



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

1st BATTALION, 3d FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT

Constituted 9 May 1794 in the Regular Army as the 2d Company, 2d Battalion, Corps of Artillerists and Engineers

Organized 30 June 1794 at Governor's Island, New York, as Captain Alexander Thompson's 2d Company, 2d Battalion, Corps of Artillerists and Engineers

Redesignated 27 April 1798 as Captain Alexander Thompson's Company, 4th Battalion, 1st Regiment of Artillerists and Engineers

Redesignated 1 April 1802 as Captain Peter Tallman's Company, Regiment of Artillerists

Redesignated 15 September 1804 as Captain Samuel T. Dyson's Company, Regiment of Artillerists

Redesignated 11 January 1812 as Captain Samuel T. Dyson's Company, 1st Regiment of Artillery

Redesignated 12 May 1814 as Captain Samuel T. Dyson's Company, Corps of Artillery; on 31 December 1814 as Captain James Reed's Company, Corps of Artillery

Redesignated 17 May 1815 as Captain James Reed's Company, Corps of Artillery, Northern Division

Redesignated in early 1816 as Captain Robert G. Hite's Company, Corps of Artillery, Northern Division; on 17 June 1816 as Company Q, 3d Battalion, Corps of Artillery, Northern Division

Redesignated 1 June 1821 as Company F, 2d Regiment of Artillery

Reorganized and redesignated 13 February 1901 as the 4th Battery, Field Artillery, Artillery Corps

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Reorganized and redesignated 31 May 1907 as Battery E, 3d Field Artillery

(3d Field Artillery assigned 17 November 1917 to the 6th Division)

Inactivated 1 August 1922 at Camp George G. Meade, Maryland

Activated 22 September 1922 at Fort Sheridan, Illinois

Inactivated 14 December 1922 at Fort Sheridan, Illinois

(3d Field Artillery relieved 24 March 1923 from assignment to the 6th Division and assigned to the 5th Division)

Consolidated 7 September 1927 with Battery B, 14th Field Artillery (active) (*see ANNEX*), and consolidated unit designated as Battery E, 3d Field Artillery

(3d Field Artillery relieved 1 January 1930 from assignment to the 5th Division and assigned to the 6th Division; relieved 25 September 1939 from assignment to the 6th Division and assigned to the 2d Cavalry Division)

Inactivated 1 June 1940 at Fort Sheridan, Illinois

Absorbed 1 January 1941 by Battery B, 3d Field Artillery Battalion (Battery B, 3d Field Artillery, reorganized and redesignated 1 January 1941 as Battery B, 3d Field Artillery Battalion; reorganized and redesignated 14 July 1942 as Battery B, 3d Armored Field Artillery Battalion, an element of the 9th Armored Division; [3d Armored Field Artillery Battalion relieved 6 July 1945 from assignment to the 9th Armored Division]; inactivated 20 October 1946 in Germany; [3d Armored Field Artillery Battalion assigned 20 October 1950 to the 2d Armored Division]; inactivated 10 November 1950 at Fort Hood, Texas)

Former Battery E, 3d Field Artillery, reconstituted 21 June 1957 in the Regular Army and redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 3d Artillery (organic elements concurrently constituted)

Battalion assigned 1 July 1957 to the 2d Armored Division and activated in Germany

(Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 3d Artillery, consolidated 1 January 1960 with Battery A, 3d Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion [organized in 1799], and consolidated unit designated as Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 1st Howitzer Battalion, 3d Artillery)

Redesignated 1 December 1963 as the 1st Battalion, 3d Artillery

Reorganized and redesignated (less former Battery A, 3d Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion) 1 September 1971 as the 1st Battalion, 3d Field Artillery (former Battery A, 3d Antiaircraft Artillery

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Battalion, concurrently redesignated as the 1st Battalion, 3d Air Defense Artillery-hereafter separate lineage)

Relieved 21 May 1991 from assignment to the 2d Armored Division and assigned to the 1st Cavalry Division

Relieved 16 December 1992 from assignment to the 1st Cavalry Division and assigned to the 2d Armored Division

Inactivated 15 January 1996 at Fort Hood, Texas, and relieved from assignment to the 2d Armored Division

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 1st Battalion, 3d Field Artillery Regiment

Activated 16 October 2022 at Fort Lewis, Washington

ANNEX

Constituted 1 July 1916 in the Regular Army as Battery B, 14th Field Artillery

Organized 1 June 1917 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Inactivated 1 September 1921 at Fort Sill, Oklahoma

Activated 15 December 1922 at Fort Sheridan, Illinois, as an element of the 6th Division

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

War of 1812

*Canada

Indian Wars

*Seminoles

Mexican War

*Vera Cruz

*Cerro Gordo

*Contreras

*Churubusco

*Molino del Rey

*Chapultepec

*Puebla 1847

Civil War

*Mississippi River

Peninsula

Antietam

Fredericksburg

Chancellorsville

Gettysburg

Wilderness

*Atlanta

Spotsylvania

Cold Harbor

Petersburg

Shenandoah

*Missouri 1861

*Mississippi 1861

Maryland 1863

Virginia 1863

War with Spain

*Santiago

Puerto Rico

Philippine Insurrection

Streamer without inscription

World War I

*Streamer without inscription

World War II

*Rhineland

*Ardennes-Alsace

*Central Europe

Southwest Asia

*Defense of Saudi Arabia

*Liberation and Defense of Kuwait

*Cease-Fire

DECORATIONS

*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered LUXEMBOURG

*Navy Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered SAUDI ARABIA-KUWAIT

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