

HROUGH THE LENS

OCTOBER 8, 2019: A Soldier stands in formation with the guidon of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 145th Armored Regiment at Fort Bliss, Texas prior to a mobilization in support of Operation Spartan Shield.

WEEK IN REVIEW

OCTOBER 5, 1952: The 251st Cyberspace Engineering Installation Group is organized in Springfield as the 251st Communications Group.

OCTOBER 8, 1862: Maj. Gen. Don Carlos Buell's Army of the Ohio and Confederate Gen. Braxton Bragg's Army of Mississippi clash at the Battle of Perryville, Ky. After back-and-forth fighting, the day ends with a Confederate tactical victory, but Bragg, short of men and supplies, is forced to retreat during the night. The battle ends Bragg's offensive campaign into Kentucky. Buell's three corps include 30 infantry regiments, five artillery batteries and parts of two cavalry regiments from the Buckeye State.



HALL OF VALOR



LIEUTENANT COLONEL WAGER SWAYNE **43D OHIO VOLUNTEER INFANTRY**

OCTOBER 4, 1862 CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI

CITATION: The President of the United States of America, in the name of Congress, takes pleasure in presenting the Medal of Honor to Lieutenant Colonel Wager Swayne, United States Army, for extraordinary heroism on 4 October 1862, while serving with 43d Ohio Infantry, in action at Corinth, Mississippi, for conspicuous gallantry in restoring order at a critical moment and leading his regiment in a charge.



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