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FROM 1540 TO 1872.

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CHOCTA.—Eugene C. Rhodes ; captured at LaFayette.
 GREENE.—James Harrison ; captured at LaFayette.
 FAYETTE.—W. H. Whitley.

I.—NINTH ALABAMA—(CAVALRY).

This regiment was formed near Tullahoma, in May 1863, by consolidating Malone's Twelfth and Thomason's Fourteenth battalions. The former had organized in September 1862, and served in the brigades successively of Gen's J. T. Morgan and J. A. Wharton, fighting at Murfreesboro. The regiment served with Wharton's brigade till December 1863, operating in the vicinity of the Army of Tennessee, and taking part, with some loss, in numerous skirmishes. Brigaded with the First, Third, Fourth, and Fifty-first Alabama cavalry, first under Gen. J. T. Morgan, afterwards under Generals Allen and Hagan, the Ninth was in the battle of Shelbyville with much loss, in the severe and bloody campaign in Tennessee with Longstreet's corps, and in many conflicts in front of the main army. During the Dalton-Atlanta campaign, the Ninth was continually at the exposed points, losing severely in a number of instances. With other portions of Wheeler's cavalry, the regiment followed Sherman eastward, and a remnant surrendered in North Carolina.

FIELD AND STAFF.

COLONEL.—James C. Malone of Limestone ; wounded in Tennessee, and at Noonday Creek.

LIEUTENANT COLONEL.—Z. Thomason of DeKalb ; captured at Shelbyville.

MAJORS.—Eugene Falconett ; transferred. Thomas H. Malone of Limestone ; captured at Shelbyville.

ADJUTANT.—Wm. H. Binford of Madison ; died in the service. Jerome E. Russell of Limestone.

The men and officers of this regiment were from Limestone, DeKalb, Madison, Morgan, Lauderdale, Cherokee, and Lawrence. The following were captains of companies: T. H. Malone, promoted ; Wm. P. Westmoreland, transferred ; Wm. H. Hammock ; Robert W. Figg, wounded at Dover, retired ; George Mason, wounded at Atlanta ; Robert B. Davenport, resigned ; James M. Stevenson, killed at Dover ; Marcus J. Williams ; W. L. Brown, resigned ; S. S. Clayton, captured at Shelbyville ; S. P. Dobbs, wounded at Shelbyville and in Georgia ; Thomas J. McDonald, resigned ; John H. Lester, wounded and captured at Dandridge ; T. W. Harper ; James M. Robinson, wounded and captured ; Robert A. McClelland ; Wm. E. Wayland, killed at Rome ; A. D. Blansitt ; James E. Nance, killed in South Carolina ; John B. Floyd, wounded at

Noonday Creek ; Wm. E. Thompson, wounded in Tennessee and at Calhoun ; John Green, absent without leave ; John White, superceded.

II.—NINTH ALABAMA—(CAVALRY).

This regiment was organized at Blue Mountain in the summer of 1864, and was brigaded under Gen. Pillow. It operated in the vicinity of the Army of Tennessee while it lay at Dalton, and was with General Pillow for about eight months. Transferred to Clanton's brigade, the Ninth fought under that officer at Ten Islands, with some loss. It was soon after sent to west Florida, and there made head against Steele's column at Bluff Spring, losing a number. The regiment then resisted Wilson's corps, and in May laid down its arms at Gainesville.

FIELD AND STAFF.

COLONEL.—Henry J. Livingston of Autauga.

LIEUT. COLONEL.—Thomas L. Faulkner of Autauga.

MAJOR.—R. J. Moses of Russell.

ADJUTANT.—Chas. E. Stewart of Dallas ; transferred to line.

CAPTAINS, AND COUNTIES FROM WHICH THE COMPANIES CAME.

AUTAUGA AND BIBB.—W. C. C. Cleveland.

GREENE AND PERRY.—... Horton ; resigned. Geo. Goldthwaite.

MONTGOMERY.—Thomas Orme ; resigned. John A. Floyd.

SHELBY.—John Moore ; killed at Ten Islands. J. F. Watson ; killed near Pollard. Charles E. Stewart.

FRANKLIN.—T. J. Atkinson ; wounded near Decatur ; wounded near Guntersville.

MARSHALL.—Samuel Henry.

WALKER.—F. H. Musgrove.

ST. CLAIR.—John W. W. Wharton.

CHAMBERS.—... Smith.

RUSSELL.—[A company always on detached duty.]

TENTH ALABAMA—(CAVALRY).

This was a regiment organized in the winter of 1863-'4, to constitute part of Roddy's command. Richard O. Pickett of Lauderdale was the colonel, and the men were from the northern counties of Alabama. The services of the regiment were confined in a great measure to outpost operations in the Tennessee valley, though it participated in the Pulaski raid, and other encounters and forays.