Training and Maneuvers



Tents That Housed Soldiers During Field Maneuvers At Camp Claiborne, Louisiana. 1941-42

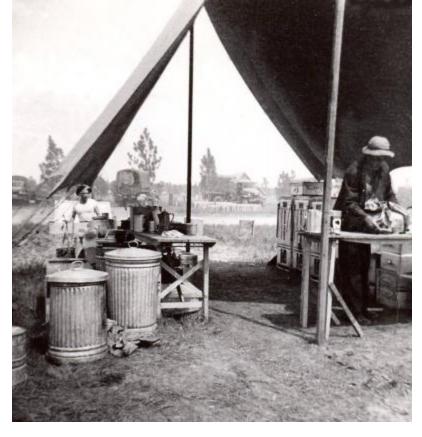


(Circa 1941)



Pvt Lester Vanvig Smoking A Pipe While On Maneuvers Near Camp Claiborne. 1941





The Company K Cooks Prepared Meals In This

Field Kitchen When The Soldiers Were On Maneuvers.



Pete, One Of Company K's Cooks, Near His

Field Kitchen.

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Pvt John Clary's Wrote To His Sister Anna Schnaidt On May 19, 1941 From Camp Claiborne. The Red Bull (Possibly A Buffalo Head) On The Right Is Part Of The Old Shoulder Patch Called The Insignia Of The Red Bull Which Was Used By The 34th Infantry Division Of Which The 164th Infantry Regiment Was One Of 4 Regiments In The 34th Infantry Division. The Shoulder Patch Was Used Until December 8, 1941.



Orville Dodge Practicing His Pistol Marksmanship.







Soldiers Of Company K Are Seen Here Taking A Short Rest While Training During Field Maneuvers At Camp Claiborne.





Company K Soldiers Take A Break After Chow.



Pvt Bill

Kostelecky & Pfc Lawrence "Gracie" Allen Taking A Break While On Maneuvers.





Soldiers Practicing Hand To Hand Combat Drills At Camp Claiborne.



Seen Here With A Full Pack. These Were

The Uniforms That Were Standard Issue During WWI. It Was Only Later In Their Training That The Soldiers Of Company K Received The Uniforms That We Recognize Today As Being Used During WWII.

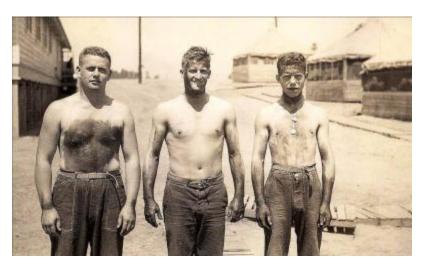


A Company K Soldier Trains In The Use Of A Gas Mask.



Chigger Bites Suffered While Training At

Camp Claiborne. These Legs Unfortunately Belong To Tim Sullivan.



John Gunderson, Tony Hannel And ? These Soldiers Are Smeared With The Medication Used To Treat Chigger Bites.



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He Is Seen Here "Policing" The Grounds With A Sharp Stick, As He Had Gotten "Pig-eyed". This Notation Was Written On The Back Of The Photograph.



Poison Ivy.

Pvt George Weisgerber

After Being Out On Maneuvers, The Soldiers Of Company K Had To Clean Tents, Equipment And Themselves. Evidently, George Here Was Over Enthusiastic And Washed Everything With The Exception Of His Knees Which Are Covered With Gentian Violet To Ward Off