

## The Buffalo Soldiers Company A, 10th US Cavalry

After the Civil War, Congress created African American units for the frontier army. Many former slaves took advantage of this opportunity to have a meaningful career. Company A, 10th U.S. Cavalry, or the "Buffalo Soldiers," was stationed at Fort Larned and played an important part in opening the West.

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