

REPORT

OF THE

ADJUTANT GENERAL

OF THE

STATE OF INDIANA.

VOLUME II.—1861-1865.

CONTAINING ROSTERS OF

GOVERNOR'S MILITARY STAFF, INDIANA OFFICERS COMMISSIONED BY THE
PRESIDENT, OFFICERS AND HISTORICAL MEMORANDA OF INDIANA REGIMENTS,
NUMBERED FROM THE SIXTH TO THE SEVENTY-FOURTH INCLUSIVE.

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the country to Batesville, Arkansas, halting at Sulphur Rock for nearly two months. Leaving the latter place June 22d, it reached Helena, on the Mississippi river on the 13th of July. The command suffered severely on this arduous march by reason of the scarcity of provisions, there being but a scanty supply with the command and but little in the country; very often the daily rations consisted of four ears of corn with a small allowance of meat. During this march some skirmishing was had with the enemy in the cane-brakes of White River and an engagement fought at Cotton Plant. In August, while on an expedition from Helena a skirmish was had at Austin, Mississippi. On the 6th of October, the Eighth was placed in the command of Gen. Steele and proceeded, by steamer, to Sulphur Hill near St. Louis, Missouri, from which place it marched to Ironton on the 11th of October, and from thence marched and counter-marched through the south eastern portion of the State, until March 5th, 1863, when the Regiment embarked on a steamer at St. Genevieve to join Gen. Grant's Army then organizing at Milliken's Bend, Louisiana. Here it was assigned to Benton's Brigade, Carr's Division of the 13th Corps, McClernand commanding. On the 29th of April, the Regiment crossed the Mississippi river and participated in the engagements at Port Gibson, on the 1st of May, losing in killed and wounded thirty-two; at Jackson on the 14th; at Champion Hills on the 16th; at Black River Bridge on the 17th; and from the 19th of May till the 4th of July, was engaged in the siege of Vicksburg. In the assault on the enemy's works on the 22d of June, the Eighth lost one hundred and seventeen in killed and wounded. On the 5th of July, it marched to Jackson, which, being evacuated by the rebels, the Eighth returned to Vicksburgh on the 24th of July, where it remained till the 20th of August, when it embarked on a steamer for Carrollton,

Louisiana. From this point a campaign was made through the Teche Country, under Gen. Banks. On the 12th of November the Regiment embarked from Berwick City for Texas, and on the 17th, took part in the attack and capture of a fort on Mustang Island, near Aransas Pass. On the 27th, it was engaged in the attack and capture of Fort Esperanza, after which it marched to Indianola. Here, on the 1st of January, 1864, the Regiment re-enlisted, 417 out of 515 being re-mustered as Veterans. Prior to re-enlistment the Eighth sustained the following losses by death: killed in action 48, died of wounds 32, died of disease 137, total 217.

On the 22d of April the Regiment arrived at Indianapolis on Veteran furlough and remained in the State a month. Returning to New Orleans it embarked on the 27th of July for Morganza Bend, and the next day marched to Atchafalaya where it engaged the rebels and returned to Morganza Bend, from which place it embarked on steamer for Washington City, arriving there on the 12th of August. From thence it marched to Berryville, Virginia, where it was assigned to the 19th Corps, participating in the campaign of the Shenandoah Valley, under Gen. Sheridan. The Regiment was in the engagement at Opequan on the 19th of September, and in the battles of Fisher's Hill, on the 22d of September, and of Cedar Creek on the 19th of October. It left the Valley on the 6th of January, 1865, and arrived at Savannah, Georgia, by steamer from Baltimore, on the 16th of the same month. It remained on duty in Georgia until the 28th of August, 1865, when it was mustered out of service. On the 17th of September, the Eighth arrived at Indianapolis, in command of Lieut. Col. Jno. R. Polk, with 14 officers and 245 men, where it was finally discharged from service, after being publicly received in the Capitol grounds by Gov. Morton, on behalf of the State.

NINTH REGIMENT (THREE YEARS) INDIANA VOLUNTEERS.

Company.	NAMES AND RANK.	Residence.	Date of Commission.	Date of Muster.	REMARKS.
	<i>Colonel.</i>				
	ROBERT H. MILROY	Rensselaer	April 26, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Brigadier General U. S. V. Sept. 3, 1861.
	GIDEON C. MOODY	Rensselaer	Nov. 15, 1861	Nov. 15, 1861	Mustered out Aug. 19, 1862; appointed Captain 19th U. S. Inf.
	WILLIAM H. BLAKE	Michigan City	Aug. 20, 1862	Sept. 27, 1862	Resigned April 16, 1863.
	ISAAC C. B. SUMAN	Valparaiso	April 17, 1863	April 30, 1863	
	<i>Lieutenant Colonel.</i>				
	GIDEON C. MOODY	Rensselaer	Aug. 28, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Colonel.
	WILLIAM H. BLAKE	Michigan City	Nov. 15, 1861	Nov. 15, 1861	Promoted Colonel.
	ISAAC C. B. SUMAN	Valparaiso	Aug. 20, 1862	Sept. 27, 1862	Promoted Colonel.
	WILLIAM P. LASSELLE	Logansport	April 17, 1863	April 30, 1863	
	<i>Major.</i>				
	WILLIAM H. BLAKE	Michigan City	Aug. 28, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Lieutenant Colonel.
	JOHN B. MILROY	Delphi	Nov. 15, 1861	Nov. 15, 1861	Resigned July 13, 1862.
	WILLIAM P. LASSELLE	Logansport	Aug. 20, 1862	Sept. 27, 1862	Promoted Lieutenant Colonel.
	GEORGE H. CARTER	LaPorte	April 17, 1863	April 30, 1863	Mustered out and honorably discharged, Jan. 11, 1865.
	JAMES D. BRADEN	Elkhart	Feb. 18, 1865	Feb. 27, 1865	
	<i>Adjutant.</i>				
	THOMAS J. PATTON	LaPorte	Aug. 28, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Killed at battle of Shiloh, Tenn. April 7, 1862.
	WILLIAM H. BENNY	Valparaiso	May 30, 1862	May 30, 1862	Resigned Nov. 24, 1862.
	EZRA WILLARD	Elkhart	Nov. 25, 1862	Nov. 25, 1862	Resigned March 2, 1863.
	STEPHEN P. HODSDEN	Valparaiso	March 3, 1863	April 24, 1863	Promoted Captain Company "H."
	LAFAYETTE BURR	Valparaiso	Aug. 1, 1864	Dec. 2, 1864	Promoted Captain Company "G."
	ZACHEUS B. FIFIELD	Perry Centre, Mch	March 31, 1865	Feb. 25, 1865	Resigned April 5, '65.

NINTH (THREE YEARS) REGIMENT INDIANA VOLUNTEERS—Continued.

Company.	NAMES AND RANK.	Residence.	Date of Commission.	Date of Muster.	REMARKS.
	<i>Quartermaster.</i>				
	JAMES J. DRUM	Indianapolis	Aug. 28, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Died at Indianapolis, Indiana, May 31, 1863.
	WASHINGTON KELLY	Plymouth	June 10, 1863	May 7, 1863	Mustered out under Circular 75, W. D. series 1864.
	LAFAYETTE BURR	Ferry Centre, Mch	Feb. 18, 1865	Feb. 25, 1865	Promoted Adjutant.
	JOHN MCLEERAN	New Albany	March 31, 1865	April 5, 1865	
	<i>Chaplain.</i>				
	SAFETY LAYTON	Logansport	Sept. 5, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Resigned July 6, '62. Re-appointed Chaplain 17th Reg.
	CHARLES L. SMITH	Pleasant Grove	Sept. 1, 1862	Sept. 1, 1862	Resigned July 30, 1863.
	HARRY SMITH	Valparaiso	Nov. 17, 1863	Nov. 4, 1863	Resigned July 28, 1864.
	<i>Surgeon.</i>				
	DANIEL MEEKER	LaPorte	April 30, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Resigned ——— 1861.
	MASON G. SHERMAN	Michigan City	Nov. 15, 1861	Nov. 15, 1861	
	<i>Assistant Surgeon.</i>				
	MASON G. SHERMAN	Michigan City	Aug. 30, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Surgeon.
	JOHN K. BLACKSTONE	Hebron	Nov. 15, 1861	Nov. 15, 1861	Resigned March 11, 1862.
	WILLIAM B. FLETCHER	Indianapolis	March 20, 1862		Declined.
	ALEXANDER W. GILMORE	LaPorte	March 28, 1862	March 28, 1862	Dishonorably dismissed March 11, 1863. Re-commissioned Assistant Surgeon.
	ALEXANDER W. GILMORE	LaPorte	June 9, 1863	June 13, 1863	Died at Camp Harker, Tenn. May 13, 1865.
	TIMOTHY B. COX	Frankfort	April 25, 1862		Additional Assistant Surgeon pro tem.
	JOSHUA D. GRAY	Plymouth	April 26, 1862		Additional Assistant Surgeon pro tem.
	MAX HOFFMAN	Valparaiso	Sept. 25, 1863	Oct. 14, 1864	

A	<i>Captain.</i>				
	JOHN B. MILROY	Delphi	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Major.
	THOMAS MADDEN	Lafayette	Oct. 8, 1861	Oct. 8, 1861	Resigned March 15, 1864.
	GEORGE K. MARSHALL	Delphi	March 16, 1864		Resigned as 1st Lieutenant Oct. 4, 1864.
	THOMAS W. THOMPSON	Delphi	Oct. 5, 1864	Feb. 11, 1865	
	<i>First Lieutenant.</i>				
	THOMAS MADDEN	Delphi	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Captain.
	FRANK P. GROSS	Lafayette	Oct. 8, 1861	Oct. 8, 1861	Resigned April 25, 1863.
	SAMUEL SIDENBENDER	Delphi	April 26, 1863	May 26, 1863	Resigned May 31, 1863. Re-entered service as private in 11th Cavalry, promoted 2d Lieutenant.
	GEORGE K. MARSHALL	Delphi	June 1, 1863	June 11, 1863	Promoted Captain. Resigned Oct. 4, 1864.
	THOMAS W. THOMPSON	Delphi	March 16, 1864		Promoted Captain.
	JAMES M. WHARTON	Delphi	Jan. 1, 1865	Feb. 11, 1865	
	<i>Second Lieutenant.</i>				
	JACOB K. ARMOR	Delphi	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Resigned Oct. 8, 1861.
	JOHN A. SAVAGE	Delphi	Oct. 8, 1861	Oct. 8, 1861	Resigned Sept. 28, 1862.
	HENRY KESLER	Delphi	Dec. 14, 1862	Dec. 14, 1862	Killed in action at "Stone River," Tenn. Dec. 31, 1862.
	SAMUEL SIDENBENDER	Delphi	Jan. 1, 1863	April 7, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	GEORGE K. MARSHALL	Delphi	April 26, 1863	May 26, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	THOMAS W. THOMPSON	Delphi	June 1, 1863	June 11, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	EDWARD L. EPHLIN	LaPorte	March 16, 1865	March 25, 1865	
B	<i>Captain.</i>				
	WILLIAM COPP	Michigan City	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Resigned Sept. 28, 1862; wounded at Shiloh.
	JOSEPH W. HARDING	Calumet	Sept. 29, 1862	Sept. 29, 1862	Resigned April 22, 1863. Re-entered service as 1st Lieutenant in 155th Regiment.
	JAMES McCORMICK	Westville	April 23, 1863	May 24, 1863	Resigned June 2, 1863.
	JOHN CRANER	Michigan City	June 3, 1863	Aug. 1, 1863	

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C	<i>First Lieutenant.</i>				
	JOSEPH W. HARDING	Calumet	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Captain.
	REUBEN PLATT	Calumet	Sept. 29, 1862	Sept. 29, 1862	Dishonorably dismissed Feb. 9, 1863.
	JAMES McCORMICK	Westville	Feb. 10, 1863	March 4, 1863	Promoted Captain.
	JOHN CRANER	Michigan City	April 23, 1863	May 24, 1863	Promoted Captain.
	ISAAC N. LEONARD	Westville	June 3, 1863	Aug. 1, 1863	
	<i>Second Lieutenant.</i>				
	REUBEN PLATT	Calumet	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	JAMES McCORMICK	Westville	Sept. 29, 1862	Sept. 29, 1862	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	JOHN CRANER	Michigan City	Feb. 10, 1863	March 4, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	ISAAC N. LEONARD	Westville	April 23, 1863	May 24, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	JOHN McLEERAN	New Albany	Feb. 4, 1865	Feb. 11, 1865	Promoted Quartermaster.
	JOHN R. DISBROW	N. Buffalo, Mich.	April 1, 1865	April 20, 1865	
	<i>Captain.</i>				
	DOUGLAS G. RISLEY	Elkhart	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Dismissed Feb. 13, 1863.
	JAMES D. BRADEN	Elkhart	Feb. 14, 1863	April 25, 1863	Promoted Major.
	ANDREW J. MARTIN	Osolo	Feb. 19, 1865	March 25, 1865	
	<i>First Lieutenant.</i>				
	JAMES D. BRADEN	Elkhart	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Captain.
AMBROSE G. BIERCE	Warsaw	Feb. 14, 1862	April 25, 1863	Resigned Jan. 25, 1865.	
ANDREW J. MARTIN	Osolo	Jan. 26, 1865	Feb. 11, 1865	Promoted Captain.	
SIMEON BARRINGER	Elkhart	March 16, 1865	March 25, 1865		

D	<i>Second Lieutenant.</i>				
	EZRA WILLARD	Elkhart	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Adjutant.
	AMBROSE G. BIERCE	Warsaw	Nov. 25, 1862	April 4, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	ANDREW J. MARTIN	Osolo	Feb. 14, 1863	April 25, 1863	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.
	JOHN H. SHANER		June 1, 1865	June 10, 1865	
	<i>Captain.</i>				
	AMASA JOHNSON	Plymouth	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Mustered out Sept. 6, 1864; term expired.
	DAVID B. CREVISTON	Plymouth	Oct. 1, 1864	Dec. 4, 1864	
	<i>First Lieutenant.</i>				
	WILLIAM H. H. MATTINGLY	Plymouth	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Resigned Feb. 6, 1862.
	WASHINGTON KELLY	Plymouth	Feb. 15, 1862	May 7, 1862	Promoted Quartermaster.
	DAVID B. CREVISTON	Plymouth	June 10, 1863	June 28, 1863	Promoted Captain.
RICHARD H. H. TYNER	Tyner City	Oct. 1, 1864	Dec. 4, 1864		
<i>Second Lieutenant.</i>					
WASHINGTON KELLY	Plymouth	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.	
DAVID B. CREVISTON	Plymouth	Feb. 15, 1862	May 7, 1862	Promoted 1st Lieutenant.	
GEORGE H. WILBER	Plymouth	June 10, 1863	June 28, 1863	Resigned Sept. 24, 1864.	
ALFRED ALLEN	Argos	March 1, 1865	April 28, 1865		
E	<i>Captain.</i>				
	JOHN K. BLACKSTONE	Hebron	Sept. 1, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Assistant Surgeon.
	LEONIDAS A. COLE	Rensselaer	Dec. 12, 1861	Dec. 12, 1861	Mustered out; term expired.
	CLAYTON W. ROBERTS	Morrisville, Pa.	Feb. 1, 1865	Feb. 11, 1865	
	<i>First Lieutenant.</i>				
	LEONIDAS A. COLE	Rensselaer	Aug. 29, 1861	Sept. 5, 1861	Promoted Captain.
	LEWIS S. NICKSTON	LaPorte	Dec. 12, 1861	Dec. 12, 1861	Killed in action at "Chicamauga," Sept. 19, 1863.
	THOMAS BRICKETT	Bristol	Sept. 20, 1863		Resigned as 1st Lieutenant, March 17, 1864.
	CLAYTON W. ROBERTS	Morrisville, Pa.	March 18, 1864	June 8, 1864	Promoted Captain.
	GEORGE W. BLOOMFIELD	Valparaiso	Feb. 4, 1865	Feb. 11, 1865	