

## **Company A.**

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Names in red known to have been born Ireland.

\* \* County identified.

### Born Ireland

\$\$\$ Ex-Confederate Soldier.

+ Marker or grave location known.

**Allen Charles** Private Oct 31st.1861 3 Yrs Wounded at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863. Transferred to Vet Res. Corps. Jan. 18th 1864.

**Allgard Fenton Snyder.** Drafted soldier 22<sup>nd</sup> July 1863 at Frankfort Pa and mustered in same day into 71<sup>st</sup> Pa.. Transferred from Co. K of 71<sup>st</sup> Pa. to Co. A 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. 1<sup>st</sup> June 1864. Absent sick at muster out 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1864. Had been ill with phthisis (T.B.) and anemia and was sent to a New York hospital and one source states deserted from there 4<sup>th</sup> Aug 1864 and did not return. Married twice. Firstly to Harriett Crouthamel Allgard (15.8.1846-19.9.1887) and Annie Allgard (1863-1946). Fenton was born June 6<sup>th</sup> 1842 died 1916. All three buried in Tohickon Cemetery Bedminster Bucks Co. Pa. Plot Section D Row D-7. Absent at muster out.1<sup>st</sup> June 1864. See letter from W.D. A. G. C. dated 16<sup>th</sup> July 1909.

**Amon Jame** Private Dec.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Died at Point Lookout Md. Aug. 20th 1862.

**Apple Nathan** Private July 22nd 1863 3 Yrs. Nathan was a drafted soldier from Bucks Co. Pa. He was initially drafted aged 30 into the 71st Pa Regt. However he did not show up for service was found and arrested on 22nd April 1864. He then joined the 71st again but when it was disbanded he was "shifted on paper" into the 69th. Pa though never served. He died from disease at Beverley N. J. Oct. 14th 1864. Buried Beverley National Cemetery Burlington Co. N. J. Section 1 Plot 72 .

**Armstrong William** Private No info. Discharged on Surgeons Certificate Feb. 18th 1864

**Barbin William M.** Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Certificate April 19th 1863. Died Nov. 3rd 1891 buried Hepziabah Cemetery Chester Co Pa. near Coatsville and Modena.

\* \* **Barritt James J (Barrett).** (Co. CORK) Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Certificate April 1863. Born Co. Cork Ireland 1816 died 13<sup>th</sup> Aug 1895 Pa. Had initially been in the 3 months enlistment of Co A of the 24<sup>th</sup> Pa. then into Co A of the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. A small man just 5ft 5ins. Married. Labourer by trade. Was in the Southern Old Soldiers Home Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 1887 until Aug 2<sup>nd</sup> 1891 when he transferred to the Central Old Soldiers Home until April 25<sup>th</sup> 1892 when he was released on his request. Buried in St Michaels Roman Catholic Cemetery Chester Del C. Pa. He may have military marker on his grave. May have Co. F on his marker.

**Bastion Robert** Private Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs. Transferred to Co. H Dec.18th 1861.

**Beam Daniel** Private May 25th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Behney Melchoir** Private Sept.25th 1863 3 Yrs. Captured June 22nd 1864. Transferred to Vet Res. Corps June 1st 1865. Born 18<sup>th</sup> Dec.1846 Shafferstown Lebanon Co. Pa. Died aged 74 May 17<sup>th</sup> 1915 in Kansa City. Buried Mount Washington Cemetery Independence Jackson Co. Missouri.

**Belflow Francis** Corp. Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Prom. Corp. June 1st 1864. Captured June 12th 1864. Held in Andersonville Ga where his name was recorded as Bellows. Sent Millen Ga 31st. Oct 1864. Survived and discharged by General Order. June 5th 1865.

**Benson Franklin** Private Sept 25th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted absent sick at muster out.

**Berry James** Corp. Sept.30th 1863 3 Yrs. Prom. Corp. May 1st 1865. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Berry John** Private Enl. Philadelphia 31.3.1861 aged 20 for 3 Yrs. Killed near Petersburg Va. June 10th 1864. His wife Elizabeth Ann Boyer is buried Morris Cemetery Phoenixville Pa. Section F lot 83 Jan 6th 1923. John probably buried in same grave. Records lost early 1900's. John was a native New Yorker who moved west to Pa. aged 20. Firstly lived in Bethel Pa. and then Phoenixville Pa. A late recruit into the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. Apparently selected the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. by choice. A printer by trade. Dark complexion 5ft 6ins blue eyes.

**Berry John** Private .This John Berry had enlisted in the 71<sup>st</sup> Pa. Co. K. having enlisted in Phoenixville Pa. 13.8.1861 and mustered in Wash. D.C. 23.8.1861 aged 37. Later transferred to Co. A. 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. 17.6.1864.

**Bevonstead Frederick** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Died Aug. 6th 1863 at Letterman hospital of wounds received at Gettysburg. 3rd July 1863 aged 41. Buried in National Cemetery Gettysburg. Section C. Grave 86. Named spelt Bordensted.

**Black Andrew J** Private Nov.10th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Blanch Thomas** Private Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Oct. 30th 1862.

**Briggs Andrew J** Private Jan.13th 1865 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**\* \* Bushill Edward** (Co. TIPPERARY). Sergt.Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Born 1832 Co. Tipperary Ireland: Died at Alexandria Va. Nov. 7th 1864 aged 29 Buried in National Cemetery Alexandria Va. Grave 2863. However his body was returned to Philadelphia and he was buried in the Old Cathedral Cemetery. Section H Range 4 grave 45. He had enrolled 23.8.1861 at Philadelphia and mustered in as Corp 31.10.1861 at Camp Observaton Md. He was aged 29, fresh complexion, 5ft 10 ins. Grey eyes . Re-enlisted at Stevensburg Va. as Pvte. and again promoted Sergt 17<sup>th</sup> Feb 1864. A labourer by trade.

**### Cardell Arthur** Private Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs. Absent on detached service at muster out. Born 1827 Ireland. Died Philadelphia Sept 14<sup>th</sup>. 1896. Buried Mount Moriah Cemetery Philadelphia.

**Carland Robert** Corp. Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not mustered on muster out roll.

**Carpenter John** Private April 1st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Carpenter Morris** Corp Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not mustered on muster out roll.

**Cassidy Francis** + Sergt.Aug.19th 1861 3 Yrs. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House Va May 12th 1864. Prom. Corp. Aug. 1st 1864 Prom. Sergt. May 1st 1865.

Mustered out with Co. July 1st.1865.Born 6.12.1839. Died 10.9.1908 in Soldiers Home in Erie Pa. Buried Trinity Cemetery Erie Pa. Soldiers Plot Row 2 Grave 7. Became bricklayer after the war. Joined aged 22 fair complexion, 5ft 4 1/2ins. Grey eyes black hair.

**Cassidy Philip** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Aged 27.Discharged on Surgeons Cert .Nov. 5th 1862.

**Clarke Patrick** Private Sept. 24th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted Captured Aug. 25th 1864. Absent with leave at muster out.

**Cochlan Michael** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Feb.28th 1862.

**Cole James** 2nd Lieut. Oct.31st 18613 Yrs. Private to 2nd Lieut .May 1st 1863. Discharged June 12th 1863.

**Coleran William** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Sept. 1st 1861.

\* \* **Collins Daniel** (Co.LIMERICK) Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Limerick Ireland: Was captured at one period of the war by Confederates taken to Richmond but paroled.. Deserted .

**Connor James** Private Oct.31st 1861 3Yrs. Deserted Feb.28th 1862

**Conway Bartholemew** Corp. Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Born in Lancashire England. Parents John and Margaret Conway were Irish. Enlisted 1.5.1861 on 3 month enlistment Co. A. 24th Inf. Wounded at Fredericksburg Va. Dec.13th 1862..Shot in right hand .Prom. Corp. Aug.1st 1864. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865 .Died 11.10.1905. In pension application later the late Capt of the 69th John McHugh signed an affidavit saying Bart was of good character, was physically fit when he enlisted and he knew him personally. He was also sick in hospital between Dec 21st 1862 until discharged back to duty March 20th 1863. Died aged 61 thus born 1843-44. Emigrated on the ship "Shanadoah" from Liverpool to Philadelphia with mother and older sisters Catherine and Mary. Father John may have gone to States earlier. Some of his papers name him as Bartly or Bartlette Conway. He was promoted Corp.1. 8.1864. His parents probably worked in the woolen mills in England prior emigrating to the States. Mustered out at Balls Cross Roads. He had been re-enlisted by Capt John McIlvane recruiting officer of the 69th on 9th Feb. 1864 at Stevensburg Va.. He had married twice. Firstly to Harriet Turpin who died in 1877. His 2nd wife was Anne McKeon also Irish born and much younger than Bart. Married 1 .5.1881. Anne was 51 in 1909. Buried Mount Calvary Cemetery Pleasantville N.J.

**Cooley Merrick D.** Private Mar. 30th 1864 3 Yrs. Wounded at Wilderness Va. May 6th 1864 Transferred to Vet. Res. Corps March 16th 1865. Born 1838 in Geaugu Co. Pa Died March 4<sup>th</sup> 1915. Buried in Lakeview Cemetery Clarkston Oakland Co. Mich

Cooley Lane in White Lake township Michigan is named after him. MERRICK D. COOLEY, who owns a fine farm of 80 acres of well improved land in section 3, White Lake township, Oakland County, has been a resident of Michigan since he was eight years old. He was born in 1838, in Geauga County, Ohio, and is a son of Zadoc and Susan (Patterson) Cooley, the former of whom was born in Massachusetts and the latter in Syracuse, New York. Zadoc Cooley moved to Ohio about 1825 and to Michigan in 1833. He was always engaged in agricultural pursuits and first settled the family in Genesee county, where he died in 1849 at the age of 56 years. In politics he was a Whig. Although he adopted no particular religious creed, he

was a man of integrity and moral worth. His widow survived until 1899, dying at the age of 93 years. She was a consistent member of the Methodist Church. A family of 11 children were born to them, as follows: Timothy, a member of one of the Ohio regiments in the Civil War, who was killed in battle at Resaca, May 14, 1864, at the age of 33 years; Levi, a resident of Iowa; Charles, deceased; Mary Ann, who married Festus Chase and lives in Genesee County, Michigan; Merrick D., of this sketch; Rebecca (Mrs. Sacs), of Iowa; Louisa E., who married Henry Chapman of Henry County, Ohio; Minerva, deceased; Alfred G., of Michigan; Augusta, who married Henry Coats of Michigan and with him moved to California; and Martha, deceased. Merrick D. Cooley was educated in the common schools, and was reared a farmer. In 1859 he came to Oakland County, Michigan, and settled first in Independence township, in 1881 removing to his present place in White Lake township, where he has successfully followed farming ever since. In 1868 Mr. Cooley was married to Mary Bird, who was born in Independence township, Oakland County, Michigan, in 1844, a daughter of Thomas Bird, a native of New Jersey and a pioneer of this State. One son has been born to this marriage,--Bird T., born November 12, 1875, at Waterford, who is conducting a produce business at Drayton Plains Oakland County. Mr. Cooley enlisted, for service in the Civil War, in Company F, 2nd Reg., Michigan Vol. Inf., at Flint, Michigan, in May, 1861, and was mustered out as a paroled prisoner May 29, 1862, by order of the Secretary of War. In March, 1864, he re-enlisted, at Meadville, Pennsylvania, in the 69th Reg., Veteran Vol. Inf., and was mustered out July 25, 1865. At the battle of the Wilderness he sustained a gunshot wound and a hernia injury at Brandy Station. He participated in the following important battles: First battle of Bull Run; Siege of Yorktown; Williamsburg, where he was captured and then sent to Libby Prison, where he remained 20 dreadful days before being paroled. Under his second enlistment, Mr. Cooley took part in the battle of the Wilderness where he was so seriously wounded that he was sent to the hospital and was later transferred to the Veteran Reserve at Point Lookout, Maryland, and remained with that organization until mustered out at Concord, New Hampshire. Mr. Cooley was one of the heroes of the Civil War and has a record to which he can point with pride. In politics Mr. Cooley is a Republican. Fraternally he belongs to the Masons, Knights of the Macaques, and Dick Richardson Post, G. A. R. at Pontiac.

**Cooper Henry J.** Enlisted Philadelphia into Co E 71<sup>st</sup> Pa. Later transferred to Co. A 69<sup>th</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> June 1854. Had re-enlisted Feb. 22nd 1864 3 Yrs. Absent wounded at muster out in hospital Philadelphia. Died Philadelphia April 23rd 1914 aged 73. Died from Brights disease. Was an elevator conductor U.S. Mint. Was born in Philadelphia. Buried in Mount Peace cemetery April 27<sup>th</sup> 1914.

**Corson Charles D** Private April 1st. 1864 3 Yrs. Aged 24. Not on muster out roll. 5ft 4ins tall blue eyes bricklayer by trade.

**Costello Bartholeum** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Sept.1st 1861.

**\*\* Courtney James** (Co. LONGFORD) Private Apl.12 th. 1864 3 Yrs. Born Co. Longford Ireland: Absent sick at muster out.

**Crooks Robert** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Wounded at Fredericksburg Dec13th 1862. Transferred to Vet reserve Corps. Sept. 30th. 1863.

**### Crowley Daniel** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Ireland. Had general poor health and was in hospital at times. Fought at Glendale and the Peninsular campaign and Antietam and Fredericksburg. Missed Gettysburg but returned to the ranks after hospitalisation. Took ill again Sept 17th 1863. Accidentally killed near Germanstown Pa. Dec.1st 1863 in a civil accident. Aged about 50. Fell off bridge. Parents John and Mary Crowley. Buried from Chestnut Hill Hospital. Buried in the St. Stephens cemetery in Nicetown area of Philadelphia. Was transferred to hospital ill Sept.1st 1863 and took his rifle and 50 rounds of ammo with him!!!. Note that the cemetery above was attached to what was a chapel established in 1843. Graveyard

operated until 1891 when closed. It appears as now to be a small field . All gravestones are either laid flat or buried. No marker for Crowley exists there.

**\* \* Cullin John (Co. LAOIS)** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted April 15th 1864. From Co. Laois.

**\* \* Curtin John (Co. LAOIS)** Private Mar. 11th 1864 3 Yrs. Born Co. Laois Ireland: Wounded at Spottsylvania Court House May 12th 1864. Transferred to Vet. Res. Corps Jan.1st 1865. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. March 20th 1865. A shoemaker by trade. Buried Old Cat. Cemetery Philadelphia Section S Range 6 grave 69.

**Daniels George** Private April 1st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**\* \* Denney Daniel (Co. Cork)** Corp. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Jan. 1st 1863. Captured Fair Oaks 29th June 1862 paroled sick 13th Sept 1862. Discharged 1st July 1863 with heart problems. Buried in National cemetery Dayton Ohio. Plot F- 5 -2 Died July 6<sup>th</sup> 1886. Note name spelling varies some documents Denny. Born 1830.

**Devine James** Corp. Feb 25th 1864 3 Yrs. Transferred to Vet. Reserve Corp. Sept. 16th 1864.

**Dever John** Private Feb 9th 1864 3 Yrs. Enlisted aged 16 as musician at Philadelphia 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1861 and mustered in Camp Obs. Md 31<sup>st</sup> 10 1861 . Re-enlisted at Stevensburg Va. 15<sup>th</sup> April 1864 but deserted 15<sup>th</sup> April when on furlough. Was 5ft 5ins tall, blue eyes, fair. A printer by trade.

**Donahue Peter** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Deserted Nov.30th 1862.

**\* \* Donovan William (Co. CORK)** .Corp. April 19th 1861 3 Yrs Born c.1829 Co. Cork Ireland. Killed at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863 by gunshot wound. Lived for a while but died on or around 26th July. Was buried old Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia on July 28th 1863. Lived in the 15th Ward Philadelphia. Was attended to by Wilson J. Jones Surgeon to the 69th Pa. at Gettysburg 2nd Army Corps hospital. Was aged 32 on enlistment 5ft. 4ins. in height.

**Donnelly Peter** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted July 1st 1862

**\* \* Dooley Stephen (Co. LAOIS)**. Sergt. Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Laois (Queens Co.) Ireland: Prom. to Sergt. May 5th 1863. Fought at Gettysburg. Wounded at the Wilderness Va. May 5th 1864 mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Buried at Old Cathedral cemetery Philadelphia plot A.2.40E. Aged 35 at death. Died 8.3.1874 in Philadelphia.

**Doyle Patrick J.** Corp. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Died at Camp Observation Md. March 15th 1862. Buried in the Old Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia. Section J Range 4 Grave 6. West Margin. Patrick died of Typhoid pneumonia. Born 1836. Note; In some records he is mistakenly said to be buried in the Poolesville Methodist Episcopalian Church cemetery..

**### Duffy James** Major Sept.2nd 1861 3 Yrs. Born Ireland: Promoted from Capt. to Major May 1st 1863 and to Lieut Col. July 4th 1863. Owned Duffys hotel in Philadelphia. Suffered sunstroke at Gettysburg but fought on. Lived 2043 Waverley St. Philadelphia. Died aged 76. He was a marble polisher by trade . However in his latter life he worked for the Philadelphia Mint. His funeral was from the home of his son James at 2317 Christian St. He is buried Holy Cross Cemetery Yeadon Del Co.

Plot Section 12 Range 4 Lot 23 Grave 3. Had died June 1869.

**Dunn James** 2nd Lieut. Sept. 1st 1861 3 Yrs. Killed at Antietam Md. Sept. 17th 1862 aged 22. Buried Old Cathedral Cem. Philadelphia. plot H.4.53

\* \* **Dunn John** (Co. WATERFORD) Corp. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Waterford Ireland: Wounded at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863 absent sick at muster out.

**Eckhart John (Acord)** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Captured at Reams Station Aug. 25th 1864. Died at Salisbury N.C. Oct. 28th 1864. Buried in the P.O.W. Section of Salisbury Nat. Cemetery Salisbury N.C. No grave allocation. Buried trench grave.

**Edmonston William** Private Oct.31st. 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Feb.26th 1862

**Ellis John** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Oct 3rd 1862

**Farley Henry** Private Mar. 28th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll

**Fay Michael** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Promoted 2nd Lieut. Co.D May 1st 1863

**Fenton Allgerd** Private 22nd July 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Absent sick at muster out.

**Fisher John** Private Sept.9th 1861 3 Yrs. Absent on detached service at muster out.

\* \* **Flannigan James** (Co.GALWAY) Private Aug.31st 1861 3 Yrs Born Co Galway Ireland: Plagued by poor health during the war. Died at Alexandria Va April 26th 1862 aged 44. Grave 1122 National Graveyard Alexandria. Va.

\* \* **Flood John** (Co. TYRONE) Sergt. Aug.23rd.1861 3 Yrs Born Co. Tyrone Ireland: Wounded at Wilderness Va May 6th 1864 absent in hospital at muster out.

**Foley Thomas** Private Mar.31st 1864 3 Yrs. Born New York. Lived in Bethel Pa. A butcher by trade. Not on muster out roll.

\* \* **Forbes William** (Co. DERRY) (Also in some documents as Forbis). Born Ireland at Drummenagh Ballyronan near Toomebridge. Co. Derry Oct. 10<sup>th</sup> 1824. Was a weaver by trade. Joined the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. as private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Date unknown. Army Invalid certificate No. 926464. Died 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 1908. There was a reimbursement made Aug 31<sup>st</sup> 1910 for \$59.33 payable to a John Keighley of Ballyronan Co. Derry Ireland. This man was appointed to receive the outstanding pension due Forbes after he died. He was a neighbouring farmer. William had enlisted at Philadelphia 12<sup>th</sup> Oct.1861 aged 32 and mustered in at Camp Observation Md.31<sup>st</sup> Oct 1861. He was 5ft 8 inches tall with blue eyes. He had married a Sarah Scott at Woods church before going to the States. A daughter Alice was born August 1861 in Philadelphia. Was wounded by grapeshot in the left leg at Manassas Va. while on picket duty Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1862 and sent to the White Pines tent hospital initially then to Fort McHenry Baltimore where he was discharged as disabled 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1862 still carrying wounds and back problems. His wife Sarah died July 27<sup>th</sup>. 1863. Daughter died sometime before 1908. Forbes returned to Ireland and settled in Larne

Co. Antrim. He applied for a pension July 15<sup>th</sup>.1895.and granted what was equivalent to £7 pounds a quarter. By 1905 had settled in Larne Co. Antrim. On July 10<sup>th</sup> 1905 robbed of money and his pension certificate by three men when he was walking to Ballyclare.. In 1906 he moved to Magherafelt and by 1908 he was living in Ballyronan. Here he became ill and was cared for by Mr and Mrs John Keightley

also of Ballyronan . Died Sept 2<sup>nd</sup> 1908. The Keightlys wrote to the Pension Office in Wash for pension due and cost of his burial expenses. On. Dec. 29<sup>th</sup> 1908 they received expenses of \$70.99 and pension cert for \$ 59.33.

**Foster Thomas A.** Private Mar.31st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll

**Fray George** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

**Frazier Daniel** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Discharged on Surgeons Cert May 21st 1863

\* \* **Fyans Thomas** (Co. DUBLIN) Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Dublin Ireland 1830. Only engagement was at Glendale June 1862. Subsequently he was in hospital through the fall of 1862 and into 1863 . Deserted from a hospital in Alexandria Va May 1st.1863

**Geary Michael** Private Sept. 15th 1864 3 Yrs Discharged by Gen. Order June 13th 1865.

**Gillette Charles** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Deserted Aug. 28th 1862.

**Gilligan Patrick** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Dec.9th. 1861.

**Gornman Milton** Private July 22nd 1863 3 Yrs Killed at Cold Harbour Va.June 12th 1864.

**Goss Michael** Private Mar.31st 1865 3 Yrs. Not on muster out.

\* \* **Granlees Moses** (Co. FERMANAGH) Private Mar.1st 1864 3 Yrs. Born Brookborough Co. Fermanagh Ireland 1828 Emigrated with family in 1847 via Derry to Quebec Canada 1847 on the ship "Helen Thompson". Went south into Pennsylvania. Enlisted Philadelphia 1861. Fought at and survived Gettysburg . Killed at Hatchers Run Va Feb. 5th 1865 aged 33. Buried in Poplar National Cemetery Petersburg grave 3068 plot Div C Sec. D 153. The spelling of his surname varies in various records.

**Green John** Corp. Sept 30th 1862 3 Yrs. Discharged by General Order June 13th 1865

**Griffiths Robert** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. March 19th 1863

**Guire James** Private April 1st 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

### **Gunning Thomas J** .Born Ireland Sergt. July 5th 1864 3 Yrs. Prom. Sergt. Feb 1st 1864 Comm. 2nd Lieut. June 16th 1865 .Not mustered. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.Died 12<sup>th</sup> Feb 1907. Buried Mount St Benedict Cemetery Bloomfield Hartford Co. Conn.

**Hans George H** Private Oct 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted July 5th 1863.

**Harden Edward** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Harris Lucius M.** Private Mar.31st 1865 3 Yrs. Substitute. Absent on detached service at muster out. Buried Ferncliffe Cemetery Springfield Clark Co. Ohio. Born July 23<sup>rd</sup> 1846 Warren Trumbull Co. Ohio Died Sept 14<sup>th</sup> 1909. Springfield Clark Co. Ohio. Wife Frances died 1932.

**Harvey John Jnr.** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Killed at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863 aged 27. Buried in National Cemetery Gettysburg Pa Section D-72.Son of John Snr below. John Jnr. Born in Phila.

\* \* **Harvey John Snr.** (Co. TYRONE) Private Oct 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Tyrone Ireland. A sawyer by trade. Father of John Jnr. Died at Alexandria Va Nov.15th 1863.

aged 44 of disease. Buried Alexandria National Cem. Alexandria Va. Grave 1058. At 5ft 11ins tall one of the tallest in the regiment. Joined regiment with son on same day 23.8.1861 at Philadelphia. Sallow complexion 5ft 11ins tall. Blue eyes. Only known of as now father and son in the Regt. And amongst the tallest men. In the the 1860 census family living at 1332 South St. Philadelphia .Wife of this John was Catherine .Other children were Maria aged 30 in 1864 and Patrick aged 26 in 1864. After husband John and son died Catherine Maria and Patrick went west to St Louis Missouri and lived Lindell Ave- Grand Ave for rest of life.

**\* \* Healey Joseph** (Co. LAOIS) Corp.Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Laois Ireland. Wounded at Glendale. Discharged Dec. 13th 1862 for wounds received at Savage Station Va. June 28th 1862. Brother to Martin and Patrick below. Joined aged 30. Had been wounded at battle of Savage Station Va. June 20 1862

**\* \* Healey Martin** (Co. LAOIS) Sergt. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Laois Ireland 1843 Enlisted at Philadelphia aged 25 as 3rd Sergt. Aug 1861. Then promoted to 2nd Sergt. Was on Furlough Philadelphia April 1863. Was 5ft 7ins. in height with blue eyes. Was a dyer by trade. Deserted May 5th 1863 and never returned. Had fought up to the battle of Fredericksburg. Had altercation with Capt. Chas McAnally at the Armory Philadelphia in Aug. 1861 wounding McAnally in the leg. Buried in the Old St Marys Cemetery in Camden New Jersey. Name spelling varies Haley/Healey. Died Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1901.Started off in the Shields Guards then the 24<sup>th</sup> Pa. Fought is all the 69<sup>th</sup> battles until he deserted. Post Office address 1890 census Gloucester City Morris St. Buried Old St Marys cemetery Gloucester City Camden Co. N.J. Brother to Joseph above and Patrick below.

**\* \* Healey Patrick** (Co. LAOIS) Sergt. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Laois .Died at Falmouth Va. April 24th 1863. Buried in the old Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia. Killed aged 41. Service at St Patricks Church and funeral from his wife's home 2039 Lombard St. Marker on his grave. See Old Cat. Memorial page images. Brother to Martin and Joseph above.

**Henry John** Private Mar.30th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Henry John C.** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Oct. 27th 1862.

**Henry William** Private Sept 25th 1864 3 Yrs. Drafted Absent sick at muster out.

**\* \* Hewitt Patrick** (Co.LIMERICK). Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Limerick Ireland: Enlisted Philadelphia 19.8.1861. Pa. card file states he M.I. 31.10.1861 Camp Observation Md. Deserted 15.7.1863 on march from Falmouth Va. other source states he captured by Confederate cavalry and held in Richmond. Paroled but had caught typhoid and died in hospital Annapolis Aug. 3rd 1864.

**\* \* Hickey John** (Co. Waterford) Private Mar.25th 1864 3 Yrs. Probably buried mass grave near the Fredericksburg battlefield..

**Hickey Daniel John.** (Alias Daniel Kennedy). Born Philadelphia 1843. Musician mustered in March 23<sup>rd</sup> 1865 aged 18 and was discharged July 1<sup>st</sup> 1865 . Served towards end of the war. For whatever reason used the alia name Daniel Kennedy (see Kennedy entry below). Died Feb 16<sup>th</sup> 1920 in Trenton N.J. Buried in St Marys cemetery Trenton N.J. Obit in Trenton Evening Times Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 1920. Born 1845 Died 16.2.1920 Trenton N.J. Lived at 207 West Hanover St Trenton. Mass at St.



Marys Cathedral Trenton. (Marker image). His headstone has the names Dennis J Hickey on it. His wife Elizabeth born 1845 died 1928. Records suggest he was a musician in the 69<sup>th</sup> Regt.

**Holmes Edward J** Private Oct 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted July 1st 1862.

**Huntley Joseph** Private July 1st 1861 3 Yrs Absent wounded at muster out.

**Hutchinson Edward** Private Aug.23rd.1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Sept. 5th 1861.

**Jackel Henry** Private July 30th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Captured June 12th 1864.Wounded at Boydon Rd. Va Oct.27th 1864.Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Buried Mount Peace Cemetery Philadelphia.

**Jenkins Robert** Musician Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Kane James** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Transferred to Res. Corps Sept 1st 1863.

**Kennedy Daniel** Musician Mar. 23rd 1865 3 Yrs. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. See Daniel John Hickey above.

**Kennedy John** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Nov. 22.1862.

**Kennedy Michael** Private Oct.31<sup>st</sup> 1861 3 Yrs Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Nov.22nd 1862.

\* \* **Kennedy Thomas** (Co. TYRONE) Private Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Tyrone Ireland: Deserted April 1864.

**Kennick James** Private Mar.25th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

### **Kent Patrick** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Ireland Deserted Jan.20th 1863.

\* \* **Keys William** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Limerick Ireland.1836. Died Philadelphia Feb 6 1893. Buried St Mary of the Assumption Cemetery Manayunk. Philadelphia Co. Pa. A labourer by trade. Enrolled aged 32 sallow complexion, height 5ft 10ins. Grey eyes brown hair. He fought in the first battles of the Peninsular campaign but in June 1861 too unwell and ended up in Fort Monroe hospital. He remained in hospital until by April 1863 he had left hospital and was back in the Roxbough area of Philadelphia. He was dismissed from the service on medical grounds 9<sup>th</sup> March 1863. He is buried in St Mary of Assumption Cemetery (Pechin and Lemonte St Manayuk Philadelphia. Row 3 Eight graves from left of gate path. (Photo).

**King Francis** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**King William** Private Mar.31st.1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

### **Kirkland William** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Ireland. Enlisted Aug 23rd 1861. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Jan. 18th 1863. Had heart and leg vein problems. Had worked as nurse October time 1861 at Harpers Ferry. Died 10th April 1904. Grave 8739 Section C. Hampton National Cemetery Va.

\$\$\$ **Kivett Peter B** Private Mar.28th 1864 3 Yrs. Discharged by General Order Sept 25th 1865. NOTE: This man ex Confed. soldier deserted to join the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. See separate bio on him on webpage.

\* \* **Lawler James** (Co. LAOIS) Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Killed at Fredericksburg. From Co Laoise Ireland. No known grave (April 2010).

**\* \* Leary Dennis** (Co. CLARE). Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Clare Ireland Deserted Feb.28th 1862.from the Harpers Ferry area.

**Linne Frederick** Private. Enrolled aged 19 19<sup>th</sup>.Aug. 1861 3 Yrs. Camp Observation Md. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Mar. 16th 1863.

**Lorenz Felix** Private July 1st 1861 3 Yrs. Absent sick at muster out.

**\* \* Lynch Terrence** (Co. CAVAN) Private Sept 20th 1864 3 Yrs. Born Co. Cavan Ireland: Farmed in Pa. prior to joining the 69th.Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Mahaffey William** Private May 28th.1861 3 Yrs. Enlisted in the 71st Pa. Inf. Co. C in Philadelphia May 1st. 1861 and mustered in 28th May 1861. When his term of service was finished in Co F of the 71st. he enlisted in the 69th Pa. 1st. June 1864. Was from Philadelphia as was his family. Lived his latter years in the Disabled Volunteer Soldiers Home in Sawtelle Lake Co. Cal. Died 25th May 1903. Is buried in the Los Angeles National Cemetery in Los Angeles Co. Los. Angeles. Cal. Section 8. Row 8 Site 10. Said to have been indigent and deaf in his latter years . William was absent sick on muster out. In the 1860 census he lists gardener as his trade. In the records of the old DVS home in Sawtelle it is recorded that he had "no relatives". However he did have. William was born Philaselphia 1837. One source states that he up and left Philadelphia and went West to California after initially living in Philadelphia until 1867 when he disappeared. It is known that his brother William joined the 116th Pa. but died from ill health 27th Jan 1863 aged 23.

**Martin James** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**McAdams Peter** Private June 26th 1863 3 Yrs Captured at Reams Station Va. Aug. 25th 1864. Absent sick at muster out.

**McAleer Hugh** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Enlisted Philadelphia. Mustered in Oct.31st 1861 at Camp Observation Md. Discharged Aug.26th1864 expiration of term. Vet had served 3 month term.

**McAndrews James** Private April 1st 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

**\* \* McArthur John** (Co. DERRY) Private Feb.12th 1864 3 Yrs Born Co. Derry Ireland: Absent sick at muster out.

**McCabe Patrick** Private Aug.31st 1862 3 Yrs. Discharged by General Order June 13th 1863.

**McCall William** Sergt Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. This soldier had extensive service as a British soldier and his expertise would appear to have been ignored. He had tried to get recognition of his previous service by writing to Governor Curtin. He later deserted and later returned. Was ordnance officer for a period.

**McCarty Daniel** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Joined and mustered in Philadelphia. Aged 21. He had florid complexion, Height 5ft.. 5", blue eyes and brown hair. Was a carpenter by trade. Resided Lynn Pa. Born Williamsport New York. Not on muster out roll

**McCarty James** Private Mar 21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**McCaulay Robert** Private Feb.13th 1864 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Mar.17th 1865.

**McCloskey James** Private Sept.14th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**McConnell James** Private Oct.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**### McDonald Dennis F.** Private Dec.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons

Cert. Feb.4th 1863. Died in the Soldiers Home in Hampton Va Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> 1895. Grave 5658. Born Ireland. Also served in the 29<sup>th</sup> Pa. Was a painter by trade. Mother lived in Philadelphia. Suffered heart disease.

**### McGarrigle James** Born 1837 Private Aug.24th 1862 3 Yrs Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Feb 19th 1863. Had been wounded Fredericksburg Va 13<sup>th</sup> Dec 1862.Buried in the Old Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia. Had died from heart disease Hampton City Va Nov 14<sup>th</sup> 1905. His papers state that he was a married man who could read and write, was 5ft 6ins tall, ruddy complexion, hazel eyes, grey hair a labourer by trade.. Religion Catholic. Named son John as a relative in his papers. His wife Catherine pre-deceased him. He was buried from his son Johns house to the Old Cathedral cemetery Philadelphia.

**McGeehan William** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Died at Philadelphia March 25th 1862.

**McGill Thomas** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Feb 4th 1863,

**McGinniss John** Drafter soldier. Private Drafted Sept. 25th 1863 3 Yrs. To Co. K 71<sup>st</sup> Pa then to Co. A 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. Captured before Petersburg Va .June 22nd mustered out with company July 1st 1865.

\* \* **McGovern Farrell (Co. CAVAN)** Corp. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Cavan Ireland 1842. Killed at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863 aged 21. Buried Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia 31.7. 1863. Plot G. 5. 42. Grave marker placed 11.11.2007.

\* \* **McGowan Dennis (Co. TYRONE)** Sergt. Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs Born Co. Tyrone Ireland: Fought at Gettysburg. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House Va May 12th 1864. Absent sick at muster out. Died 23rd Sept. 1918 aged 83. Buried New Cathedral Cemetery Section 1 Range 11 Lot 7.Centre grave in family plot with foot marker McGowan.

\* \* **McHugh John (Co. TYRONE)** Capt. Aug. 23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Born Castlederg Co. Tyrone Ireland. Commanded the Co. at Gettysburg. Prom. 2nd Lieut. Nov.10th 1862. To 1st. Lieut. May 1st. 1863. To Capt. April 6th 1864. Wounded at Spottsylvania Court House Va. May 12th 1864. Mustered out with Co. 1st July 1865. Lost brother Joseph who was killed at Antietam 17th. Sept. 1862. Buried in the Holy Cross Cemetery Yeadon Pa. had died March 21<sup>st</sup> 1898.

**McKay James** Private Mar. 21st 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

**McKenna John** Private Mar.10th 1864 3 Yrs. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House May 12th 1864.deserted Feb.9th 1865.

**McKenna Patrick** Private Oct.31st 1863 3 Yrs Discharged on Surgeons Cert.1861.

**McKenna Thomas** Private Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs Discharged on Surgeons Cert.Oct.3rd 1862.

\* \* **McLaughlin John (Co. ROSCOMMOM)** Private Mar.13th 1864 3 Yrs. Born Co. Roscommon Ireland: Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Died Philadelphia Oct 9<sup>th</sup> 1900. Buried in the New Cathedral Philadelphia. Lived at 315 Titan St. above Wharton Service at Sacred Heart Church. Wife Ellen Mc Laughlin.

\* \* **McLaughlin Richard (Co. DERRY)** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Derry Ireland: Discharged date unknown for wounds received at Antietam Sept 17th

1862. It is noted that in the Philadelphia Inquirer dated May 30th 1863 that Richard McLaughlin of the 69th Pa who had his arm shattered at the battle of Antietam rescued several children from a fire which they had started in their house at the corner of Bedford and Twelfth St. Philadelphia. Buried in Old St.Marys cemetery Gloucester City Camden Co. New Jersey.

**\* \* McPeake Martin (Co. DERRY)** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Aged 33. Born Co. Derry Ireland: Deserted Oct. Oct 23th 1862 He had been wounded at Glendale but recovered prior to battle of Antietam. Deserted near Falmouth Va.

**McVeigh Andrew** Private Sept 14th 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

**Meany David** Private Aug.23rd.1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Sept.16th 1861.

**Michen Cornelius** Private April 13th 1864 3 Yrs. Discharged by General Order July 31st 1865.

**Moore Edward** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Oct.12th 1861.

**\* \* Moore Florence (Frank) (Co. CORK)** Private April 12th 1864 3 Yrs. Captured at Reams Station Va.Aug.25th 1864. Held in Salisbury prison N.C. died there 25.10.1864. Born Brandon Co. Cork. A weaver by trade. Buried in communal P.O.W. grave Salisbury National Cemetery Salisbury N.C.

**Moore Thomas** Private April 14th 1864 3 Yrs. Captured June 23rd 1864 at Petersburg. Held at Andersonville Ga. where he contracted scorbutus and died 29th Aug. 1864. Died from scorbutus. Grave 7175.

**Moore William F.** Born 1834 Corp. July 1st 1861 3 Yrs. Absent sick at muster out. He had also served in Co. E and M of the 71<sup>st</sup> Inf. Died April 28<sup>th</sup>. 1918 in Philadelphia aged 84.Wife named as Margaret. Lived at 2102 Summer St. at 21<sup>st</sup> and Ward..

**\* \* Moran Patrick** (Co. ROSCOMMON). Capt 1st Lieut.Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Roscommon Ireland. Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1842. Private to Corporal June 1st 1863 To Sergt. Nov.1st 1863. To 1st Sergt. Dec. 31st 1864 Com. 1st Lieut. June 16th 1865 not mustered. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Fought in all battles and wounded at Gettysburg. Attended Col. Dennis O'Kanes funeral in Philadelphia as pallbearer., Was a shoemaker by trade. His father Timothy Moran and mother Margaret McLaughlin both born Ireland. Had son John Patrick Moran ( a clerk). Patrick died 21<sup>st</sup> Jan 1912 from brain haemorrhage Attended by Dr. Theo Spinisler. Undertaker James A .McGuigan. Buried Old Cath Cemetery with wife Ann (Nee McDonald) who pre-deceased him she dieing 1909. Lived at 536 Bainbridge St Philadelphia at one period but in the 1900 federal census were living at 1933 Pierce St. Ann had died Feb 4<sup>th</sup> 1909 at this address. Buried plot Q-2-41 (2W) Old Cat Cem Philadelphia. Had family of 8. Timothy, Patrick John, Margaret A., Rosenna Josephine, Peter, James, Lawrence, Catherine. Had fought Gettysburg.

**Morgan John** Private Sept.25th 1863 3 Yrs. Substitute. Absent sick at muster out.

**Morley William (alias John)** Private Sept 24th 1863 3 Yrs. Born April 9<sup>th</sup> 1948 in England. Plasterer by trade. Applied or GAR membership 28th Sept. 1881. Lived at Penn St. Germanstown Philadelphia. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865 Munsons Hill Va. Also known as William or William John Morley. Member of Ellis Post 6

GAR Germanstown. (Photo) Died 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 1907 Philadelphia. Buried Ivy Hill cemetery Philadelphia.

**### Morrison Robert** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Derry Ireland 1840: Killed at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863. Buried in National Cemetery Gettysburg. Pa. Section B-17.He was 22 years of age. In the Phil. Public Ledger of 11th July 1863 his family entered the notice "Should the body be recovered due notice will be given of the funeral". His body was found but left for burial at Gettysburg. "None knew him but to love him. None named him but to praise"

**### Mullen George** Born Ireland. Corp. Jan 5th 1864 3 Yrs. Wounded at Boydton Road Va. Oct. 27th 1864. Prom. Corp. May 1st 1865. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865 Initially joined Co E 71<sup>st</sup> Pa then later transferred to Co A of the 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. A small man just 5ft 5ins. Dark complexion dark eyes. Was farmer when he enlisted and aged 24. He would appear to have ended up his days in Colusa County California. Spent spells in the Old Vets Home at Yountville Napa Co. Died 1913 and is buried in the Veterans Memorial Grove Cemetery Youtesville Napa Co Cal ..Plot section C. Row 10 Grave 12. It is noted in the Vets home record that he had farmed in Colusa Co. and had no relatives.

**Murphy Thomas** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert .Feb. 7th 1863.

**Murray James** Private Sept.25th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Dishonourably discharged July 2nd 1835.

**Murray Martin** Private Sept.25th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted absent wounded at muster out.

**Nicholson Frank** Private Mar.25th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Nixon Charles** Private April 14th 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Nolan Patrick** Private Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Sept 17th 1861.

**Norman Paul. Thomas** 1st Lieut.Aug.19th 1861 3 Yrs. Prom. Sergt. Major to 1st Lieut July 1st 1863. Wounded at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863. Com. Capt. Sept.15 1863 not mustered. Wounded Cold Harbour Va June 9th 1864 Discharged Aug. 15th 1864.

A married man he died in Philadelphia April 15<sup>th</sup> 1872 aged 51 and was initially buried in the Old Cath. Cem. in Philadelphia with his wife .Later his remains were removed to the Holy Cross cemetery Yeadon Pa. but his wife remains left in Old Cat. Cem with no known position. Normans grave in position Section 10.Row 5. 38 Lot 3 in the Holy Cross Cemetery. Lived at 1911 Christian St. Philidelphia. Born 1821 Marker Photo).

**Nugent William** Private Mar.30th 1864 3 Yrs Not on muster out roll.

**\* \* O'Brien Patrick** (Co. LIMERICK) Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Born Co. Limerick Ireland: Killed at Gettysburg July 3rd.1863 aged 28. Buried at National Cemetery Gettysburg Pa Section C-16. Brother to William below. He had been buried initially in the Frey farm near Gettysburg then removed to National cemetery Gettysbug.

**\* \* O'Brien William** (Co. LIMERICK) Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co Limerick Ireland: Died July 19th 1863 of wounds received at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863..Had suffered his wounds for some 16 days. The brother Patrick above was

taken back to Philadelphia but no record exists as now mid March 2017 of where William buried.

**\* \* O'Connor Patrick** (Co. MAYO) Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Mayo. Deserted Feb. 26th 1862.

**\* \* O'Neill James** (Co. TYRONE) Private M. I. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Born Co. Tyrone Ireland. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Nov. 29th 1862. He had previously been reported as a deserter. Said to be 44. Note there was another James O'Neill in Co. B. killed Gettysburg 3rd July 1863..

**\* \* O'Neill Henry** (Co. CAVAN) Private Mar. 13th 1864 3 Yrs Born Co Cavan Enlisted Philadelphia 13th Feb 1864 Mustered in same day. Wounded at Cold Harbour Va. June 4th 1864. Absent at muster out sick in hospital Philadelphia. Born 1813 died 4.10.1888. Buried St. Marys R.C. graveyard Phoenixville Pa. New Plot Range 4, A Henry O'Neill carried the flag at the battle of Cold Harbour. Maybe this soldier (Photo).

**Payton James** Private Mar. 25th 1864 3 Yrs. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House May 12th 1864 .Deserted July 11th 1864.

**Potts John** Private Jan 19th 1865 3 Yrs. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Quigley John** Private Enlisted on Oct. 31st 1861 for 3 Yrs. Wounded at Antietam Md. Sept. 17th 1862. Hospitalised in Wash D.C. after recovery he transferred to Vet. Res Corp. Nov. 15th 1863. Had initially served in the 24<sup>th</sup> Pa. Buried in the Old Cathedral Cemetery Philadelphia. Wife name Sarah. They lived at John's death at 2501 Meridith St. Funeral Mass at St Xaviers Church. Died Nov 13<sup>th</sup> 1899. Buried plot Z--1-53-54 North margin. Missed Gettysburg. +.

**Ream Christopher** Private July 11th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Captured June 22nd 1864. Petersburg Va. Held but survived Andersonville Ga. Absent sick at muster out.

**Reiley Thomas** Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Jan 4th 1861.

**Reynolds Richard** Private Oct 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted July 17th 1863.

**\* \* Rickaby Ralph** (Co. LAOIS) Sergt. Aug. 23rd 1861 3 Yrs. From Co Laois Ireland: Wounded at Gettysburg July 3rd 1863 Discharged Aug. 26th 1864 at end of term. Born 1833 .Died Hampton City Va. Sept 16<sup>th</sup> 1897. Buried Fernwood Cemetery Fernwood Del. Co. Pa. Plot lot 320.

**Ross John** Private Sept. 24th 1863 3 Yrs. Substitute. Absent sick at muster out.

**Rittmaier William** Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 Yrs. Died of disease in hospital at Point Lookout Nov 4th 1862. Had enlisted at Philadelphia 9.8.1861 and Mustered in Camp Obs. Md 31.10.1861 aged 23. As with many "Germanic" sounding names the spelling varies.

**Rummell Gottlieb** Private April 1st 1864 3 Yrs. Born in Germany Was a farmer by occupation. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865 Buried Philadelphia National Cemetery Philadelphia. Plot F 105

**Ryan Daniel** Private Feb. 2nd 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Rylie John M.** Private Oct. 31st 1861 3 yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Dec. 24th 1861.

**Sanders George Calwalader** "The Infant Drummer". Musician Aug 19th 1861 3 Yrs. Died at Camp Observation Md. Jan 21st. 1862. This young boy joined the 69th

on August 19th 1861 for three years. He was the leading drummer and musician in the 69th and taught the other musicians. He was himself taught by his father also a musician and soldier who had joined the 69th on the same day.. Sadly he died probably of typhoid at Camp Observation near Poolesville Md. Jan 22nd 1862 aged just 14 years of age. He was known as the "The Infant Drummer".He was given a public funeral in Philadelphia. Buried in the Hillside Cemetery Roslyn Montgomery Co. Pa. His Father Thomas was a drum major also in the Regt. On his coffin was displayed a flag that had passed through the Mexican war and also his drum. It is said that his grandfather had also been a soldier in the Revolutionary war.

**Sanders Joseph** Drafted soldier. From N. Anneville Pa. Private 3 Yrs. Initially enlisted in Co. E 71<sup>st</sup> Pa. He was aged 25.Emlisted and mustered in at Pootsville Pa 24<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1863. On 12<sup>th</sup> June 1864 he was transferred along with many other 71<sup>st</sup> Pa soldiers to Co. A of the 69<sup>th</sup>. Pa. He was aged 5ft 6ins in height light complexion light hair and grey eyes. Wounded at the battle of the Wilderness Va. 6<sup>th</sup> May 1864 being shot in the left leg hip area. He would carry the bullet until he died. However some five months in hospital Fredericksburg Va. He appeared to have taken up his post again and on April 7<sup>th</sup> 1865 at the battle of High Bridge Va developed liver disease from having to cross the Appotomax river under fire in a heated condition. Subsequently throughout life he was in a very poor health state in addition to his war wounds now with arthritis and side effects from his earlier wounds. Looking at his list of pension applications he certainly was not well treated by the system. Was unmarried. He mustered out 1<sup>st</sup>. July 1865. Buried in Mount Annville cemetery, Anneville Lebanon Co. Pa.

**Seymour Joseph** Private 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Shadfold Abraham** Private Mar.21st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Shand Cyrus** Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Died at Washington D.C. June 3rd 1864 Buried National Cemetery Arlington Va. Plot Section 27 site 730.Marker photo.

**Simpson Hugh** Drafted soldier Private Oct 31st 1861 3 Yrs Died at Washington D.C. June 3rd 1864. Buried Arlington Nat. Cemetery Arlington Va. Section 13 Site 11432.

**Smith Robert M.** Drafted soldier. Private April 14th 1864 3 Yrs. Absent on detached service at muster out.

**Spotts Francis** Private Sept.24th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Absent sick at muster out.

**Standing Thomas** Enlisted Aug.23rd 1861 3 Yrs. Had been prom. to Corp. Aug. 1st 1864, to Sergt. May 1st 1865. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Died in California and is buried in the Los Angeles National Cemetery Section 25. Row K Site 4. Died 15.1.1915. He had been born in Frankfort Pa 1842.He had enlisted at Philadelphia aged 19 .He fought at and survived Gettysburg though wounded He re -enlisted at Stevensburg Va. 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1864. Survived the war and mustered out 1<sup>st</sup> July 1865.He had been a carpenter by trade.

**Stapp Robert M.** Private. Enlisted Co. A. 6<sup>th</sup> Ind. Inf. on April 19<sup>th</sup> 1861 at Hanover Ind. as musician aged 48.A small man 5ft 5ins fair complexion, grey eyes, grey hair, Protestant faith. and was able to read and write. Not married. His trade was noted as a telegraph operator. However he was discharged Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1861 at

Indianapolis with dislocation of left shoulder. He was later drafted into Co A 69<sup>th</sup> Pa Infantry 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1865 at Ridgeway Pa. In the P.A. Civil war records it is noted that he was "Unattached at US Military Telegraphy at Wash. D.C since 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1865. Discharged as per Ord. CO 384 of 20<sup>th</sup> July 1865". It was very likely that he was drafted for his skill as a telegraph operator as the communication system for the Army was being massively upgraded around this time with much more use being made of the telegraphy system and use of morse code. It is unlikely he even met his comrades in the 69<sup>th</sup> but was simply assigned to the regiment should the war progress and there be need for field assignment or assignment to communicate with the 69<sup>th</sup> from Wash. D.C. I would be of the opinion that when he was in Wash. He would have been active in the developing communications networks of the time.

**Streets Geary** Private April 14th 1864 3 Yrs. Absent sick at muster out.

**Sullivan Thomas** Private Feb.2nd 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**Syler Leonard** Drafted soldier. Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs. Born Hermaringen Wurttemberg Germany Sept. 21st 1834. Drafted initially into the 71st Pa. Inf. Co E at Pootsville Pa. Captured at Reams Station Aug. 25th 1864. Wounded at battle of Cold Harbour. After recovery he was transferred to Co A in the 69th Pa. to finish off his enlistment period. Captured at Reams Station Aug 25th 1864 and sent to Belle Isle prison. Exchanged in prisoner swap at Varina Va. went back to the 69th and fought until end of war. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. Died Aug. 11th 1916. Buried in the Oak Hill Cemetery Hammond. Lake Co. Indiana. Original German name was probably Leonhardt Sailer. Came to America 1850 aged 16 and Anglified name. Farmer by trade settled Annville Pa. Married in 1856 Mustered out with honourable discharge July 1st 1865 family moved to Hyde Park -Coldhour which was then a village south of Chicago later East Chicago. Worked all his working life in the steel industry and retired from Iroquois Steel in 1901. Died aged 82. (See webpage for more detail and photos).

**Templing John** Private Sept.24th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Absent sick at muster out.

**Thompson George D.** Private Mar.15th 1864 3 Yrs. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Titus William** Private Sept.25th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Captured. Died at Andersonville Ga. July 14th 1864. Grave 3329.

**Twomey Thomas** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. Dec.18th 1862.

**Udell George** Private Feb.12th 1864 3 Yrs. Killed at Hatchers Run Va.Mar.25th 1865.Though not mentioned by name Sergt. Stephen Dooley mentioned in a letter home to his wife in Philadelphia on the 26th that they lost one killed (it was Udall) in a skirmish close to Hatchers Run the previous day.( See Soldiers Letter on Dooley page). Enlisted Philadelphia 12th.Feb 1864 aged 31 and mustered in same day. Transferred from 71st Reg. P.V. 12th June 1864. He was born in Manchester England and a dyer by trade. Wounded Spotsylvania C.H. 12th May 1864.

**Walsh John W** (Co. KILDARE) Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Oct.23rd 1862. At Harpers Ferry. After the Antietam confrontation.Note some of his paperwork state Co. Tipperary. Was a loom fixer before the war.

**Walton William** Corp. Oct.31st.1861 3 Yrs. Deserted July 11th 1863.



**Waters Brian** Private April 8th 1864 3 Yrs. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Watson James** Private Jan.19th 1865 3 Yrs. Mustered out with Co

**Weiler A William** Private Sept.24th 1863 3 Yrs Enrolled Co. E Pa 71st Inf. 26.9.1863 at Pottsville. He was aged 22. Then transferred to the 69th Pa Inf 12. 6. 1864. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865. William lived 1834-1898. Wife Nancy Weiler lived 1833-1916. Buried in the Evergreen Cemetery Annville Lebanon Co. Pa. Native of Schuylkill Philadelphia. William was a member of the Knights of Pythias Lodge. Died aged 74. He left behind his wife and son Nathaniel who lived near Annville. William was living in Steelstown Annville when he died. His death was reported in the Lebanon Daily News Jan 8th .1908. He had died 7th Jan the day previous.

**Welsh John** Private Mar.31st 1864 3 Yrs. Not on muster out roll.

**White James** Sergt. Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Transferred to Vet Reserve Corps Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1863

**Whitney David E.** Private Oct.19th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Mustered out with Co. July 1st 1865.

**Williams Frederick** Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs. Substitute. Absent sick at muster out.

**Williams George B.** Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs. Discharged on Surgeons Cert. June 18th 1865.

**Williams John H** Corp. Feb.25th 1864 3 Yrs. Transferred to Co. I Feb.27th 1865.

**Wilson James** Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs. Drafted. Absent sick at muster out.

**Wilson James** Private Sept.26th 1863 3 Yrs Drafted. Absent sick at muster out.

**Wilson John** Private May 28th 1861 3 Yrs Was court-martialled No details.

**Wilson John** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs Promoted to Hospital Steward Feb.15th 1865.

**Wilt Charles** Private Oct.31st 1861 3 Yrs. Deserted Nov.1st.1862.

**Winer Joseph** Private April 7th 1862 3 Yrs. Absent wounded at muster out.

**Wray Moses** Joined 71<sup>st</sup> Pa Infantry Co F as bugler at Philadelphia 28<sup>th</sup> June 1861 aged 27. Transferred to Co. A 69<sup>th</sup> Pa. 12<sup>th</sup> June 1864. Died in Philadelphia from alcohol related disease Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 1890 aged 56. Buried in the now defunct Monument cemetery Philadelphia 12<sup>th</sup> Dec 1890. A married man and a horse clipper by trade. Wife name Ann. Lived at 145 Dana St Philadelphia. Note Monument cemetery now defunct and remains in 1956 removed to Lawnview Cemetery. Philadelphia communal grave,