

## APPENDIX E.

MEMBERS OF THE STATE BOARD OF AGRICULTURE, FACULTY  
AND STUDENTS IN THE CIVIL WAR, 1861-1865.

(Most of the following pages were copied from Records of Service of Michigan Volunteers in the Civil War, published by the State of Michigan.)

In accordance with a suggestion found in the Speculum, April, 1887, the writer presents the list of names of members of the board, faculty and students who were in the Union army during a portion of the Civil War. To some extent this list explains how it was that the number of students during the period dwindled to forty-eight. No doubt this list contains some errors and is incomplete.

At the reunion of the Agricultural College boys of Ionia county, on the first evening of the year, 1887, Hon. F. B. Morse, LL. D. '91 an old M. A. C. boy, and a one-armed soldier, responded to the toast, "The boys who left the college to fight for their country, may their example be an inspiration to the boys who leave the college to fight the battle of life." In the course of his speech, which was listened to with the eager earnestness that it well deserved, the honorable justice of the supreme court, touched upon a point that met our hearty approval. He suggested that it would be fitting to establish a memorial in honor of the boys that fought for their country and were left dead upon her fields. Surely we should not forget our heroes, and what heroes could be more dear to us or worthy to be remembered, than they that left the green old campus to which we are so much attached, and marched to fields whose green was to be dyed with their blood. Their patriotism was of so noble a quality that their lives were freely given; let ours not be so inferior as to allow theirs to be wholly forgotten. On that spot where their thoughts turned while trudging on in the long weary march, or while they lay wounded and dying on the battle-scorched fields of Gettysburg, let there be erected some frail memorial that shall implore the passing tribute of a sigh."

See Chapter XVI concerning an edifice in honor of the class of 1861.

George W. Haigh with '62 writes from Mankato, Minn., March 28, 1896:

"The recommendation of the faculty to obtain the war records of its graduates is certainly most wise.

"I was associated with Gilbert A. Dickey during his entire service in the army, first in Capt. Howland's company of engineers, which went out under Gen. Freemont. In that company eight students enlisted, Dickey, Prentiss, Clute, A. F. Allen, Beebe, Benham, my brother Thomas and myself; but we were soon discharged, as we were improperly organized, and when Gen. Freemont was relieved from the command of the Department of Missouri, we were retired. The system of signals by means of flags introduced in the army by this company was retained and became of great value to the service. As I remember this part of my service in the army it seems like a fine rollicking outing. Good company, little but pleasant duties, swinging of flags and riding over the beautiful prairies of southern Missouri. Dickey was the first sergeant of this company and he obtained that knowledge of the



commissary department that was so useful to him as commissary sergeant of the 24th Michigan Infantry.

"In August, 1862, we both enlisted in the 24th, he in the regimental non-commissioned staff and I, as first sergeant of a company, had ample opportunity to become familiar with the difficulties and perplexities of his position of supplying rations for a thousand men. There was never a word of fault found with his work in this department, either by officers or hungry privates. His faithfulness in this work soon earned him promotion to second lieutenant of company G; this position gave him more leisure and I saw more of him than before. He became a most excellent drill master.

"You are mistaken (General Catalogue of 1900); he did not fall while storming a redoubt at Gettysburg, but was shot and instantly killed while we were maintaining a difficult line of battle without breastworks and were attacked by overwhelming numbers of the rebels. My position was near the right of the line; Dickey's on the left. During the lull before the attack I went down and had a talk with him and was probably the last person that engaged him in friendly conversation. I found him reading his Bible. We talked a few moments and looked at the lines of the enemy filing through the timber and preparing for the advance. We said 'good-bye' and I returned to my post and soon came the shouting rebels and poor Dickey was no more, and I, wounded, was finding my way to the rear.

"Two years ago I was at Gettysburg, and visited his grave in the shadow of the government monument."

Alexander, Samuel, (a) 60-61. Member Co. G, 3d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, 1861-62. Transferred to head of topographical department, 3d Army Corps. Teacher, farmer and fruit grower, Birmingham, Mich.

Alger, Russell A., Detroit. Entered service in company C, Second Cavalry at organization, as captain, Sept. 2, 1861, at Grand Rapids for 3 years, age 25. Commissioned Sept. 2, 1861. Mustered, Oct. 2, 1861. Commissioned major, April 2, 1862. Wounded in action and taken prisoner at Boonville, Miss., July 1, 1862. Escaped same day. Resigned, Oct. 27, 1862. Commissioned lieutenant colonel, Sixth Cavalry at organization, Oct. 16, 1862. Mustered, Oct. 30, 1862. Commissioned colonel, Fifth Cavalry, Feb. 28, 1863. Mustered, June 11, 1863. Wounded at Boonsboro, Md., July 8, 1863. Returned to regiment, Sept. 13, 1863. Commanding brigade from Jan. to Aug., 1864. Resigned and honorably discharged, Sept. 20, 1864. Brevet major general, U. S. Volunteers, June 11, 1866, for gallant and meritorious services during the war. Governor, 1885-1886; secretary of war, 1897. Died 1907.

Allen, Albert F., B. S., 1861; M. A., 1876. Manchester. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers, Sept. 16, 1861, at Battle Creek, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, Oct. 9, 1861. Mustered out at St. Louis, Mo. Jan. 8, 1862.

Allen, Edward P., '58-59., Vassar. Entered service in company A, Twenty-ninth Infantry, at organization as first lieutenant, age 24. Commissioned, July 29, 1864. Mustered, Sept. 3, 1864. Commissioned adjutant, March 27, 1865. Discharged to accept promotion, Aug. 9, 1865. Commissioned captain, company H, July 7, 1865. Mustered, Aug. 10, 1865. Mustered out at Murfreesboro, Tenn., Sept. 6, 1865. (See Members of State Board.)

Atchison, Charles. (a) 80-82. Corporal, Co. A, 5th Missouri Volunteer Infantry, 1898. 309 E. 12th St., Kansas City, Mo.

Baily, Isaac B., '57-59, Leoni. Enlisted in company D, Twelfth Infantry, Nov. 22, 1861, at Leoni, for 3 years, age 21. Mustered, Jan. 8, 1862. Taken



prisoner at Shiloh, Tenn., April 6, 1862. Died of disease in prison at Atlanta, Ga., May 2, 1862.

Barker, Frederick L., '67-71 (Veteran). Enlisted in company K, Third Infantry, May 13, 1861, at Grand Rapids, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, June 10, 1861. Re-enlisted as sergeant, Dec. 24, 1863, at Brandy Station, Va. Mustered, Dec. 24, 1863. Wounded in action at Wilderness, Va., May 5, 1864. Transferred to company I, Fifth Infantry, June 10, 1864. First Sergeant. Commissioned second lieutenant, June 10, 1864. Mustered, Aug. 12, 1864. Commissioned first lieutenant, company H, Oct. 14, 1864. Mustered, Nov. 2, 1864. Commissioned captain, Nov. 7, 1864. Mustered, Feb. 4, 1865. Wounded in action at Petersburg, Pa. Mustered out at Jeffersonville, Ind., July 5, 1865. Was in the following battles: Bull Run, Yorktown, Fair Oaks, Glendale, Malvern Hill, Groveton, Chantilly, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Kelly's Ford, Locust Grove, Mine Run, Wilderness, Deep Bottom, Boydton Plank Road and Petersburg. Died Nov. 30, 1888.

Barney, Henry Lewis. (a) 57-58, 2nd lieutenant Civil War; farmer, teacher, register of deeds, Cass County, January, 1873-January, 1877. Died June 28, 1911.

Beebe, Leonard Vernal, Stockbridge. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers Sept. 16, 1861 at Battle Creek, for 3 years, age 25. Mustered, Oct. 9, 1861. Mustered out at St. Louis, Mo. Jan. 8, 1862. With Mutual Life Ins. Company, Portland, Me. Died Aug. 11, 1904.

Benham, Henry D., Eaton Rapids. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers Sept. 16, 1861 at Battle Creek, for three years, age 21. Enlisted in company D, Seventh Cavalry, as Sergeant, Sept. 4, 1862, at Eaton Rapids, for 3 years, Mustered, Nov. 13, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion Feb. 24, 1864. Entered service in company B, First Colored Infantry as first lieutenant. Commissioned March 7, 1864. Died at Beaufort, S. C. July 3, 1864.

Benham, Isaac D. M., 57-79. Died in the army at Louisville, Ky., 1862.

Begole, William M., Flint, 60-62. Enlisted in company K, Twenty-third Infantry as first sergeant, Aug. 4, 1862, at Flint, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, Sept. 12, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion March 27, 1863. Commissioned second lieutenant, company A, February 6, 1863. Mustered, March 27, 1863. Commissioned first lieutenant, June 20, 1864. Died at Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 15, 1864 from wounds received in action June 16, 1864.

Bigelow, Edwin B., 58-60. First sergeant Company B, 5th Michigan Cavalry; captain and brevet-major 9th U. S. Cavalry. Died at Fort Davis, Tex., January 16, 1870 of wounds received at Gettysburg, Pa.

Birney, James Gillespie, 58-59, company C, 1st Sergeant Oct. 14, 1862; 2nd lieutenant 7th Michigan Cavalry, Oct. 15, 1862; 1st lieutenant July, 1863; captain Company D, March 18, 1864; transferred to company C, 1st Cavalry Sept. 17, 1865, 1st U. S. Artillery, colored, Dec. 1, 1869; at close of war A. A. O. G., Department East Tennessee. Druggist. 402 Steward Ave., Jackson, Mich.

Blair, Austin, Jackson, member ex-officio of the State Board of Agriculture, 1861-65; president of the State Board of Agriculture; state senate, 1855; Governor, 1860, and in 1862 widely known as the War Governor; 1866 and in 1868 and in 1870 elected to congress; regent of the University, 1881. Died Aug. 6, 1894.

Blakeslee, Nathan P., 58-60, Oakland County. Enlisted in Company A First Infantry, July 5, 1861, at Ann Arbor, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered,

July 13, 1861  
Nov. 23, 1861

Bliss, Aaron  
(See his biography)

Bradley, William  
Infantry, March 1861  
First Infantry, May 1861  
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Texas, May 1861  
March 13, 1861

Brewer, Henry  
Cavalry, as sergeant, Sept.  
second lieutenant  
Honorably discharged  
May 28, 1861  
Mich.

Brooks, Robert  
B, 8th Infantry  
Sept. 23, 1861  
Re-enlisted  
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Browning, John  
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Canfield, John  
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Nov. 16, 1861

Carpenter, John  
Infantry as sergeant  
Aug. 18, 1861  
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Cavalry, as sergeant  
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July 13, 1861, corporal. Discharged for disability at Alexandria, Va., Nov. 23, 1862. \* Died at St. Louis, Mich., February 1, 1888.

Bliss, Aaron Thomas, was captain company D, 10th New York Cavalry. (See his biography in this volume.)

Bradley, William Foster, 58-59, Adrian. Enlisted in company G, Fourth Infantry, March 10, 1862 at Adrian. On detached service with company G, First Infantry by order July 2, 1864. \* Discharged at Washington, D. C., Aug. 25, 1864, to accept commission. Re-entered service as first lieutenant and adjutant, Fourth Infantry, Aug. 31, 1864. Commissioned to date July 26, 1864. Mustered, Aug. 31, 1864. Acting assistant adjutant general, Third Brigade, Oct., Nov., and Dec., 1865. Mustered out at Houston, Texas, May 26, 1866. Brevet captain and major United States Volunteers, March 13, 1865, for meritorious services during the war.

Brewer, Emory L., 57-59, Bennington. Enlisted in company K, Fifth Cavalry, as corporal, Aug. 30, 1862, at Detroit, for 3 years, age 26. Mustered, Sept. 2, 1862. Promoted sergeant. First sergeant. Commissioned second lieutenant, company G, Feb. 27, 1864. Mustered, March 26, 1864. Honorably discharged Oct. 8, 1864, on account of wounds received in action May 28, 1864. Died July 30, 1901 at Owosso, Michigan. Buried at Owosso, Mich.

Brooks, Ransom M. (Veteran) Clinton County. Enlisted in company B, 8th Infantry, Aug. 14, 1861, at St. Johns for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Sept. 23, 1861. Wounded in action on James Island, S. C. June 16, 1862. Re-enlisted as sergeant Feb. 17, 1864 at Detroit, Mich. Mustered, Feb. 17, 1864. Wounded and taken prisoner in action at the Wilderness, Va., May 5, 1864. Discharged at Camp Chase, Ohio. June 13, 1865. Died at Lansing, Mich., February 17, 1890.

Browning, Charles H., 59-60. Enlisted in company M, Eleventh Cavalry, Dec. 30, 1863, at Vermontville, age 22. Mustered, Jan. 5, 1864. Sergeant. Discharged at Pulaski, Tenn. Aug. 10, 1865. Present residence, Battle Creek, Mich.

Canfield, Augustus H., 58-59. Enlisted in company I, 9th Infantry, as sergeant Aug. 15, 1861, at Mt. Clemens, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, Oct. 15, 1861. First sergeant. Commissioned second lieutenant, company G, Sept. 23, 1862. Mustered, Feb. 12, 1863. Commissioned first lieutenant company H, April 25, 1863. Mustered, Aug. 3, 1863. Commissioned adjutant, Oct. 14, 1864. Discharged at expiration of term of service Nov. 16, 1864. Died Oct. 14, 1889. Buried at Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Carpenter, Henry B., 57-58. Lansing. Enlisted in company A, 20th Infantry as corporal, Aug. 9, 1862 at Lansing for 3 years, age 27. Mustered, Aug. 18, 1862. Sergeant, Oct. 18, 1862. First sergeant, Jan. 17, 1863. Commissioned second lieutenant, June 20, 1863. Mustered, Sept. 1, 1863. Wounded in action at Cold Harbor, Va., June 3, 1864. Commissioned first lieutenant, May 12, 1864. Commissioned captain, company B, Oct. 24, 1864. Mustered, Nov. 30, 1864. Aide de camp on Brigade Staff from Feb. 17, 1865 to April, 1865. Assistant provost marshal, second brigade first division, 9th Army Corps, May 1, 1865. Mustered out and honorably discharged at Delaney House, D. C., May 30, 1865. Lansing, Michigan.

Carpenter, Otis W., 61-62, Delta. Enlisted in company D, Seventh Cavalry, as sergeant, Sept. 6, 1862, at Delta, for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Nov. 13, 1862. Transferred to company M, Aug. 5, 1863. Taken prisoner



at Trevillian Station, Va., June 11, 1864. Died of disease at Annapolis, Md., Dec. 6, 1864. Buried at Annapolis, Md.

Carr, Alphonso W. 58-59. Captain 1st Michigan Volunteer Infantry, Nov. 11, 1863. Killed in action at Trevillian Station, Va. June 12, 1864.

Case, Daniel Sampson, 57-59. Graduate of West Point, 1864. First lieutenant and adjutant 103d N. Y. Volunteers, 1864-65. Died at Iron Mountain, Mo., December 10, 1870.

Chase, Frank R., Otisco. 59-60. Entered service in company B, 25th Infantry, at organization, as first lieutenant, commissioned, Aug. 10, 1862. Mustered, Sept. 11, 1862. Resigned and honorably discharged Nov. 14, 1863 to accept appointment in invalid corps. Accepted appointment, Nov. 15, 1863. Assigned to company D, Tenth Regiment. Mustered out and honorably discharged Jan. 1, 1868, as brevet major and first lieutenant, 10th Regiment, Veteran Reserve Corps. Present address; Smyrna, Mich.

Christianey, Henry C., Monroe County. 57-58. Enlisted in company F, 1st Infantry, April 20, 1861, at Detroit, for 3 months, age 19. Mustered, May 1, 1861. Discharged, July 12, 1861, by S. O. of General McDowell. Re-entered service as second lieutenant in company A, 1st Infantry for 3 years at organization. Commissioned, Aug. 17, 1861. Mustered, Aug. 17, 1861. Commissioned first lieutenant, company F, April 28, 1862. Transferred to company A, July 13, 1862. Aide de camp on General Humphrey's staff from Nov., 1862 to Sept., 1864. Commissioned captain, Oct. 20, 1862. Declined commission. Mustered out at expiration of term of service near Weldon R. R., Sept. 24, 1864. Brevet major and lieutenant colonel, U. S. Volunteers, March 13, 1865 for gallant and meritorious services during the war.

Clark, Edward G., Monroe, Mich. 57-58. Enlisted in company H, 18th Infantry, Aug. 15, 1862, at Monroe, for 3 years age 23. Mustered, Aug. 26, 1862. Taken prisoner and paroled at Snow's Pond, Ky., Sept. 25, 1862. Discharged at Detroit, Mich. June 5, 1865.

Clute, Oscar, M. S., 1865, LL. D., 1893. President of Florida Agricultural College and director of the Experiment Station, 1893-97; Clergyman. Supt. of ranch, Pomona, Cal. (See Presidents, page 91). (See Members of the Faculty, page 393).

Cowles, Albert E., Lansing. 57-59. LL. D. (Univ. of Mich.), 1862. Enlisted in company A, 20th Infantry, Aug. 9, 1862, at Lansing, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, Aug. 18, 1862. Corporal Aug. 18, 1862. Discharged for disability at Louisville, Ky. May 23, 1863. City clerk, Lansing, 1864-67; city attorney, 1868-71; clerk of supreme court, 1867-69; judge of probate, Ingham County, 1893-97. Lawyer, Lansing. Killed by street car in Los Angeles, California, Nov. 25, 1906.

Dickerson, Lyman W., 67-68. Member company F, 6th Ohio Volunteer Cavalry. General manager of the Comstock Mfg. Co., 410 Locust St., Kalamazoo, Mich.

Dickey, Gilbert A., Marshall. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers as first sergeant, Sept. 16, 1861, at Battle Creek, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, Oct. 9, 1861. Mustered out at St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 8, 1862. Enlisted in company E, 24th Infantry, Aug. 12, 1862, at Detroit for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, Aug. 13, 1862. Commissary sergeant, Dec. 2, 1862. Sergeant major, Jan. 27, 1863. Commissioned second lieutenant, company G, March 10, 1863. Mustered, April 17, 1863. Killed in action at Gettysburg, Pa.,

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July 1, 1863. Buried in National Cemetery, Gettysburg, Pa. (See note of Geo. W. Haigh on page 483.)

Eggleston, Charles E., Coldwater, 59-60. Entered service in company C, First Infantry as first lieutenant, April 24, 1861, at Coldwater, for 3 months, age 19. Commissioned, May 1, 1861. Mustered, May 1, 1861. Mustered out at Detroit, Mich., Aug. 7, 1861. Present residence, 421 So. Summit St., Dayton, Ohio.

Elder, John A., Lansing, 57-58. Enlisted in company E, 8th Infantry, as corporal, June 14, 1861, for 3 years, age 25. Mustered, Jan. 10, 1862. First sergeant. Discharged to accept promotion May 13, 1863. Commissioned second lieutenant, March 27, 1863. Mustered, May 13, 1863. Wounded in action at Spottsylvania, Va., May 12, 1864. Commissioned captain, company I, Jan. 8, 1865. Mustered, February 19, 1865. Commanding company D from November, 1864 to July 1, 1865. Mustered out at Delaney House, D. C. July 30, 1865. Died April 10, 1889. Buried at Lansing, Mich.

Eldred, Louis S., 61-63. Enlisted in company F, 3d cavalry, Feb. 27, 1864, at Climax for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Feb. 29, 1864. Mustered out at San Antonio, Texas, Feb. 12, 1866.

Farrington, Charles E. 57-58. Enlisted in company M, 2nd Cavalry, Sept. 1, 1864, at Jackson, for 1 year, age 23. Mustered, Sept. 1, 1864. Discharged at Edgefield, Tenn., June 21, 1865. Died at Milan, Mich., Nov. 20, 1889.

Farr, George A., B. S., 1890. Enlisted in company K, 1st Infantry, April 18, 1861, at Adrian, for 3 months, age 19. Mustered, May 1, 1861. Mustered out at Detroit, Mich., Aug. 7, 1861. Orderly sergeant, battery M., 4th U. S. Artillery, July, 1861-65; State senator, 1879-83; trustee of the Northern Michigan Asylum, 1885-91. Regent of the University of Michigan, 1896-; collector of customs, district of Michigan, 1897-; lawyer, Grand Haven, Mich.

Foster, Charles T., 57-58. Lansing. Enlisted in company G, 3d Infantry, as corporal, May 10, 1861, at Grand Rapids, for 3 years, age 23. Mustered, June 10, 1861. Sergeant. Killed in action at Seven Pines, Va., May 31, 1862.

French, Alfred O., Royalton. 60-61. Enlisted in company C, 25th Infantry, as corporal, Aug. 9, 1862, at Royalton, for 3 years, age 18. Mustered, Sept. 10, 1862. Sergeant, Feb. 6, 1865. Discharged at New York City, May 23, 1865. Present residence, Lincoln, Mich.

Greene, William M., Lansing. 57-59. Law student at Ann Arbor 1860-62. Enlisted in company A, 20th Infantry as sergeant, Aug. 9, 1862, at Lansing, for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Aug. 18, 1862. First sergeant Oct. 2, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion, April 25, 1863 by S. O. No. 163. Commissioned 2nd lieutenant, Jan. 28, 1863. Killed in action at Horse Shoe Bend, Ky., May 10, 1863. Buried in National Cemetery, Mill Springs, Ky. Grave No. 6, Section F.

Griswold, Joseph B., Vermontville. 59-60, 62-63. M. D. (Rush Med. Coll.) 1868-. Entered service as second assistant surgeon, Fourth Infantry. Commissioned, Nov. 15, 1864. Mustered, to date, Dec. 12, 1864. Discharged for promotion to date, Jan. 8, 1866. Commissioned surgeon, Jan. 9, 1866. Mustered, Jan. 9, 1866. Mustered out and honorably discharged, May 26, 1866. City physician, 1876-78; alderman, 1880-82; member of the Board of Education, 1885-89; president of the Michigan Medical Society, 1897. Physician and surgeon, 184 N. Lafayette St., Grand Rapids, Mich.



Gunn, Daniel R. Enlisted in company D, Twenty-first Infantry, February 29, 1864 at Grand Rapids, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, March 1, 1864. Joined regiment at Chattanooga, Tenn., April 7, 1864. Wounded in action, March 19, 1865. Discharged by G. O. No. 77, War Department.

Haigh, George W., 57-60, Dearborn. Enlisted in company D, 24th Infantry, as first sergeant, Aug. 12, 1862, at Dearborn, for 3 years, age 23. Mustered, Aug. 13, 1862. Wounded in action at Fredericksburg, Va., May 29, 1863. Commissioned first lieutenant July 4, 1863. Mustered, Oct. 7, 1863.

Haigh, Thomas, 60-61, M. D. (N. Y. College of Phys. and Surg.), 1865; Member company D, 24th Michigan Volunteer Infantry; assistant professor of physiology, 1866-68. Physician. Died in New York, N. Y., June 8, 1871.

Hammond, Josiah T., 57-59, Tekonsha. Entered service in company I, 20th Infantry, at organization, as second lieutenant, age 22. Commissioned, July 20, 1862. Mustered, Aug. 19, 1862. Commissioned first lieutenant, company K, Jan. 26, 1863. Mustered, April 25, 1863. Resigned and honorably discharged, March 16, 1864, by S. O. No. 119, War Department. Present residence, Jackson, Mich.

Hollister, Ralph H., 61-63. Enlisted in company B, 11th Cavalry as sergeant, Oct. 1, 1863, at Victor, for 3 years, age 21. Mustered, Oct. 7, 1863. Quartermaster sergeant. Transferred to company G, Eighth Cavalry, July 20, 1865. Mustered out at Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 22, 1865. Farmer, 1865-74; supervisor of Victor township for three years; merchant; county clerk, Lake County, 1880-81; supervisor of Webber township, 1895-98. County clerk and register of deeds, Lake County, 1898-. Baldwin, Michigan.

Hollister, Charles E., Victor. B. S., 1861, M. S., 1865. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers, Sept. 16, 1861, at Battle Creek for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Oct. 9, 1861. Mustered out at St. Louis, Mo., Jan 8, 1862. County surveyor, Shiawassee county, for many years; farmer, Laingsburg, Mich. Died at Laingsburg, Mich., April 11, 1900.

Ingersoll, Charles L. Commerce. M. S., 1877. Enlisted in company G, 9th Cavalry, March 7, 1863, at Commerce, for 3 years, age 18. Mustered, May 19, 1863. Transferred to company A, May 1, 1864. Commissary sergeant, May 1, 1864. Mustered out at Lexington, N. C., July 21, 1865. Died at Grand Junction, Colo., Dec. 8, 1895. (See Professors.)

Jerome, David Howell. In 1862, he raised the 23rd Michigan Infantry, commandant in camp with the rank of colonel. In 1863-66 military aid to Governor Crapo; 1865 member of the State Military Board. State senator, member of committee, 1873 to revise the state constitution; trustee of the Michigan Military Academy; governor, 1881-84. Died 1896.

Jewell, Charles Adolphus, M. S., 1865. Sergeant company I, 8th Michigan Infantry, August 15, 1862; 2nd lieutenant, December 31, 1863; 1st lieutenant, March 27-June 26th, 1865. Township supervisor, 1897-98; president of a Farmers' Club for several years; master of a grange, 1898. Farmer, Hudson, Michigan.

Johnson, Colonel D., 59-62, M. D. (University of Michigan), 67. Assistant surgeon, 3d Michigan Volunteer Cavalry, April 4, 1865-January 15, 1866; Physician. Died, January 26, 1876.

Kedzie, Robert Clark, A. M., M. D., D. Sc., LL. D. Entered service in 12th Infantry at organization, as assistant surgeon, Jan. 15, 1862, at Vermontville, for 3 years, age 37. Commissioned, Jan. 15, 1862. Mustered,

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Kilbourn, Joseph H., Lansing. 61-64. Enlisted in company E, 1st Sharpshooters, June 30, 1863, at Lansing, for 3 years, age 27. Mustered, July 8, 1863. Promoted sergeant Oct., 1863. Promoted first sergeant, Nov., 1863. Discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability at Chicago, Ill., March 22, 1864. Postmaster at Big Rapids, 1887-91. Farmer and fine stockbreeder, Big Rapids, Mich.

Knorr, Albert H., 59-60. Enlisted in company A, Hall's Independent Sharpshooters, Sept. 5, 1864, at Mottville, for 1 year, age 24. Mustered, Sept. 7, 1864. Transferred to company F, First Michigan Sharpshooters, March 15, 1865. Discharged near Georgetown, D. C., June 3, 1865. Pensioner, Mottville, Michigan.

Leeds, Alex., 58-59. First Lieutenant company H, 6th Michigan Volunteer Infantry; railway postal clerk for 20 years. Dentist, Grafton, W. V.

Leeds, Lodowick C., 59-60. Third sergeant company C, 25th Michigan Volunteer Infantry, August 8, 1862-July, 1865; merchant. Deputy collector of internal revenue, July 1, 1899-. 111 Veal St., Dallas, Texas.

Lewis, Charles B., 57-58. Enlisted in company G, 3rd Infantry, May 13, 1861, at Grand Rapids, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, June 10, 1861. Discharged for disability, Sept. 1, 1861. Enlisted in company E, 6th Cavalry, Feb. 17, 1865 at Jackson, for 1 year, age 23. Mustered, Feb. 17, 1865. Transferred to company H, First Cavalry, Nov. 17, 1865. Discharged at expiration of term of service at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 17, 1866. Journalist with nom-de-plume of "M. Quad." No. 71 Third Place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Lewis, Henry G., Lansing. 57-58. Enlisted in company D, 6th Cavalry, Sept. 8, 1862, at Lansing, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, Oct. 11, 1862. Discharged at Washington, D. C., June 19, 1865. Died Lansing, Mich.

Main, Sidney G., Owosso. 62-63. Entered service in Company E, 29th Infantry, at organization, as first lieutenant. Commissioned, July 29, 1864; commanding company, April 30, 1865. Mustered out at Murfreesboro, Tenn., Sept. 6, 1865. Ex-county surveyor, Emmet and Shiawassee counties. Surveyor, real estate dealer and lumberman, Bruce, Michigan.

Manchester, Caleb. 57-58. Member 11th Michigan Volunteer Infantry. Traveling salesman. 436 Maple St., Battle Creek, Michigan.

Manchester, Elias. 67-68. Enlisted in Company F, 1st Cavalry, Feb. 13, 1865, at Battle Creek, for 1 year, age 17. Mustered, Feb. 15, 1865. Joined regiment, May 25, 1865. Discharged at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. Dec. 5, 1865. Farmer and stock breeder, Hastings, Neb., 1885-94. Carpenter and builder, 802 East 15th St. Kansas, City, Mo.

Markham, Alonzo B., Plymouth. 60-61. (Univ. of Mich.), 1868. Enlisted in company C, Twenty-fourth Infantry, Aug. 5, 1862, at Plymouth, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, Aug. 15, 1862. Transferred to Invalid Corps, Dec. 9, 1863. Discharged at Camp Chase, Ohio, July 2, 1865, from company D, 22d Regiment, Veteran Reserve Corps. Banker and lawyer, Mayville, Mich.

Marston, William Henry Pickering was a soldier in the Civil War, where he was wounded making it necessary to remove eleven and one-half inches of the tibia; later he founded the Amasa B. Watson Post, Grand Rapids,



Michigan. He died while serving as postmaster of Fitzgerald, Georgia. For other items, see his biography in this volume.

McCreery, William B., Flint. Enlisted in company F, 21st Infantry, as sergeant, April 23, 1861, at Flint, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, May 25, 1861. Appointed second lieutenant to date, July 10, 1861. Appointed quartermaster, July 25, 1861. Commissioned captain, company G, Sept. 10, 1861. Wounded in action at Williamsburg, Va., May 5, 1862. Honorably discharged to accept promotion, Dec. 1, 1862. Commissioned lieutenant colonel, 21st Infantry, Feb. 3, 1863. Mustered, March 18, 1863. Taken prisoner at Chickamauga, Ga., Sept. 20, 1863. Escaped from Libby Prison Feb. 9, 1864. Resigned on account of disability, Sept. 14, 1864. Died December 9, 1896. Buried at Flint, Mich. In Gen. Thomas's order is the following: "On account of wounds (six in number) received at various times in action, while in discharge of duty, the honorable scars of which he now wears. In accepting the resignation of Col. William B. McCreery, the major general commanding takes occasion to express his high appreciation of the soldierly qualities and faithful discharge of duty which have ever characterized Col. McCreery's actions at the same time regretting the existence of the disability which compels the withdrawal of so valuable an officer from the service." (See Members of State Board.)

Martin, E. Brook, 62-63. Member 22nd Michigan Volunteer Infantry. House of representatives, Michigan, 1881-83. Farmer, Bozeman, Mont.

McVean, David E., Lowell, 61-62. Enlisted in company B, sixth Cavalry, as corporal, Sept. 15, 1862, at Grand Rapids, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, Oct. 11, 1862. Sergeant, Nov. 1, 1863. Quartermaster sergeant, Feb. 1, 1865. Mustered out at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Nov. 24, 1865. Died, April 29, 1902. Buried at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Millard, W. Scott, Constantine. 64-65. Enlisted in company E, (reorganized) Eleventh Infantry, Feb. 28, 1865 at Three Rivers, for 1 year, age 18. Mustered, Feb. 28, 1865. Mustered out at Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 16, 1865. Died, July 27, 1895. Buried at Niles, Mich.

Morehouse, Thomas B., Lansing. 58-. Enlisted in company A, 20th Infantry, as corporal, Aug. 9, 1862 at Lansing, for 3 years, age 23. Mustered, Aug. 18, 1862. Sergeant, Dec. 25, 1862. First sergeant, Nov. 6, 1863. Wounded in action, May 12, 1864. Commissioned first lieutenant, Oct. 24, 1864. Mustered, Dec. 5, 1865. Commanding company from May 4, 1865. Mustered out and honorably discharged at Delaney House, D. C., May 30, 1865.

Morse, Allen Benton. Ionia. 1857-60. Enlisted in company B, 16th Infantry as sergeant, July 30, 1861, at Ionia for 3 years, age 22. Mustered, Sept. 7, 1861. Commissioned first lieutenant, company I, 21st Infantry, Dec. 16, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion, Dec. 26, 1862. Commissioned adjutant, Feb. 3, 1863. Discharged to accept promotion, April 9, 1863. Mustered, April 10, 1863. Wounded in action at Mission Ridge, Tenn., resulting in amputation of arm, Nov. 25, 1863, while on staff duty as acting assistant adjutant general. Resigned and honorably discharged Sept. 1, 1864. Prosecuting attorney, Ionia County, 1867-71; state senator, 1875; mayor of Ionia, 1882; justice of the supreme court, 1886-92; U. S. consul to Scotland, 1893-95. Lawyer, Ionia, Mich.

North, Elmer D., Ingham County. 61-62. Enlisted in company E, Eighth Infantry, Aug. 14, 1861, at Lansing, for 3 years age 20. Mustered, Sept. 23, 1861. Discharged for disability at Washington, D. C., Jan. 6, 1862. Re-entered service in company D, 14th Infantry, as sergeant.

Enlisted, Dec. 1861. In commission at expiration of term of residence as teacher, 1875. Teacher, 1875.

Osband, E. Engineers and artificers, 25 years, age 25. Of service as a farmer. Discharged, 1875.

Palmer, O. Company C, 4th Infantry. Resigned, Oct. 1862. Attorney, Chicago, Mich., 1863. (See Member's List.)

Paulding, J. 4th Infantry. Mustered, Jan. 1862. D. C., Aug. 1862.

Pierce, A. 19th Infantry. Sept. 5, 1862. Marine Brigade, surveyor, Va. Grand Forks, N. D.

Pingree, H. Lery. (See Member's List.)

Prentiss, J. Howland's 1st. years, age 20. Jan. 8, 1862.

Preston, C. Sept. 9, 1864. ment, Oct. 31, 1865. Discharged, Grand Ledge, Mich.

Prutzman, as sergeant mustered, Sept. 1862. Commissioned first lieutenant, June 17, 1863. Killed in action, Feb. 14, 1862.

Redfern, O. Feb. 14, 1862. Promoted to 9th Kan., Dec. 1862.

Russell, O. April 24, 1862.



Enlisted, Dec. 3, 1861, at Lansing for 3 years. Mustered, Feb. 13, 1862. In commissary department from June, 1864 to Feb., 1865. Discharged at expiration of term of service at Fayetteville, N. C., March 14, 1865. Present residence, Lansing, Mich. County superintendent of schools, 1871-75; teacher, 1875-79; secretary Board of Examining Surgeons, 1885-92. Physician.

Osband, Edwin R., Wayne County. 57-58. Enlisted in company H, engineers and mechanics, as sergeant, Oct. 23, 1861, at Marshall, for 3 years, age 25. Mustered, Oct. 29, 1861. Discharged at expiration of term of service at Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 31, 1864. In auditor general's office. Farmer. Died at Lansing, Mich., December 8, 1892.

Palmer, Oscar, M. D., 57-58. (Columbian Univ., O.) 1864. Member company C, U. S. Sharpshooters, June, 1861. Transferred as hospital steward to 2d U. S. Sharpshooters; assistant surgeon, January 20, 1864. Resigned, October, 1864; house of representatives, 1883-85; ex-prosecuting attorney, Crawford County; medical director, G. A. R., Department of Michigan, 1895-99. Physician, farmer and lawyer, Grayling, Michigan. (See Members of State Board.)

Paulding, Cornelius. Monroe City. 57-58. Enlisted in company A, 4th Infantry, as sergeant, June 20, 1861, at Adrian, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, June 20, 1861. Color sergeant. Died of disease at Washington, D. C., Aug. 12, 1861.

Pierce, Almon J. South Haven. 65-67. Enlisted in company G, 19th Infantry, Aug. 15, 1862, at South Haven, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered Sept. 5, 1862. Discharged at St. Louis, Mo., March 12, 1863, to enlist in Marine Brigade. Discharged at Vicksburg, Miss., Jan. 17, 1865. County surveyor, Van Buren County, Mich. and Brown County, S. D., surveyor, Grand Forks, S. D.

Pingree, Hazen S.. Enlisted in company F, Massachusetts Heavy Artillery. (See his biography in this volume.)

Prentiss, Albert N., Marshall. 1861, B. S. 1864, M. S. Enlisted in Howland's Engineers as corporal, Sept. 16, 1861 at Battle Creek, for 3 years, age 25. Mustered, Oct. 9, 1861. Mustered out at St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 8, 1862. (See Professors.)

Preston, Charles M., 64-65. Enlisted in company D, Seventh Cavalry, Sept. 9, 1864, at Oneida, for 1 year, age 22. Mustered, Sept. 9, 1864. Regiment, Oct. 30, 1864. Wounded in action at Louisa Court House, Va., March 8, 1865. Discharged at Fort Monroe, Va., July 8, 1865. Present residence, Grand Ledge, Michigan.

Prutzman, Edward N., Three Rivers, 61-63. Enlisted in 25th Infantry as sergeant major, Sept. 11, 1862, at Kalamazoo, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, Sept. 11, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion, March 1, 1863. Commissioned second lieutenant, company I, Feb. 6, 1863. Reported as first lieutenant. Mustered, March 1, 1863. Commissioned adjutant, June 17, 1863. Mustered, June 17, 1863. Acting assistant adjutant general, First Brigade, Second Division, 23d Army Corps, Aug., 1863. Killed in action at Resaca, Ga., May 14, 1864.

Redfern, Francis W. 62-63. Enlisted in company C, First Cavalry, Feb. 14, 1865 at Kalamazoo for 1 year, age 22. Mustered, Feb. 14, 1865. Promoted quartermaster sergeant. Discharged at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., Dec. 5, 1865. Present residence, Essex, Michigan.

Russell, Orlando D. 59-61. Enlisted in company G, First Infantry, April 24, 1861 at Burr Oak, for 3 months, age 21. Mustered, May 1, 1861.



Mustered out at Detroit, Mich., Aug. 7, 1861. Dealer in farm produce, Sturgis, Mich.

Scott, Alexander H., Schoolcraft. 58-60. Enlisted in company C, 6th Infantry as sergeant, June 19, 1861, at Fort Wayne, for 3 years, age 21. Mustered, Aug. 20, 1861. Promoted to hospital steward, Dec. 10, 1862. Discharged to accept commission in Corps d'Afrique, Aug. 13, 1863. Commissioned first lieutenant, 12th Corps d'Afrique. Re-entered service as assistant surgeon, in 12th Infantry at DeVall's Bluff, Ark. Commissioned, Oct. 10, 1864. Mustered, Dec. 26, 1864. Mustered out at Camden, Ark., Feb. 15, 1866. Present residence, St. Joseph, Mich. Mayor of St. Joseph, four terms; physician and surgeon.

Skinner, John D., Jr., Windsor. 57-59. Enlisted in company B, 2d U. S. Sharpshooters, Sept. 29, 1861, at Detroit for 3 years, age 27. Mustered, Oct. 4, 1861. Killed in action at Rappahannock River, Va., Aug. 21, 1862.

Skinner, Merritt Clark. 57-59. University of Michigan, 1860-61; member company A, 21st Indiana Volunteer Infantry, July 5, 1861-February 10, 1866; teacher, 1866-70; druggist, 1870-74; county superintendent of schools, 1874-76; principal of schools at Albion, 1876-82; clerk of the Noble circuit court, 1883-92. Drainage commissioner and insurance business, Albion, Michigan.

Smith, William Augustus. 57-58. First lieutenant company H., 22d Michigan Volunteer Infantry, July 31, 1862. Captain company H, January 5, 1863. Died of wounds received in action at the battle of Chickamauga, Oct. 11, 1863.

Stevens, Theron A. Stockbridge. 58-60. Enlisted in company E, 17th Michigan Infantry, Aug. 12, 1862, at Ypsilanti, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered, Aug. 19, 1862. Mustered out at Delaney House, D. C., June 3, 1865. Principal of schools at Bath, 1875-85; at Stockbridge, 1888-91, 93-95; county commissioner of schools, Ingham County, 1891-94; farmer, hardware merchant, Stockbridge, Mich.

Sweet, Albern K., Burns. 57-58. Enlisted in company H, Fifth Infantry, Aug. 8, 1862, at Owosso, for 3 years, age 23. Mustered, Aug. 8, 1862. Wounded in action at Wilderness, Va., May 6, 1864. Discharged May 31, 1865, to accept appointment in U. S. colored troops. Shirt manufacturer, 1864-88. Contractor for painting and decorating, 1896. 30 Gratiot Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

Thomas, William A., Barry County. 58-60. Enlisted in company F, Eighth Infantry, as sergeant, Sept. 7, 1861, at Prairieville, for 3 years, age 21. Mustered, Sept. 23, 1861. Discharged for disability at Port Royal, S. C., Jan. 6, 1862. Postmaster at Cheney at the time of death. Died at Cheney, Kan., November 11, 1896.

Thompson, Alvaro Jerome Ward. 58-60. Member company C, 32d Iowa Volunteer Infantry, August 14, 1862-June 14, 1865; county auditor, 1881-87. Secretary of the Dakota County Building Association and fire insurance agent, Hastings, Mich.

Tracy, Samuel Mills, M. S., 1876. Member company A, 41st Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, 1864. Editor of the "Practical Farmer," 1875-77; professor of botany and horticulture in the University of Mo., 1877-87; director of the Mississippi Experiment Station, 1888-97; author of a Manual of Botany for the Use of Elementary Schools in the Southern States, 1900. Editor and botanist, Biloxi, Miss.

Van Fleet, John M. 64-65. Member 8th Michigan Volunteer Cavalry. Judge of the 34th Judicial Circuit, Indiana, November 15, 1888-November

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15, 1894. Author of "Van Fleet's Collateral Attack on Judicial Proceedings," "Res Judicata." Lawyer, Elkhart, Indiana.

Van Loo, Cornelius, Zeeland. 58-59. Enlisted in company F, 21st Infantry, as corporal, Aug. 15, 1862, at Greenville, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, Sept. 3, 1862. First sergeant, March 1, 1863. Wounded in action at Chickamauga, Ga., Sept. 20, 1863. Commissioned first lieutenant, Dec. 1, 1862. Mustered, Sept. 22, 1863. Commanding company, Sept. 22, 1863. Mustered out at Washington, June 8, 1865. Register of deeds, Ottawa county, 1869-75; farmer, 1875-82; house of representatives, 1881-84; real estate dealer, 1882-90; furniture manufacturer, 1890-99. Secretary and treasurer, Zeeland Furniture Manufacturing Co., Zeeland, Mich.

Wallace, James N. Lyons. 59-60. Entered service in company D, 9th Infantry at organization, as second lieutenant, Sept. 5, 1861, at Lyons, for 3 years, age 22. Commissioned, Oct. 12, 1861. Mustered, Oct. 15, 1861. Commissioned first lieutenant, company K, July 28, 1862. Mustered, Feb. 12, 1863. Discharged to date Oct. 26, 1863, to accept promotion as captain, 13th U. S. Colored Infantry. Furniture and real estate business, 1865-. No. 5 Prospect St., Ypsilanti, Mich.

Wellings, James H., Dewitt. M. S., M. D., (Bellevue Hosp. Med. Coll.) 1874. Student at the college, 1860-63. Enlisted in 1st company, Sharpshooters, attached to 27th Infantry, Feb. 27, 1864, at Dewitt, for 3 years, age 24. Mustered, March 1, 1864. Re-entered service in company E, 2d Infantry as second lieutenant. Commissioned, April 1, 1864. Mustered, June 29, 1864. Discharged, Dec. 28, 1864, S. O. No. 471, War Department. Present residence, Lansing, Michigan.

Wheeler, Charles Fay, B. S. In the 147th regiment of Infantry, New York Volunteers. (See Professors).

Whitney, Truman W. 64-65; later at Hillsdale College. Member company E, 8th Michigan Volunteer Cavalry; farmer, manufacturer. General attorney for Ann Arbor R. R. Co., St. Louis, Mich.

Wisner, Edward M., Pontiac. 58-60. Enlisted in company D, Fifth Infantry as sergeant, June 19, 1861, at Fort Wayne, for 3 years, age 19. Mustered Aug. 28, 1861. Commissioned first lieutenant, company A, 22d Infantry, at organization, July 31, 1862. Mustered, Aug. 22, 1862. Resigned on account of disability, Jan. 31, 1863. Last address, Fulton, N. Y.

Wood, Webster A., Livonia. 57-58. Enlisted in company K, 24th Infantry, as musician, Aug. 5, 1862, at Livonia, for 3 years, age 20. Mustered, Aug. 13, 1862. Mustered out at Detroit, Mich., June 30, 1865. Brick manufacturer, carpenter, farmer, stone mason, Northville, Mich.

Yerkes, Silas A., Lowell. Entered service in company C, 13th Infantry, at organization, as second lieutenant, age 27. Commissioned, Oct. 3, 1861. Mustered Jan. 17, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion May 20, 1862. Commissioned first lieutenant, May 15, 1862. Mustered, May 21, 1862. Discharged to accept promotion, April 6, 1863. Commissioned captain, Feb. 26, 1863. Mustered, April 7, 1863. Wounded in action at Chickamauga, Ga., Sept., 1863. Brevet major, U. S. Volunteers, March 15, 1865, for meritorious services during the campaign in Georgia and the Carolinas. Commissioned major, May 12, 1865. Discharged on account of disability, May 15, 1865. (See Members of State Board.)