

176th NY Regiment captured at Cedar Creek, VA on October 19, 1864

ANSBRA , JOHN.—Age, 30 years. Enlisted in Nineteenth Congressional District, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. D, August 27, 1863; promoted sergeant, July 12, 1864; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled), no date; returned to ranks, October 3, 1865; mustered out with company, April 27, 1866, at Savannah, Ga. [No Pension Application found / NPAF]

BLOOD, WILLIAM F.—Age, 37 years. Enlisted in Fifteenth District, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. K, September 2, 1863; promoted sergeant, no date; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; died, December 11, 1864, at Salisbury, N. C. [NPAF]

BROANS, CHRISTIAN.—Age, 40 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, August 27, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; died of starvation, December 28, 1864, at Salisbury, N. C. [NPAF]

BROWN, JOHN, 2D.—Age, 42 years. Enlisted, September 1, 1863, at Brooklyn, to serve three years; mustered-in as private, Co. F , September 13, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; paroled, no date; mustered out May 24, 1865, at Ladies' Home Hospital, New York city. [NPAF]

BUHLER, FREDERICK — A g e , 28 years. Enlisted at Plattsburg, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. F , September 2, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; paroled, no date; discharged for insanity, June 5, 1865, at Washington, D. C. [NPAF]

CLARK, STEPHEN.—Age, 35 years. Enlisted at Brooklyn,- to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, September 2, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, March, 1865; mustered out with company, April 27, 1866, at Savannah, Ga. [NPAF]

GREIGHTON, JOHN.—Age, 28 years. Enlisted at New York, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, August 28, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, no date; mustered out with company, April 27 , 1866, at Savannah, Ga. [NPAF]

GRIFF, JOHN.—Age, 28 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. E, October 75 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; **died, January 12, 1865, at Salisbury, N . C.** [NPAF]

HAIGHT, JOHN A. — **Age**, 38 years. Enlisted, September 15, 1862, at New York city, to serve three years; mustered in as private, Co. B, December 18, 1862; re-enlisted as a veteran, February 21, 1864; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, no date; mustered out, May 22, 1865, at Annapolis, Md. [Appears to have died around November 1889]

HORNBECK, HIRAM.—Age, 38 years. Enlisted at Kingston, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, October 6, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, no date; discharged, April 22, 1865. [NPAF]

HYER, WILLIAM.—Age, 19 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. E, August 25, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; **died, December 18, 1864, at Salisbury, N.C.** [NPAF]

HYNES, MARTIN.—Age, 30 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, August 28, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, no date; discharged, April 22, 1865. [**Appears to have died around October 1865**]

KERST, FREDERICK.—Age, 19 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. F, August 28, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; paroled, no date; discharged, August 28, 1865. [Died December 20, 1904 at Cincinnati, OH]

KEYES, WILLIAM.—Age, 34 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. F, October 2, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; **died, November 12, 1864, at Salisbury, NC.** [NPAF]

McCONNELL, JOHN.—Age, 36 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, August 28, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; paroled, no date; mustered out, June 19, 1865, at Washington, D. C. [NPAF]

McDONALD, ARTHUR.—Age, 21 years. Enlisted at Tarrytown, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. B, October 8, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; paroled, February, 1865; mustered out, June 13, 1865, at McDougall Hospital, New York Harbor. [Died in 1906]

McDONALD, JOHN.—Age, date and place of enlistment and muster in as private, Co. G, not stated; captured, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; **no further record.** [NPAF]

McGUIRE, JAMES.—Age, 35 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. E, September 22, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; paroled, no date; mustered out with company, April 27, 1866, at Savannah, Ga. [NPAF]

MERRILL, JOHN L.—Age, 30' years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, October 7, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; paroled, no date; **died of disease, March 1, 1865, at hospital, Annapolis, Md.** [NPAF]

MOONEY, HENRY.—Age, 18 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. I, July 11, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va.; paroled, no date; mustered out, July 25, 1865, at New York city. [**Appears to have died around the time he was mustered out**]

MOWRY, SAMUEL S — Age, 22 years. Enlisted, September 1, 1863, at New York city, to serve three years; mustered in as private, Co. G, October 1, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; paroled, no date; discharged, May 15, 1865, at hospital, West Philadelphia, Pa. [Died in 1910]

NICHOLO, MICHAEL.—Age, 28 years. Enlisted, August 24, 1863, at New York city, to serve three years; mustered in as private, Co. C, August 27, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; **died, January 29, 1865, at Salisbury, N. C.**; also borne as Alexander. [NPAF]

O'NEAL, OLIVER.—Age, 47 years. Enlisted at Kingston, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, October 2, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va. ; paroled, no date; **died of disease, April 5, 1865, at hospital, Baltimore, Md.** [Widow applies for pension on April 11, 1865] [18 pages at www.fold3.com Had been at Salisbury and his death from chronic diarrhea said to have been contracted in prison]

PUTNAM, G. HAVEN — Age , 21 years. Enrolled at New Orleans, L a . , to serve three years; mustered in as private, Co. E, December 18,1862; promoted quartermaster sergeant, January 10, 1863; captured in action, June 23, 1863, at Brashear City, La . ; paroled and returned to duty, August 17, 1863; mustered in as first lieutenant, Co. B, December 21, 1863; as **first lieutenant and adjutant**, March 1, 1864; captured in action, October 19, 1864; paroled, February, 1865; discharged, May 29, 1865.

Commissioned first lieutenant, October 16, 1863, with rank from October 10, 1863, vice Irving, Co. B ; first lieutenant and adjutant, February 23, 1864, with rank from December 21, 1863, v i c e - T . . H . Edsall mustered out; captain, not mustered, May I I , 1865, with rank from December 10, 1864, vice F . Cuzner discharged. [NPAF]

RYAN, CORNELIUS.—Age, 24 years. Enlisted at New-York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. C, October 3, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; **died, November 20', 1864, at Salisbury, NC.** [NPAF]

VALE, EDWIN.—Age, 18 years. Enlisted at Brooklyn, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. G, January 4,1864; promoted corporal, March 19, 1864; transferred to Co. D, and promoted sergeant in July, 1864; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, V a . ; **died of starvation, November 18, 1864, at Salisbury, N . C.**; also borne as Adrian; veteran. [Mother applies for pension on June 30, 1875]

WALTER WILLIAM.—Age, 22 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. E , July 11, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar-Creek, V a . ; **died, December 18, 1864, at Salisbury, N . C.** [NPAF]

WILLIAMS , JAMES.—Age, 22 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. C. August 27, 1863; promoted corporal and returned to ranks, no dates; captured inaction, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; paroled, no date; discharged, April 28, 1865. [NPAF]

WILLIAM, JOHN No. 1.—Age, 26 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. K , August 25, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; paroled, no date; discharged, May, 1865. [NPAF]

WOODS, JOHN.—Age, 28 years. Enlisted at New York city, to serve three years, and mustered in as private, Co. E, August 25, 1863; captured in action, October 19, 1864, at Cedar Creek, Va . ; **died, December 18, 1864, at Salisbury, NC.** [NPAF]

30 names. This number agrees with Phisterer exactly.

10 men died at Salisbury prison.

2 men died at Union hospitals shortly after release.

2 men appear to have died in July and October, 1865

1 man is listed as captured and no further record

The toll from imprisonment seems to be around 50% dead.

In this group, I found only eight pension applications. Since these men were imprisoned for about five months total (or less), and six months or more of imprisonment was the requirement at first, this seems to be the reason for the very low number of applications. I have studied similar groups where nearly every surviving soldier filed for a pension.

It is also unusual to see, as is the case for Frederick Buhler, “insanity” listed as a cause for discharge, although I’m surprised not to see this more often considering the tribulations of surviving Andersonville or Salisbury.

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Sources: NYSAG rosters and pension applications or widows (etc.) pension files sometimes available at www.fold3.com