

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

26th MANEUVER ENHANCEMENT BRIGADE (YANKEE)

Constituted 18 July 1917 in the National Guard as Headquarters, 26th Division (to be organized with troops from Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont)

Organized 22 August 1917 at Boston, Massachusetts; Headquarters Detachment, 26th Division, organized in September 1917 at Boston, Massachusetts

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 26th Division, demobilized 3 May 1919 at Camp Devens, Massachusetts

Headquarters, 26th Division, reorganized and Federally recognized 21 March 1923 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston; Headquarters Detachment, 26th Division, reorganized and Federally recognized 24 May 1923 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 26th Division, inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Boston

Reorganized and redesignated 12 February 1942 as Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division (Headquarters and Military Police Company [less Military Police Platoon], 26th Infantry Division, concurrently reorganized and redesignated from Headquarters Company, 26th Division [see ANNEX 1]; reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1942 as Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division)

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division inactivated 29 December 1945 at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts

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Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division, reorganized and Federally recognized 13 November 1946 at Boston (Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division, reorganized and Federally recognized 11 April 1947 at Boston; consolidated 1 May 1959 with the 26th Military Police Company [see ANNEX 2] and the Medical Detachment, Division Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division [see ANNEX 3], and consolidated unit designated as Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division)

Location changed 1 April 1988 to Camp Edwards, Massachusetts (Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division, concurrently consolidated with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Brigade, 26th Infantry Division [see ANNEXES 4 and 5], and consolidated unit designated as Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 1993 as Headquarters, 26th Infantry Brigade, and location changed to Springfield (Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Division, concurrently consolidated with Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Brigade, 26th Infantry Division [see ANNEXES 6 and 7], and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated at Springfield as Headquarters Company, 26th Infantry Brigade)

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1995 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 26th Brigade, 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 2006 as Headquarters, 26th Infantry Brigade Combat Team; concurrently, location changed to Fort Devens, Massachusetts

Converted and redesignated 1 September 2008 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 26th Maneuver Enhancement Brigade; concurrently, location changed to Reading

Ordered into active Federal service 12 February 2011 at Reading; released from active Federal service 17 March 2012 and reverted to state control

Location changed 1 October 2014 to Natick

ANNEX 1

Constituted 18 July 1917 in the National Guard as the 101st Train Headquarters and Military Police, 26th Division

Organized 23 August 1917 at Camp Bartlett, Massachusetts

Reorganized and redesignated (less Military Police) in March 1918 as the 101st Train Headquarters (Military Police - hereafter separate lineage)

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Demobilized 30 April 1919 at Camp Devens, Massachusetts

Reorganized and Federally recognized 22 May 1924 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston as Headquarters Company, 26th Division

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Boston

ANNEX 2

Organized 24 August 1917 in the National Guard at Camp Bartlett, Massachusetts, as Company No. 3, Supply Train, 26th Division

Redesignated 24 September 1917 as the 3d Company, 101st Supply Train, an element of the 26th Division

Redesignated in March 1918 as Company C, 101st Supply Train

Demobilized 29 April 1919 at Camp Devens, Massachusetts

Reorganized 31 March 1920 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston as Company C, 101st Supply Train, an element of the 26th Division

Redesignated 1 September 1920 as the 4th Company, 1st Supply Train

Federally recognized 25 March 1921 at Boston

Redesignated 30 September 1921 as Wagon Company No. 101, 26th Division Train, Quartermaster Corps

Redesignated 23 March 1925 as the 101st Wagon Company, 26th Division Quartermaster Train

Converted and redesignated 1 April 1932 as the 26th Military Police Company, an element of the 26th Division

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Boston

Reorganized and redesignated 12 February 1942 as the Military Police Platoon, Headquarters and Military Police Company, 26th Infantry Division

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Reorganized and redesignated 1 April 1942 as the Military Police Platoon, 26th Infantry Division

Inactivated 31 December 1945 at Camp Patrick Henry, Virginia

Redesignated 8 July 1946 as the 26th Military Police Company

Reorganized and Federally recognized 9 April 1947 at Boston

ANNEX 3

Organized and Federally recognized 20 May 1932 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Allston as the Medical Department Detachment, Special Troops, 26th Division

Location changed 1 April 1940 to Charlestown

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Charlestown

Disbanded 12 February 1942 at Camp Edwards, Massachusetts

Reconstituted, reorganized, and Federally recognized 1 February 1949 in the Massachusetts Army National Guard at Boston as the Medical Detachment, Division Headquarters, 26th Infantry Division

ANNEX 4

Organized in 1915 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston as Headquarters Company, 9th Infantry

Mustered into Federal service 25 June 1916; mustered out of Federal service 23 November 1916

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 22 August 1917 as Headquarters Company, 101st Infantry, an element of the 26th Division

Demobilized 28 April 1919 at Camp Devens, Massachusetts

Reorganized 15 March 1920 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston as Headquarters Company, 101st Infantry

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Redesignated 30 November 1920 as Headquarters Company, 9th Infantry

Federally recognized 20 January 1921 at Boston

Redesignated 30 September 1921 as Headquarters Company, 101st Infantry, an element of the 26th Division (later redesignated as the 26th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Boston

Inactivated 29 December 1945 at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts

Reorganized and Federally recognized 29 November 1946 at Boston

Location changed 18 March 1957 to Dorchester

Consolidated 1 May 1959 with the Medical Company, 101st Infantry (see ANNEX 5), and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters Company, 1st Battle Group, 101st Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 March 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Brigade, 26th Infantry Division

Location changed 1 February 1967 to Waltham; on 1 April 1975 to Lexington

ANNEX 5

Organized and Federally recognized 30 June 1921 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Boston as the Medical Department Detachment, 9th Infantry

Redesignated 30 September 1921 as the Medical Department Detachment, 101st Infantry, an element of the 26th Division (later redesignated as the 26th Infantry Division)

Redesignated 1 May 1940 as the Medical Detachment, 101st Infantry

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Boston

Inactivated 29 December 1945 at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts

Reorganized and Federally recognized 23 March 1948 at Boston

Reorganized and redesignated 1 November 1948 as the Medical Company, 101st Infantry

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ANNEX 6

Organized in 1915 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Springfield as Headquarters Company, 2d Infantry

Mustered into Federal service 18 June 1916; mustered out of Federal service 31 October 1916

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 22 August 1917 as Headquarters Company, 104th Infantry, an element of the 26th Division

Demobilized 29 April 1919 at Camp Devens, Massachusetts

Reorganized 31 March 1920 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Springfield as Headquarters Company, 104th Infantry

Redesignated 1 September 1920 as Headquarters Company, 2d Infantry

Federally recognized 23 November 1920 at Springfield

Redesignated 30 September 1921 as Headquarters Company, 104th Infantry, an element of the 26th Division (later redesignated as the 26th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Springfield

Inactivated 29 December 1945 at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts

Reorganized and Federally recognized 29 November 1946 at Springfield

Consolidated 1 May 1959 with the Medical Company, 104th Infantry (see ANNEX 7), and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as Headquarters Company, 1st Battle Group, 104th Infantry

Reorganized and redesignated 1 March 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Brigade, 26th Infantry Division

Location changed 1 October 1974 to Holyoke; on 1 July 1976 to Westover Air Force Base; on 1 July 1985 to Springfield

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ANNEX 7.

Organized and Federally recognized 27 April 1921 in the Massachusetts National Guard at Springfield as the Medical Department Detachment, 2d Infantry

Redesignated 30 September 1921 as the Medical Department Detachment, 104th Infantry, an element of the 26th Division (later redesignated as the 26th Infantry Division)

Inducted into Federal service 16 January 1941 at Springfield

Inactivated 29 December 1945 at Camp Myles Standish, Massachusetts

Reorganized and Federally recognized 13 June 1947 at Springfield

Reorganized and redesignated 1 November 1948 as the Medical Company, 104th Infantry

HOME STATION: Natick

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War I

Champagne-Marne

Aisne-Marne

St. Mihiel

Meuse-Argonne

Ile de France 1918

Lorraine 1918

World War II

Northern France

Rhineland

Ardenne-Alsace

Central Europe

War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

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DECORATIONS

Cited in the Order of the Day of the Belgian Army for action in the Ardennes


Headquarters Company (Natick) additionally entitled to:

French Croix de Guerre with Gilt Star, World War I, Streamer embroidered LORRAINE

French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered LORRAINE

French Croix de Guerre, World War II, Fourragere

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY



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