



A SEMINAR ON CASEY'S SCHOOLS OF INSTRUCTION

SCHOOLS OF THE SOLDIER AND COMPANY

PARADE REST

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Casey's & Hardee's Parade Rest = the same

Found in the MANUAL FOR RELIEVING SENTINELS

Casey's

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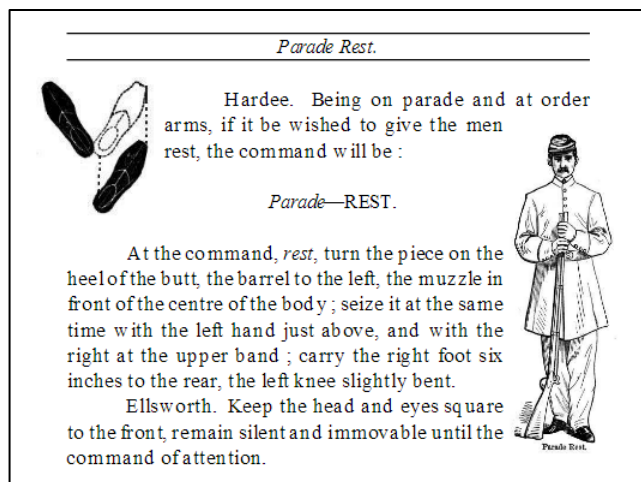
At the command *rest*, turn the piece on the heel of the butt, the barrel to the left, the muzzle in front of the centre of the body; seize it at the same time with the left hand just above, and with the right at the upper band; carry the right foot six inches to the rear, the left knee slightly bent.

Hardee's

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Parade - REST

- At the command *rest*,
 - turn the piece on the heel of the butt,
 - the barrel to the left,
 - the muzzle in front of the centre of the body;
 - seize it at the same time with the left hand just above, and with the right at the upper band;
 - carry the right foot six inches to the rear,
 - the left knee slightly bent.

NOTE

- Carry the right foot straight back.
 - Nothing, in either Casey's or Hardee's manuals, instructs the soldier to go to the 'T-position' that was defined for the Prime-position (i.e., the right foot behind and at right angles with the left; the hollow of the right foot against the left heel.)
- Keep your shoulders square to the Company-Front
 - Nothing in either manual instructs the soldier to turn their shoulder.





50th Pennsylvania Infantry, Gettysburg, Pa., July, 1865
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