



SEPTEMBER 12-18, 2022



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SEPTEMBER 12, 1918: Elements of the 166th Infantry supply train cross elements of the 4th Infantry, 3d Division, in advance on Mont Sec during the St. Mihiel offensive.



WEEK IN REVIEW

- M** **SEPTEMBER 12-15, 1918:** The American First Army launches an attack against the St. Mihiel salient in France. Ohio's 166th Infantry, part of the 42d "Rainbow" Division, made the main effort for the IV Corps in the center of the salient's southern edge.
- W** **SEPTEMBER 14, 1862:** Union forces led by Maj. Gen. George McClellan defeat Gen. Robert E. Lee's divided Army of Northern Virginia at the Battle of South Mountain, Md. Lee's force attempted to delay the pursuing Army of the Potomac at the three main passes over the mountain at Crampton's, Turner's and Fox's Gaps. Future U.S. President Rutherford B. Hayes was wounded commanding the 23d Ohio at Fox's Gap.

SEPTEMBER 14, 1955: The 135th Military Police Company is organized in Chardon as Battery C, 179th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion.
- Th** **SEPTEMBER 15, 2000:** The 52d Civil Support Team is organized in Columbus.

SEPTEMBER 15, 1986: The 637th Chemical Company is constituted in Covington as the 641st Quartermaster Detachment.
- Sa** **SEPTEMBER 17, 1862:** Along Antietam Creek, near Sharpsburg, Md., Maj. Gen. McClellan's Army of the Potomac battles Gen. Lee's Army of Northern Virginia to a standstill. The battle ends Lee's invasion of Maryland and remains the single bloodiest day in American military history, with over 22,000 total casualties.
- Su** **SEPTEMBER 18, 1837:** The 112th Engineer Battalion is organized in Cleveland as the Cleveland City Guard. The company would later change its name to the Cleveland Grays.

SEPTEMBER 18, 1947: With the passage of the National Security Act of 1947, the United States Air Force becomes a separate branch of the U.S. military.

