Detailed Organization, American Field Artillery Service Battery Light Truck Drawn Field Artillery Battalion 1 April 1942 Table of Organization 6-29 Battery Headquarters 1 Battery Commander (Captain) (1 pistol) (also serves as Battalion S-4 officer) 1 1st Sergeant (1 pistol) 1 Battery Clerk (1 carbine) 3 Privates 1 Bugler (1 carbine & 1 3/4-ton command & reconnaissance truck) 1 Orderly (1 carbine) 1 Radio Operator (1 carbine) Battalion Supply Section Service Platoon 1 Supply Officer (Warrant Officer) (1 pistol) 1 Supply Sergeant (Technical Sergeant) (1 pistol) 2 Supply NCOs (Corporals) (2 carbines) 7 Privates 3 Chauffeurs (3 carbines, 1 ¹/₄-ton truck & 2 2¹/₂-ton trucks) 2 Supply Clerks (2 carbines) 2 Basic Privates (2 carbines) Battalion Motor Maintenance Section 1 Battalion Motor Officer (1 1st Lt)(1 pistol) 1 Motor Chief (Master Sergeant) (1 pistol) 1 Motor Supply Chief (Sergeant) (1 carbine) 1 Dispatcher (Corporal) (1 carbine) 1 Machine Gunner (Corporal) (1 carbine) 1 Motor Supply Clerk (Corporal) (1 carbine) 10 Privates 2 Chauffeurs (2 carbines & 2 2¹/₂-ton trucks) 1 Machine Gunner (1 carbine & 1 .50 cal HMG) 1 Assistant Machine Gunner (1 carbine) 6 Automobile Mechanics (6 carbines, 1 2¹/₂-ton truck, 1 3/4-ton command & reconnaissance truck, 3/4-ton weapons carrier, & 1 1-ton trailer) Ammunition Train Train Headquarters 1 Munitions Officer (1st Lt) (1 pistol) 1 Mess Sergeant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol) 1 Battery Clerk (Corporal) (1 pistol) 2 Privates 1 Chauffeur (1 carbine & 1 3/4-ton command & reconnaissance truck) 1 Radio Operator (1 carbine)

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3 Ammunition Sections: each with
           1 Section Chief (Sergeant) (1 pistol)
           9 Privates
                4 Chauffeurs (4 carbines, 4 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-ton trucks
                      & 4 1-ton trailers)
                4 Ammunition Servers (4 carbines)
                1 Basic Private (1 carbine)
Battery Maintenance Section
     1 Battery Motor Officer (2nd Lt) (1 pistol)
     1 Mess Sergeant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
     1 Motor Sergeant (Staff Sergeant) (1 pistol)
     1 Supply Sergeant (Sergeant) (1 pistol)
     1 Machine Gunner (Corporal) (1 carbine)
     12 Privates
           2 Chauffeurs (2 carbines, 2 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-ton trucks & 2 1-ton
                trailers)
           2 Cooks (2 carbines)
           1 Cook's Helper (1 carbine)
           1 Machine Gunner (1 carbine & 1 .50 cal HMG)
           1 Asst Machine Gunner (1 carbine)
           2 Automobile Mechanics (2 carbines & 1 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>-ton
                truck)
           1 General Mechanic/Chauffeur (1 carbine & 1 3/4-ton
                weapons carrier truck)
           2 Basic Privates (2 carbines)
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