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THE TENTH FIELD SIGNAL BATTALION

was organized at this location in Camp Alfred Vail on July 10, 1917. The Battalion was assigned to the Seventh Division, United States Army (Regular) on December 6, 1917. It departed this installation on August 17, 1918, saw front line action in France from October 8 to November 11, 1918, and had its colors decorated by General John J. Pershing on May 9, 1919. He said: "Your record makes us all feel very proud." The Battalion returned to the United States on June 27, 1919, its officers and men proud indeed of having served their country with honor and distinction during World War One.

This tree honors the memory of
E. FREDERIC WRIGHT
Born March 12, 1899
Died April 30, 1974
Soldier, Engineer, Loyal American
Founder of the Tenth Field
Signal Battalion Association
and the
Seventh Division Association
of World War One Veterans

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