

4TH BATTALION, 15TH INFANTRY REGIMENT

Constituted 3 May 1861 in the Regular Army as Company D, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry

Organized 17 October 1861 at Newport Barracks, Kentucky

Reorganized and redesignated 21 September 1866 as Company D, 15th Infantry

Consolidated 12 August 1869 with Company D, 35th Infantry (see ANNEX), and consolidated unit designated as Company D, 15th Infantry

(15th Infantry assigned 17 July 1922 to the Philippine Division)

Inactivated 1 April 1929 at Fort William McKinley, Philippine Islands

(1st Battalion, 15th Infantry, relieved 26 June 1931 from assignment to the Philippine Division; assigned 12 January 1940 to the 3d Division [later redesignated as the 3d Infantry Division])

Activated 23 May 1940 at Fort Lewis, Washington

Inactivated 1 July 1957 at Fort Benning, Georgia, and relieved from assignment to the 3d Infantry Division

Concurrently, redesignated as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battle Group, 15th Infantry

Redesignated 27 March 1963 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company 4th Battalion, 15th Infantry, withdrawn from the Regular Army, allotted to the Army Reserve, and assigned to the 63d Infantry Division (organic elements concurrently constituted)

Battalion activated 1 April 1963 with Headquarters at Santa Barbara, California

Inactivated 31 December 1965 at Santa Barbara, California

ANNEX

Constituted 3 May 1861 in the Regular Army as Company D, 3d Battalion, 17th Infantry

Organized 29 October 1865 at Hart Island, New York

Reorganized and redesignated 21 September 1866 as Company D, 35th Infantry

Consolidated 12 August 1869 with Company D, 15th Infantry, and consolidated unit designated as Company D, 15th Infantry

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Civil War

- *Shiloh
- *Murfreesborough
- Chickamauga
- Chattanooga
- Atlanta
- *Alabama 1862
- *Kentucky 1862
- *Mississippi 1862
- *Tennessee 1862
- Tennessee 1863
- Georgia 1864

Indian Wars

- *Utes
- New Mexico 1880

China Relief Expedition

- *Streamer without inscription

Philippine Insurrection

- Luzon 1900
- *Luzon 1901

World War II

- *Algeria-French Morocco (with arrowhead)
- *Tunisia
- *Sicily (with arrowhead)
- *Naples-Foggia
- *Anzio (with arrowhead)

- *Rome-Arno
- *Southern France (with arrowhead)
- *Rhineland
- *Ardennes-Alsace
- *Central Europe

Korean War

- *CCF Intervention
- *First UN Counteroffensive
- *CCF Spring Offensive
- *UN Summer-Fall Offensive
- *Second Korean Winter
- *Korea, Summer-Fall 1952
- *Third Korean Winter
- *Korea, Summer 1953

DECORATIONS

- Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered SAN FRATELLO
- *Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered MONTELMAR
- *Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered COLMAR
- Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered KOWANG-NI
- *Presidential Unit Citation (Navy), Streamer embroidered HWACHON RESERVOIR
- *Navy Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered PANMUNJOM
- *French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered COLMAR
- *French Croix de Guerre, World War II, Fourragere
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered UIJONGBU CORRIDOR
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered IRON TRIANGLE
- *Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1950-1952
- *Chryssoun Aristion Andrias (Bravery Gold Medal of Greece), Streamer embroidered KOREA