Detailed Organization, American Infantry Division Rifle Regiment

Regimental Headquarters & Headquarters Company 1 October 1940

Table of Organization T/O 7-12

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Headquarters
      1 Colonel (commanding officer) (1 pistol)
      1 Lt. Colonel (executive Officer) (1 pistol)
      1 Major (Plans & Training - S-3) (1 pistol)
      2 Captains (Adjutant - S-1 & Intelligence - S-2) (2 pistols)
Headquarters Company
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            Taptain (HQ Co Cmdr) (1 pistol)
            1 1st Lt (Regt'l gas officer) (1 pistol)
            1 1st Sergeant (1 pistol)
            1 Sergeant (mess) (1 M1 rifle)
            1 Sergeant (supply) (1 M1 rifle)
            1 Sergeant (transport) (1 M1 rifle)
            27 Privates
                  1 Armorer-artificier (1 M1 rifle)
                  1 Bugler (1 pistol)
                  9 Chauffeurs (9 M1 rifles, 5 ½-ton trucks,
                        1 light sedan car, 3 1½-ton trucks)
                  4 Cooks (4 M1 rifles)
                  3 Cooks' Helpers (3 M1 rifles)
                  2 Motor Mechanics (2 M1 rifles)
                  3 Orderlies (3 M1 rifles)
                  4 Basics (4 M1 rifles)
      Intelligence Platoon
            1 Staff Sergeant (1 M1 rifle)
            1 Sergeant (draftsman, topographer) (4 M1 rifles)
            4 Corporals (scouts/observers) (4 M1 rifles)
            12 Privates (scouts/observers) (12 M1 rifles)
      Communications Platoon
            Platoon Headquarters
                  1 1st Lt (1 pistol)
                  1 Master Sergeant (1 pistol)
                  11 Privates
                        1 Chauffeur (1 M1 rifle & 1 ½-ton truck)
                        10 Basics (10 M1 rifles)
            Regimental Section
                  3 Technical Sergeants (section leaders) (3 pistols)
                  2 Sergeants (linemen) (2 pistols)
                  3 Sergeants (radio operators) (3 pistols)
                  1 Sergeant (switchboard operator) (1 pistol)
                  1 Corporal (company clerk) (1 M1 rifle)
                  3 Corporals (switchboard operators) (3 pistols)
                  41 Privates
                        5 Chauffeurs (5 M1 rifles, 4 ½-ton trucks,
                              1 ½-ton radio truck)
                        1 Message center clerk (1 M1 rifle)
                        18 Linemen (18 pistols)
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3 Messengers (3 M1 rifles)

- 1 Motorcyclist (1 M1 rifle & 1 motorcycle
 with sidecar)
- 12 Radio Operators (12 pistols)
- 1 Radio Electrician (1 pistol

unassigned equipment

- 2 .30 cal BARs
- 3 Battalion Sections, each with:
 - 1 2nd Lt. (section cmdr) (1 pistol)
 - 1 Technical Sergeant (section leader) (1 pistol)
 - 2 Staff Sergeants (section leaders) (1 pistol)
 - 1 Corporal (lineman) (1 pistol)
 - 1 Corporal (switchboard operator) (1 pistol)
 - 12 Privates
 - 2 Chauffeurs (2 M1 rifles, 2 1/2-ton trucks)
 - 3 Lineman (3 pistols)

 - 4 Radio operators (4 pistols)
 - 2 Switchboard operators (2 pistols)

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