

## COLONEL SAMUEL N. WEIGLE CLASS 15-42

After graduating from Officer Candidate School, Colonel Weigle served as a Gunnery Instructor at the U.S. Army Field Artillery School. He then commanded a firing battery and served as the Assistant S-3 and later the S-3 of the 215th Glider Field Artillery Battalion at Camp McCall, North Carolina.

He then attended the Field Fortification Course at Fort Belvoir, Virginia before returning again to the Field Artillery School as a Gunnery Instructor. He later attended the Artillery Intelligence Course at Fort Sill. During World War II in the Philippines he commanded a battery in the 429th Field Artillery and later served as Operations Officer with the 233rd Ordinance Depot in Manila from the end of World War II until April 1946.

Colonel Weigle returned to the Army Reserve components in 1946 with the rank of Major. He served in a variety of assignments with the U.S. Army Reserves to include five years with the Illinois Administrative Service Group, several years on the Staff and Faculty of the 5036th United States Army Reserve School at Aurora, Illinois and assignment to the 5140th Logistical Command and the 363rd Civil Affairs Area in Chicago.

Colonel Weigles decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, the American Defense Service Medal, the American Campaign Medal, the Asian Pacific Campaign Medal, the Philippine Liberation Medal, the World War II Victory Medal and the Armed Forces Reserve Medal.