

116th INFANTRY REGIMENT
(STONEWALL BRIGADE)
Worksheet

Organized 3 November 1741 in the Virginia Militia as the Augusta County Regiment with Headquarters at Beverley's Mill Place (later named Staunton)

Elements of the Augusta County Regiment called into active service at various times during the French and Indian War and Dunmore's War and provided the following elements of the Virginia provincial forces:

Captain Andrew Lewis' Company, Virginia Regiment (organized 18 March 1754)

Captain William Preston's, David Lewis', and John Smith's Companies of Rangers (organized 11-25 August 1755)

Augusta County Regiment or its elements called into active service at various times during the Revolutionary War and provided the following elements of the Continental Army:

Captain William Fontaine's Company, 2d Virginia Regiment (organized 21 October 1775)

Captain John Hayse's Company, 9th Virginia Regiment (organized 16 March 1776)

Captain David Stephenson's Company, 8th Virginia Regiment ([German Regiment) organized 25 March 1776])

Captains David Laird and John Syme's Companies, 10th Virginia Regiment (organized 3 December 1776)

Augusta County Regiment expanded 31 December 1792 to form the 32d and 93d Regiments

Elements of the 32d and 93d Regiments mustered into Federal service at various times during the War of 1812

32d and 93d Regiments expanded about 1839 to form the 32d, 93d, and 160th Regiments

Elements of the 32d and 160th Regiments mustered into Federal service 6 January 1847 at Richmond as the Light Infantry Company, 1st Regiment, Virginia Volunteers (also known as the Augusta Volunteers); mustered out of Federal service 27 July 1848 at Fort Monroe, Virginia

Augusta County volunteer infantry companies of the 32d, 93d and 160th Regiments reorganized and redesignated 13 April 1861 as the 5th Regiment, Virginia Volunteers; mustered into Confederate service 1 July 1861 as the 5th

Virginia Infantry, an element of the 1st Brigade, Army of the Shenandoah (later designated as the Stonewall Brigade) organized 1 June – 15 July 1861 to consists of the 2d, 4th, 5th, 27th, and 33d Virginia Infantry [organized from volunteer companies in the Shenandoah Valley])

Remainder of the 32d, 93d, and 160th Regiments, Virginia Militia, mustered into Confederate service 1 May 1862 as the 52d Virginia Infantry

Stonewall Brigade and the 52d Virginia Infantry surrendered 9 April 1865 at Appomattox Court House with the Army of Northern Virginia

Former elements of the Stonewall Brigade and the 52d Virginia Infantry reorganized 1871-1881 in the Virginia Volunteers as separate infantry companies in the Shenandoah Valley

Reorganized 2 May 1881 as the 2d Regiment of Infantry with Headquarters at Staunton

(Location of Headquarters changed 22 April 1886 to Harrisonburg)

Regiment disbanded 2 April 1887 and its elements reorganized as separate infantry companies

Reorganized 20 April 1889 in the Virginia Volunteers as the 2d Regiment of Infantry with Headquarters at Winchester

(Location of Headquarters changed 15 June 1893 to Woodstock)

Consolidated with elements of the 1st Regiment of Infantry (organized in 1851) and mustered into Federal service 10-21 May 1898 at Richmond as the 2d Virginia Volunteer Infantry; mustered out of Federal service 13-20 December 1898 at home stations

Disbanded 29 April 1899

Elements of the former 2d Regiment of Infantry reorganized 1899-1902 in the Virginia Volunteers as separate infantry companies in western Virginia

Consolidated 19 May 1905 with elements of the former 3d Regiment of Infantry (see ANNEX); consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as the 72d Infantry with Headquarters at Luray

Redesignated 1 September 1908 as the 2d Infantry

(Virginia Volunteers redesignated 3 June 1916 as the Virginia National Guard)

Called into Federal service 30 June 1916 at Camp Stuart, Virginia;
mustered out of Federal service 28 February 1917 at Richmond

Called into Federal service 25 March 1917 and mustered in 25 March – 3
April 1917 at home stations

Drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Consolidated 4 October 1917 with the 1st Infantry (organized in 1851) and
the 4th Infantry (organized in 1882); consolidated unit reorganized and
redesignated as the 116th Infantry and assigned to the 29th Division

Demobilized 30 May 1919 at Camp Lee, Virginia

Former elements in western Virginia reorganized 12 October 1921 in the
Virginia National Guard as the 2d Infantry

Redesignated 9 March 1922 as the 116th Infantry and assigned to the
29th Division (later redesignated as the 29th Infantry Division); Headquarters
Federally recognized 3 April 1922 at Staunton

(Location of Headquarters changed 26 June 1933 to Lynchburg)

Inducted into Federal service 3 February 1941 at home stations

Inactivated 6 January 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Reorganized and Federally recognized 24 March 1948 with Headquarters
at Staunton

Reorganized 1 June 1959 as a parent regiment under the Combat Arms
Regimental System to consist of the 1st and 2d Battle Groups, elements of the
29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 22 March 1963 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions,
elements of the 29th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 February 1968 to consist of the 1st, 2d, and 3d Battalions,
elements of the 28th Infantry Division

Reorganized 1 April 1975 to consist of the 1st, 2d, and 3d Battalions,
elements of the 116th Infantry Brigade

Reorganized and redesignated 1 September 2005 as the 116th Infantry, to consist of the 1st and 3d Battalions¹

(3d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 1 March 2004 at home stations; released from active duty 16 June 2005 and reverted to state control)

Redesignated 1 October 2005 as the 116th Infantry Regiment, to consist of the 1st and 3d Battalions

(3d Battalion ordered into active Federal service 23 June 2007 at home stations; released from active duty 26 July 2008 and reverted to state control)

(1st Battalion ordered into active Federal service 25 January 2010 at home stations; released from active duty 8 February 2011 and reverted to state control)

ANNEX

Organized 13 June 1881 in the Virginia Volunteers from existing companies in central Virginia as the 3d Regiment of Infantry with Headquarters at Charlottesville

(Location of Headquarters changed 15 November 1888 to Culpeper; on 12 March 1898 to Warrenton)

Mustered into Federal service 13-26 May 1898 at Richmond as the 3d Virginia Volunteer Infantry; mustered out of Federal service 5 November 1898 at Richmond

Disbanded 29 April 1899

Elements of the former 3d Regiment of Infantry reorganized 1899-1902 in the Virginia Volunteers as separate infantry companies in central Virginia

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Revolutionary War

Brandywine

Germantown

Monmouth

Charleston

Cowpens

Guilford Court House

Yorktown

¹ OA 79-05, 3 October 2005 (Corrected Copy 20 April 2006).

Virginia 1775
Virginia 1776
Virginia 1781
South Carolina 1781
North Carolina 1781

War of 1812
Maryland 1814

Civil War (Confederate service)
First Manassas
Peninsula
Valley
Second Manassas
Sharpsburg
Fredericksburg
Chancellorsville
Gettysburg
Wilderness
Spotsylvania
Cold Harbor
Petersburg
Shenandoah
Appomattox
Virginia 1861
Virginia 1862
Virginia 1863
Virginia 1864
Maryland 1864

World War I
Meuse-Argonne
Alsace 1918

World War II
Normandy (with arrowhead)
Northern France
Rhineland
Central Europe

War on Terrorism
Afghanistan:
Consolidation I
Iraq:
Iraqi Surge²

² Earned by Companies A, B, and C, 3d Battalion.

(additional campaigns to be determined)

Company B, 3d Battalion (Woodstock), additionally entitled to:

War on Terrorism

Iraq:

National Resolution

DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered NORMANDY

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIRE

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
SOUTHWEST ASIA 2007-2008

Meritorious Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2010³

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1992-1993

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2006-2007

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2008-2009 (earned by
the 1st Battalion)⁴

French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered
BEACHES OF NORMANDY

French Croix de Guerre with Silver Gilt Star, World War II, Streamer
embroidered VIRE

³ Headquarters, Department of the Army 069-23, 10 March 2011. Earned by the 1st Battalion, 116th Infantry Regiment.

⁴ US Army HRC 274-03, 30 September 2016.