

COLONIAL TRILOGY VI



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100 Days in the Gulf

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Every Freeman and Every Freeholder Should be a Soldier

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This Trilogy looks at citizen soldiers from three different points of view.

The first paper, "100 Days in the Gulf" was read to the Ohio Society's Winter Court almost exactly one year after the commencement of hostilities in the Persian Gulf, by fellow Warrior George Franklin Welsh, M.D. It is an appropriate sequel to Frank's contribution to the Fourth Colonial Trilogy, "Reminiscences of a Flight Surgeon."

The second paper, on the Colonial militia, is by another citizen soldier, Lowell Wenger, Lt. Colonel, U.S. Army Reserve, history teacher at Seven Hills Upper School, Cincinnati, and a participant in the U.S. Army History Institute at Carlisle Barracks, PA.

The last paper, a bit of fiction, attempts to recreate the life of a citizen soldier of Colonial days, Captain John Gorham (or Gorum, as he spelled it) of King Philip's War. It is a sequel to "Howland's Relation" in the first Colonial Trilogy. (The advantage of being an editor is that one can slip in one of his own efforts from time to time.)

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