Leaf Clusters; California Federal Service Ribbon; California State Service Medal with Redwood Cluster.

LTC Marquardt is a life member of the National Guard Association of the United States; Board of Directors of the National Guard Association of California; member of the Association of the United States Army.

He and his wife Sylvia reside in Placentia and they have five sons and two daughters.

2ND BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY

The Headquarters, 2nd Battalion, 144th Field Artillery is situated in Arcadia with elements in Monrovia, Azusa and Los Angeles proper. It continues the lineage and honors of the Ringold Light Artillery, named for its founder in 1855.

BORN: Paris, Kentucky
1 June 1936

Attended Pierce Junior College, A.A., 1956; California State University, Northridge, B.A., 1960; California State University, Northridge, M.A., 1963; Air Ground Operations School, 1968; Schools of Americas, 1969; Armor Officer Advanced Course, 1973; Infantry Staff Officer Refresher Course, 1974; Command and General Staff College, 1976; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR EDGAR B. MORRISON
COMMANDER, 3D BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Morrison was commissioned as an Armor Officer in 1965. He was called to active duty in 1968 with HHT 1/18th Armored Cavalry and was assigned to Company A, 2d Battalion, 34th Armor, 25th Infantry Division in Vietnam. Major Morrison served as Executive Officer and distinguished himself by being awarded the Bronze Star with "V" device.

Major Morrison has remained active with the California Army National Guard since his return from Vietnam in 1969 and has served at all levels of command with the Armor. In August 1978 Major Morrison assumed command of the 3d Battalion, 144th Field Artillery.

Major Morrison is a career National Guard Officer.

In his civilian career, Major Morrison is employed by the Los Angeles Unified School District and is currently the Assistant Principal at Frost Junior High School.

His decorations and awards are the National Defense Service Medal; Vietnam Service Medal; Republic of Vietnam Campaign Medal; Bronze Star with "V" device (10LC); BSM (20LC); BSM (30LC); Army Commendation Medal with device/2 Overseas Bars/Air Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; California National Guard Service Medal; and the California Commendation Ribbon with Pendant.

Major Morrison is active in professional and civic affiliations at the national, state and local levels, to include Phi Delta Kappa; Los Angeles Association of Secondary School Administrators; National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; and the Boy Scouts of America.

He and his wife Gerry reside in San Fernando and they have two sons and a daughter.

3RD BATTALION, 144TH FIELD ARTILLERY

The Headquarters, 3rd Battalion, 144th Field Artillery are based in the city of Van Nuys in the San Fernando Valley. It has three additional units stationed in Culver City and one more located in Sylmar. Some of the elements can trace their lineage directly to some of the oldest National Guard units in California (1853).



DISCOM

BORN: Maywood, California
14 August 1924

Attended Bell High School, 1942; U.S. Navy Radio School, 1942; Field Artillery Transition School, 1956; Nuclear Weapons Employment Officer School, 1963; Command and General Staff College, 1965; CBR Weapons Course, 1970; Civil Disturbance Orientation Course, 1971; Aviation Safety Course, 1972; and various Armor/Infantry/Field Artillery Refresher and Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF COLONEL FLOYD L. GLASS
COMMANDER, 40TH INFANTRY DIVISION (MECH) SUPPORT COMMAND
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Glass enlisted in the U.S. Navy in Los Angeles on 21 May 1942. After receiving radio operator training, he was assigned to Naval Amphibious Forces training at Destroyer Base in San Diego. Promoted to rating of Boatswains Mate 1st Class, Colonel Glass served as Landing Craft Section Leader from 1943 to 1945 in the South Pacific Theater of Operations.

Returning to civilian pursuits after World War II, he was recalled to active duty with the 625th Field Artillery Battalion, 40th Infantry Division as a First Sergeant in 1950. Service during the Korean Conflict saw Colonel Glass appointed as Warrant Officer and subsequently, receiving appointment as Second Lieutenant, FA, USAR. During this tour of duty, Colonel Glass served as Field Artillery First Sergeant, Anti-aircraft Battalion Supply Officer and as a Field Artillery Forward Observer.

Colonel Glass remained active with the California National Guard after returning from Korea in April 1953. Since that time, he has served at all levels of command and staff through Commander of the 40th Division Artillery and Division Support Command. During the period 1971-1973 Colonel Glass was appointed as FTTD S3 for the 40th Armored Brigade (SEP) in support of the Office of Secretary of Defense Study Test Nr 3.

He is a career National Guard Officer and is both a life and disability agent and pension trust planner in civilian life.

Colonel Glass is a graduate of various life underwriter and financial planning courses as well as the Field Artillery Transition Officer Course, and the Command and General Staff College.

His decorations and awards are the Bronze Star Medal; Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Korean Presidential Unit Citation; and the California Medal of Merit.

Colonel Glass is a member of the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California.

He and his wife Nola Lee reside in Leona Valley and have five children.

40TH DIVISION SUPPORT COMMAND

40th Division Support Command controls the Material Management Center, three battalions and two separate companies spread from San Francisco to Los Angeles. The Headquarters is located in Long Beach.

BORN: Silver City, Nevada
30 July 1940

Attended University of Nevada, 1958-1960; University of California, Davis, 1967-68; California State University, Fresno, B.S., 1978; Nevada Military Academy, Honor Graduate, 1961; Air Defense Officer Basic Course, 1963; Air Defense Officer Career Course, 1965; Service Support Staff Officers Course, 1969; Officer Rotary Wing Aviator Course, 1970; Army Aviation School Advanced Officer Rotary Wing Aviator Course, Commandants List, 1970; Aircraft Maintenance Officers Course, 1971; currently enrolled (non-resident) Command and General Staff College; and various Refresher, Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR DONALD L. LONGERO
COMMANDER, 540TH MAINTENANCE BATTALION
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Longero was commissioned as an Ordnance Officer in 1961, after serving five years enlisted service both on active duty and in the National Guard. Soon after completing a twelve month tour as an instructor for the High Altitude Missile Department at the Air Defense School, Fort Bliss, Texas, Major Longero returned to National Guard duty in 1963. He has remained active with the National Guard serving at all levels of command and staff through S3 at Group level, to include five separate branches: Air Defense, Field Artillery, Infantry, Ordnance, and Transportation Corps. Major Longero assumed command of the 40th Infantry Division (Mech)'s 540th Maintenance Battalion in January 1978.

He is a career National Guard officer and serves in the capacity of Area Coordinator for Central California.

Major Longero has a completed Bachelor of Science degree in Business Administration from California State University, Fresno. He is a graduate of Air Defense School Basic and Career Courses; Primary and Advanced Helicopter Pilot Training Course; Aircraft Maintenance Officers Course; and a number of military refresher and orientation courses. He distinguished himself when he achieved the status of Honor Graduate at the Nevada Military Academy in 1961. He is currently enrolled in the Command and General Staff College on a non-resident basis.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal; Armed Forces Good Conduct Medal; Armed Forces Service Medal; Armed Forces Reserve Medal; Army Reserve Components Achievement Medal; Commendation Ribbon with Pendant; Outstanding Unit Award Ribbon Bar; State Service Ribbon; and the Drill Attendance Ribbon.

Major Longero is active in a number of professional and civic organizations to include the National Guard Association of the U.S. and California; Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association; Elks Lodge #439 BPOE; Shrine Lodge 150, F & AM; and Alpha Tau Omega, College Fraternity.

He resides in Fresno and has a daughter and two sons.

540TH MAINTENANCE BATTALION

The Headquarters and two other companies of the 540th Maintenance Battalion are located in Bell, CA. Other units can be found in El Cajon, just north of San Diego and in San Lorenzo, near San Jose. The lineage of some of its elements date from guard units formed during the American Civil War.

BORN: Worland, Wyoming
26 October 1936

Attended University of
Wyoming, B.S., 1959;
Armor School, Basic, 1965;
Armor School, Advanced,
1969; Command and General
Staff College, 1978; and
various Refresher and
Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR THOMAS E. HOWARD
COMMANDER, 40TH SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT BATTALION
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Howard was commissioned as an Armor Officer in 1963 in the California State Officer Candidate School and served as Platoon Leader and Executive Officer in the 4th Battalion, 185th Armor. He was the Commanding Officer of B Company, 4th Battalion, 185th Armor during 1966 and 1967.

Major Howard has served as a staff officer at Battalion through Division levels of command. This included S2 Air, 40th Armor Brigade (SEP), S4 in the 1-18th Cavalry Squadron, S3 in the 40th Supply and Transport Battalion, and Assistant G4 of the 40th Infantry Division (Mech). In September 1978 Major Howard was assigned the Commanding Officer, 40th Supply and Transport Battalion.

He is employed as a Civil Engineer for the Los Angeles County Engineer.

Major Howard has a Bachelor of Science Degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Wyoming. He is a graduate of the California Officer Candidate School, Armor School, Basic and Advanced, as well as the Command and General Staff College.

His decorations and awards are the Army Commendation Medal and the State Active Duty Medal.

Major Howard is active in professional and civic organizations which include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, Rotary International, and the San Dimas Chamber of Commerce.

He and his wife Charlotte reside in La Verne and they have four sons and two daughters.

40TH SUPPLY AND TRANSPORTATION BATTALION

No unit in the 40th Infantry Division has a more diverse mission than the 40th Supply and Transportation Battalion. Its Headquarters is found in Bell, CA with other elements in Compton and Torrance. It maintains the lineage and honors of the Bell Volunteer militia and the Lincoln Guard.

BORN: Los Angeles, California
15 September 1930

Attended Los Angeles City College, AA Degree, 1955; California State University at Los Angeles, B.S. Degree, 1959; La Verne University, M.S. Degree, 1979; Military Police Officer Basic, 1965; Ordnance Officer Advanced, 1969; MI Officer Advanced, 1971; Command and General Staff College, 1972; Industrial College of the Armed Forces (National Security Management Seminar), 1974; Phases I, II, and III, Associate Logistics Executive Development Course, 1974-78; National War College Defense Strategy Seminar, 1976; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL DONALD E. ROBERTS
COMMANDING OFFICER, 40TH MEDICAL BATTALION
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Colonel Roberts was commissioned as a Military Police Officer in the U.S. Army Reserve in 1964. In 1967 he joined the California Army National Guard and was assigned to the 40th Maintenance Battalion, 40th Armored Division. From 1968-71 and 1973-75, he served with the 161st Maintenance Battalion as S1, S3 and Battalion Executive Officer. From 1975-78, he was assigned to ARNG Training Site, Fort Irwin, as Administrative Officer and later as Director of Industrial Operations. From March 1978 until October 1978, Colonel Roberts was assigned as the 40th Infantry Division Inspector General. On 4 October 1978, he assumed command of the 40th Medical Battalion.

During the Korean War, Colonel Roberts saw service with the 2d Battalion, 11th Marine Regiment, 1st Marine Division, FMF, and as an instructor at the Marine Corps Radio School, Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Colonel Roberts' civilian occupation for the past twenty-five years has been in the field of Law Enforcement, first as a Sergeant of Police and later as a Federal Criminal Investigator. He is currently assigned to the Los Angeles area as a Supervisory Criminal Investigator, U.S. Treasury Department, U.S. Customs Service.

Colonel Roberts has an Associate of Arts degree in Police Law from Los Angeles City College, a Bachelor of Science degree in Police Science and Administrations from California State University at Los Angeles, and a Master of Science degree in Management from La Verne University. He is a graduate of Military Police Officer Basic Course, Military Intelligence Officer Advanced Course and the Command and General Staff College.

His decorations and awards include the Army Commendation Medal, Korean Service Medal with six Battle Stars; Presidential Unit Citation with 2d and 3d awards; Korean Presidential Unit Citation; California Medal of Valor; California Medal of Merit; and several other service medals.

Colonel Roberts is a member of the Association of the U.S. Army, National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California, Reserve Officers Association; and the Federal Criminal Investigators Association.

He and his wife Peggy live in Irvine. They have two married daughters and a son.

40TH MEDICAL BATTALION

The Headquarters and one other company of the 40th Medical Battalion are located in Long Beach, CA. Other companies are situated in Ontario and Montebello, both in the Greater Los Angeles Metropolitan area, and one in Redwood City.



DIVISION TROOPS

BORN: Anaheim, California
6 August 1937

B.S., California State University, 1979; California State OCS, 1957; Advanced NCO School, 1958; Infantry Officer Basic, 1958 Aircraft Maintenance Officer Course, 1960; Transportation Officer Familiarization Course, 1960; Officer Rotary Wing School, 1961; Helicopter Instrument Flying Course, 1965; Transportation Officer Career Course, 1966; Infantry Officer Advanced Course, 1972; Command and General Staff College, 1977; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LTC ROBERT J. BRANDT
COMMANDER, 40TH AVIATION BATTALION (CBT)
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC Brandt enlisted 1 September 1954 in Tank Company, 185th Infantry Regiment, 49th Infantry Division, Fresno, California. He graduated from the California State OCS Program in 1957 and from Rotary Wing Flight School in 1961.

LTC Brandt received orders for active duty during 1961 and reported to the 33d Transportation Company (Light Helicopter), Fort Ord, California 18 January 1962. He assumed command of the 573d Cargo Helicopter Field Maintenance Detachment in August 1962, and deployed in command of the 573d to the Republic of Vietnam, where he was engaged in combat support operations until August 1963.

On returning to the United States, he was reassigned to Fort Rucker as an Instructor Pilot, Department of Rotary Wing. In 1965 LTC Brandt was transferred to Fort Ustis, VA to attend the Transportation Officer Career Course. In 1967 LTC Brandt assumed command of HHC and Co A, 1st Transportation Battalion (Seaborne) and deployed to Vietnam aboard the Aircraft Repair Ship, Corpus Christi Bay.

LTC Brandt returned to the California Army National Guard in 1967 and served in various assignments including Commander, 40th Aviation Company, 40th Assault Helicopter Company, Division Aviation Officer, and Commander, 40th Aviation Battalion, (CBT).

His decorations and awards are the Meritorious Service Medal, Air Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Purple Heart Medal, Master Army Aviator Badge, California Medal of Merit, and numerous service medals reflecting two Vietnam tours and twenty-four years service.

LTC Brandt and his wife Dorothy reside in Fountain Valley and they have two daughters.

40TH AVIATION BATTALION

The 40th Aviation Battalion supervises aviation units in three western states. Its Headquarters is located in Stockton, with other elements in Los Alamitos, CA, Aurora, CO, and Phoenix, AZ.

BORN: Whitewater, Wisconsin
1 May 1937

Attended University of Wisconsin at LaCrosse, 1955; B.S. United States Military Academy, Infantry School Basic, Airborne, Ranger, 1960; Jumpmaster, 1961; Combat Arms Commo Officer, 1962; Air Delivery/Air Mobile, 1963; Armor Cavalry Platoon Leader, 1963; Counter Insurgency Staff Officer, 1964; Special Forces Officer, 1964; Instructor Training Course USAIS, 1966; Infantry Advanced Course, 1967; Inspector General Orient, 1973; Command and General Staff College, 1975; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR WILLIAM E. FLORENCE
COMMANDER, 240TH SIGNAL BATTALION
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Florence enlisted in the Wisconsin Army National Guard in 1954; he terminated his enlistment in 1956 in order to enter the United States Military Academy. He served in an airborne battalion in Germany from 1961 to 1963 in various platoon leader and staff positions. Returning to CONUS to a U.S. Army Special Forces assignment in 1964, he deployed with his unit to Vietnam later the same year. In 1965 Major Florence went back to Fort Benning where he served as an instructor with the Personnel Committee, and after graduating from the Infantry Advanced Course, commanded a basic training company.

Major Florence returned to Vietnam in January 1968. There he served as an Assistant G3 and Battalion Executive Officer in the 1st Infantry Division. Completing his second Vietnam tour in early 1969, Major Florence was reassigned to the G3 Division, Headquarters, Central Army Group (NATO). Finishing this tour in 1972, he joined the J3 Division, United Nations Command, Korea. When he returned from Korea in 1973, Major Florence was then assigned to Headquarters, U.S. Army Recruiting Command in an Inspector General capacity.

Leaving active duty in late 1974, Major Florence was appointed in the California National Guard as Assistant G1, 40th Infantry Division in early 1975. He served as G1 from 1976 to early 1978, assuming command of the 240th Signal Battalion in March. He is on full-time duty in his current capacity.

Major Florence's decorations and awards are the Bronze Star Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters; the Meritorious Service Medal; Joint Service Commendation Medal; Army Commendation Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters; Air Medal; Combat Infantryman Badge; Senior Parachutist Badge; Vietnamese Cross of Gallantry with Silver Star; and California Medal of Merit.

Major Florence is a member of the Association of the United States Army and the California and United States National Guard Associations.

Major Florence and his wife Judy reside in Westminster with their daughter and two sons.

240TH SIGNAL BATTALION

The Headquarters, 240th Signal Battalion and one other company are located in Stanton, CA. Other elements are based in San Pedro and in Alameda. Based more upon geography than its unique and vital communications mission, the battalion continues the lineage and honors of the Eagle Corps, a militia unit founded in 1881.

BORN: Detroit, Michigan
12 December 1931

Attended Santa Monica City College, 1955; California State University, Los Angeles, B.S., 1963; Officer Candidate School, 1955; Military Police Officer Basic Course, 1959; Infantry Officer Advanced Course, 1965; Airborne Course, 1966; Special Forces Officer Course, 1966; Jumpmaster Course, 1967; Northern Warfare Operations Course, 1968; Ranger Course, 1969; Jungle Operations Course, 1969; Command and General Staff College, 1971; Chemical, Biological and Radiological Course, 1972; Airmobile Course, 1973; Pathfinder Course, 1975; Ski Instructor Course, 1976; Army War College, 1977-1978; and various Refresher/Orientation Courses.



BIOGRAPHY OF LIEUTENANT COLONEL THOMAS J. DEGRAW
COMMANDER, 1ST SQUADRON, 18TH CAVALRY
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

LTC DeGraw joined the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) of the California Army National Guard in January 1949 as a Private. He served on active duty from 1950 to 1952 in Japan and Korea during the Korean conflict as an Infantryman and attained the rank of Staff Sergeant before receiving an honorable discharge in 1952.

LTC DeGraw re-enlisted in the 40th Infantry Division (Mech) as a Sergeant First Class in 1954. Upon commission in the grade of Second Lieutenant in 1955, LTC DeGraw served in various positions in the Division Military Police Company to include commanding the unit. He transferred to the 12th Special Forces Group (Airborne), United States Army Reserve in 1965, and was appointed to positions to include Operations Officer; Commander of an "A" Detachment; Company Commander; and Battalion Executive Officer. In 1972 he was assigned as Assistant G3, 63d Arcom, United States Army Reserve.

It was in 1973 that LTC DeGraw returned to the California Army National Guard and assisted in re-forming the 40th Infantry Division (Mech). When the Division was re-established, LTC DeGraw was appointed as Provost Marshal and promoted to his present rank. Following a three year tour as an Infantry Battalion Commander, he was selected to attend the Army War College. Upon his return, LTC DeGraw was appointed to the position of Division G1, and in January 1979, assumed command of the 1st Squadron, 18th Cavalry.

In his civilian career, LTC DeGraw is employed by the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department where he holds the position of Detective Sergeant.

His decorations and awards include the Meritorious Service Medal; Army Commendation Medal; Purple Heart; Combat Infantrymen's Badge; Ranger Tab; Master Parachutist Badge; Pathfinder Badge; Canadian Parachutist Badge; and the Korean Presidential Unit Citation.

LTC DeGraw's professional and civic affiliations include the Association of the U.S. Army; National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Reserve Officers Association; Airborne Association; Special Forces Association; California Peace Officers Association; and the American Legion.

He and his wife Patricia reside in Buena Park with their two children.

1ST SQUADRON, 18TH CAVALRY

The Headquarters, 1st Squadron, 18th Cavalry is located in Ontario, CA. Its three armored cavalry troops are based in Pomona, Colton and Redlands. The air cavalry troop is located at Los Alamitos AFRC in Orange County. All derive their heritage from companies of rangers found within their parent cities, the oldest being the San Bernardino Rangers (1856).

BORN: Belle Fourche,
South Dakota
30 September 1935

Attended Humboldt State University, 1958; Infantry Officer Candidate School, Infantry School, 1967; Engineer Officers Basic Course, Engineer School, 1968; Civil Disorder Management Course, California Specialized Training Institute, 1971; Engineer Officers Advanced Course, Engineer School, 1973; Command and General Staff Officer Course, U.S.A. Command and General Staff College, 1976.



BIOGRAPHY OF MAJOR CURWOOD F. REYNOLDS
COMMANDER, 132D ENGINEER BATTALION
CALIFORNIA ARMY NATIONAL GUARD

Major Reynolds' military service began in May 1954 when he enlisted as a Private in the 49th Infantry Division, California Army National Guard. After serving in the Corps of Engineers in all enlisted ranks through the grade of First Sergeant, Major Reynolds was commissioned as a Second Lieutenant upon graduation from Infantry Officer Candidate School on 20 June 1967.

Major Reynolds was subsequently assigned as an Engineer Platoon Leader with the 1401st Engineer Battalion (CBT). With the advent of the Selective Reserve Force in the ARNG, he was assigned as Engineer Equipment Officer and the Company Executive Officer with the 112th Engineer Company (SRF). In conjunction with his full-time employment with the California Army National Guard, Major Reynolds has served as Engineer Unit Commander, Assistant Battalion Operations Officer, S3, and Battalion Supply Staff Officer, S4 for the 579th Engineer Battalion.

Major Reynolds was appointed as Plans and Operations Staff Officer of California's first Military Support of Civil Authorities Branch in June 1969, and was transferred to State Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment in Sacramento. In this capacity, he served as a principal staff advisor to both Military and Law Enforcement officials in matters relating to military support required to supplement civil authorities from both active Army and National Guard components within the State. Additional assignments on the Commanding General's staff included Civil Disturbance Training Officer, Operations and Training Officer J3 and Area Maintenance Officer J4. Major Reynolds returned to the 579th Engineer Battalion in 1977 as the Battalion Executive Officer. He assumed command of the 132d Engineer Battalion, 40th Infantry Division in June 1978.

He is a career National Guard Officer and is assigned in his full-time capacity as the Chief, Management and Career Office, Office of the Commanding General State Military Forces, Sacramento, California.

Major Reynolds is active in professional and civic affiliations to include the National Guard Associations of the U.S. and California; Society of Military Engineers; Lions International and several others.

Major Reynolds is the recipient of numerous decorations and awards which include the Army Commendation Medal; California Medal of Merit; and California Good Conduct Medal with Bronze Device.

He and his son Brandon reside in Downieville and Sacramento.

132D ENGINEER BATTALION

Elements of the 132d Engineer Battalion are spread throughout Northern California and in Los Angeles. The Headquarters is located in Sacramento with other units in Yreka, Yuba City, Oroville, Nevada City, Mount Shasta, Susanville, Redding, Red Bluff and Manhattan Beach.



TRAINING

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The overriding training objective for the Division is to attain and maintain a state of operational effectiveness which will assure the capability of closing with and destruction of the enemy through prompt and sustained combat operations. To that end the objective for each level of command is to attain and maintain the highest possible level of technical and tactical proficiency consistent with the availability of personnel, equipment, time, funds and facilities.

When training schedules call for field training, most of the Division's tactical elements train at weekend training sites (WETS). Some of these are small close-in areas made available through special lease agreements which permit units to make short motor marches to a training area. However, the majority of our training is conducted at three state-operated training centers ---Camp Roberts, Camp San Luis Obispo, and Fort Irwin. Federally funded commercial bus transportation is the preferred means utilized to move troops to these sites. This allows units to arrive with personnel comparatively fresh, rested, and in good condition for training. It maximizes available training time and provides for greater flexibility in training plans.

Some training can be profitably conducted at home station and every effort is made to utilize the advantages home station training affords. Most check-flights for crewmembers in the aviation battalion or air cavalry troop are conducted at the parent flight facility, and some units have tactical vehicles sited at their armories to facilitate training in crew drill or procedures.

Unless a unit has been selected to perform annual training out-of-state or out-of-country at an active Army installation, all the Division elements perform their annual training at one of the three state-operated training centers. These three sites have excellent training facilities. Cumulatively, they offer sufficient maneuver area and gunnery ranges to accommodate the entire Division.

Camp Roberts was licensed to the State of California in April 1971. Located in the central coastal area near Pso Robles, this 43,000 acre training site has 15 ranges, many of them multi-purpose, and can accommodate all infantry weapons as well as the 155mm and eight-inch howitzers. Fort Hunter-Liggett, an Active Army operated training site located immediately north but adjacent to Camp Roberts, offers additional training areas and ranges when required. Camp Roberts is the primary training site for the Division's Third Brigade and elements of the Guard from Northern California.

Camp San Luis Obispo is a state-owned and operated training site located in central California. The camp contains some 5,600 acres of land and is the home of the State's property and supply offices and warehouses, the California Military Academy (the State's officer candidate training school) and the Sixth United States Army Reserve Forces Noncommissioned Officers Academy.

Fort Irwin, the Division's most recently acquired training site, will soon be designated the Army's first National Training Center. Located northeast of Barstow, in the upper Mojave Desert, it is one of the largest training areas in the United States. Licensed in September 1972, this post contains approximately 642,000 acres and provides all active and reserve component units an excellent desert training facility. Its extensive ranges and training areas will accommodate two or more brigade-sized task organizations reinforced with tank, air defense, or artillery units permitting live fire to maximum gunnery ranges. Its training areas vary from comparatively level desert to rugged mountains ranging from 2,500 to over 6,000 feet. Post facilities within the cantonment area are capable of housing up to 5,000 personnel.

The Division's tracked tactical vehicles are stored in Mobilization and Training Equipment Sites (MATES) at Fort Irwin and Camp Roberts, which greatly simplifies maintenance, issue, and direct exchange of most major weapons systems. All the training centers mentioned can provide army aviation flight facilities to support the Division's aviation assets.

The 40th Infantry Division's training year is short, only 39 days. Its supplemented on an individual basis by unit schools, attendance in residence at Army service schools, and enrollment in correspondence courses or USAR schools.

Our training objectives are simple and direct. Each unit commander is to select, develop, and conduct the collective or individual training necessary to enable his unit to perform its federal mission upon mobilization, and when required, assist civil authorities in performing assigned state missions.

Over the last few years, the major training emphasis of this command has focused on the development and maintenance of basic combat skills for individuals, crews, teams, squads, platoons and companies. This emphasis requires continuous management at all levels due to increased force modernization by the introduction of new tactical doctrine, improved weapons systems like TOW ATGM, ,109A1 155mm self-propelled howitzer, or M48A5 main battle tank, and unit reorganization. As severe personnel turbulence, the erosion of resources by inflation or budget constraints, and increased competition for training areas make themselves felt, more intensive management is practiced, but our goal remains the same.

The command also emphasizes leadership, professional development and competence of individuals assigned to command, staff, communications, and support activities, and conducts periodic command post exercises to test the proficiency of organizational or command level staffs.

Decentralization of training places a heavy responsibility for detailed study and analysis upon the brigade level commander. It places an even greater responsibility on the battalion commanders. They plan and schedule training as well as allocate resources and facilities. Each level guides, supervises, develops, and checks the efforts of their subordinate commanders. These actions are the basis for professional training management.

Company level commanders and small unit leaders are given the direction, guidance, assistance, and support necessary to accomplish their assigned mission.

The noncommissioned officer corps has an active leadership role in unit training programs. The NCO is responsible for the effectiveness of individual training, to include Skill Qualification Testing.

This Division's concept of training is to learn by doing. Without sacrificing accepted standards of safety, commanders accept honest errors and mistakes during performance oriented training as a part of the training process and as a by-product of the development of individual and small unit initiative.

Training is emphasized that is necessary, realistic, interesting, progressive and challenging to both the individual soldier and to the unit. Every effort is made by small unit leaders to fill slack time or unexpected delay with preplanned training workplans and/or fillers such as opportunity training guides.

The Division trains its future officers through the California Military Academy, the state's Officer Candidate School Program, located at Camp San Luis Obispo. The program consists of three weekends of leadership training, fifteen days of annual training, ten weekends of Leadership and Academics (taught over a ten-month period) and another fifteen days of annual training.

The Division's future non-commissioned officers are trained at the NCO Academy through the USAR Schools System. This program includes Leadership and Academics, taught over a six-month period of special training drills (in lieu of regular unit drilling) plus two weeks of annual training at Camp San Luis Obispo.

The Division receives significant amounts of assistance in accomplishing its training mission from the Active Army. The Readiness Groups, one in Los Angeles and one at Presidio of San Francisco, provide training support in all branch and functional areas. A new assistance program, Partnership, with the 4th Mechanized Division located at Fort Carson, CO was started in October 1978. This program envisions that training support for all elements will be provided by members of the 4th Division. This support is especially significant during the annual training periods.

The noncommissioned officer corps has a
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Company level commanders and staff units



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