

Comrade John P. Neer

Who was born the 27 day of April A.D. 1842 in Concord Twp. County of Champaign. State of Ohio and first entered the service the 30th day of July 1862, and going to Camp Chase near Columbus, Ohio the 19th day of August 1862 as a private and was assigned to Comp. H 45 Reg't Ohio Vol. Inf.

Was promoted to corporal in August 1862, and to a sargency the 12day of Dec. '62 and to first sargent 24th day of July 62, To 1st Lieut. in June 1865 and was mustered put of the service the 12 day of June 1865 at camp Harker, Near Nashville, Tenn. by reason of close of the war. He was first engages in battle Duttons Hill or Summersett, Ky. the 30th day of March and was followed by engagements at Monticello, Ky. on the 9th of June 63 at Philadelphia, Tenn. the 20 of Oct. 63. Holston River, Tenn., Nov. 16, 63. Near Knoxville, Tenn. Nov. 17. 63. Through Atlanta Campaign from Tunnell hill, Ga. to Jonesborough from May 9th to Sept. 6th 1864. Battle of Franklin, Tenn. Nov. 30. And Nashville, Tenn, Dec. 15 & 16, 1864.

Was wounded by being shot through the left lung Nov. 17, 63 about 7 or 8 miles west of Knoxville by General Longstruls advance on the place when he beseiged it.

Was confined in hospital in Knoxville from Nov. 17, 1863 Jany 14, 1864.

He names among those with whom he was intimately associated comrades, D.F. Johnson, H.C. Gibbs, Jno Thackery, John Hammon, J.O. Neer, Jacob Snauffer, A.C. [Der??lta] and C.H. Smith. The events worthy of special mention in his military experience was the battles of Franklin and Nashville, Tenn. In the engagement at Philadelphia, Tenn. this regiment lost 168 men in killed, wounded, and prisoners and 101 in the battle at Holstoic River. The campaign in Tenn. in 1863 was very disasterous to his regiment.

We certify that Comrade Jno. P. Neer Joined W.A. Brand Post No. 98 Department of Ohio 7th day of April, 1889.

Resolutions of respect, offered by Committee and addopted by the Post on death of Comrades named:

Comrade W.W. Vance of the regimental band, of the 66th Regt. Ohio Vol. Inf. died April 1896.

Comrade H.C. Osborne of Co. A 134th Regt Ohio Vol. Inf. died August 1896.

Comrade J.H. Lamar of Co. (blank) Regt Ohio Vol. Inf. died Sept. 1896

Comrade Sampson Barbee of 70th Regt. Ind. Vol. Inf: died Decem 1896.

Comrade W.W. Walker of the Co. H 45 Regt Ohio Vol. Inf. died March 1897.

Comrade Chas. Kuhlencamp of Co. C, 108th Regt Ohio Vol. Inf. died March 15, 1897.

Whereas, Death has invaded our ranks, and removed from among our number, Comrades, Vance, Walker, Osborne, Lamar, Sampson, Kuhlencamp, bringing us to realize that this is truly not our permanent abiding place, and, that we sincerely feel our loss in the death of our comrades, therefore let it be.

Resolved:

By W.A. Brand Post, that in their death we have sustained an irripairable loss, that our country has been deprived of honored and patriotic citizens, manifesting their loyalty by many personal sacrifices in our country's time of greatest need. That we extend to the family and friends our sincere sympathies in the loss and bereavement.

Headquarters W.A. Brand Post No. 98

Grand Army of Republic Dept. of O

Urbana, O Sept. 1898

Signed-

J.H. Ewing

J.T. Woodward

T.V. Seville

Com.

1848

Comrade James Panthony

Who was born the 4 day of December A.D. 1822 in (blank) County of Berkley. State of Virginia and first entered the service in the United States army the 21st day of January 1847 for duty in the war with Mexico. Going into camp at Richmond, Va. where he remained about 5 weeks when he was taken to Fortress Monroe, Va. remaining there until the 10 of March '47 at which time they

were ordered to Point Isabell 9 miles below the mouth of the Rio Grand River embarking on a sailing boat and arriving at the Point about the 29th day of March, thence on foot to Conemargo. Conemargo to Monterey Mexico reaching there about the 30 of April, 1847. Marching from Monterey to Buena Vista reaching there about 30 of June, where he remained doing guard duty until Feby 29th, 1848.

He went to Saletillo, Mexico for provost duty then about 30 of April. About 14 day of June, 1848 we were ordered to return home peace having been declared. We returned in the same Manner we went to Saltillo to Buena Vista to Monterey, Conemargo to Mouth of point Isabel, were we embarked when embarked for Fortress Monroe July 31st, 1848. Intimate comrades in first service Jacob Shank, Robt Gainer, Andrew Duffy, Jacob Crowl.

Comrade Panthony reenlisted in 21 day of August, 1861 in Compy F. Cap't Prater of the Potomac Home Guards or Brigade or 1st Maryland Vol. Inf. The first engagement in which he participated was battle of Harpers Ferry 14 & 15 of Sept. 62 in which he was taken prisoner and paroled at once. Was then sent to Parole Camp at Annapolis, Md. and remained in camp then until January 1863 where he was exchanged, and again rejoined his regiment doing Out Post duty around Port Tobacco, Md. and on the Potomac River to June 1863. We were ordered from Port Tobacco, Md. To the Gettysburgh campaign. Participated in battle of Gettysburgh July 1 to 3, 1863. At battle of Monocacy in July 64, Duffields Station July 29, '64. Out Post duty in Shenandoah Vally Sept. 1864 to June 1865.

Was promoted to corporal shortly after entering the service. The regimental designation was changed to the 13 Md. Vol. Inf. He names as comrades with whom he was intimately associated, Wa't Greer, Washington Miller, William Miller, Phil Warner, and Fred Warner.

We certify that Comrade James Panthong Joined W.A. Brand Post No.98 Department of Ohio...(blank)

Comrade George W. Parlett

Who was born the 13th day of November, A.D., 1831 in Shippensburg, County of (blank), State of Pennsylvania.

And first entered the service as a private soldier the 10th day of Oct., 1861 and assigned to Compy B. Cap't Palmer, 66 Reg't Ohio Vol. Inf. And was mustered out of the service the 24th day of July, 1862 at Columbus, Ohio by reason of surgeons certificate of disability for further military duty. The first engagement in which he participated was Gen'l Banks retreat from Strawsburgh to Winchester, Va. He was injured by log falling across his leg and breaking it at the ankle while engaged in building a bridge; was confined in hospital at Strawsbrg about 2 weeks, from Strawsbrg, Va was driven to Winchester, Va. thence to Hagerstown, Md.; from which place was given a furlough for 30 days.

At expiration of 30 days, he reported to Captain Dodd Provost Marshall at Columbus. He never rejoined his regiment again. He names as some of his intimate associates with whom he served in the army as being Cap't B.F. Garrison, Cap't Jas. McDonald, Archie Huston, Michael Durgan, and Jacob Houts.

And as the most important event in his military experience the retreat of General Banks from Strawsburgh to Winchester.

We certify that Comrade George W. Parlett Joined W.A. Brand, Post No. 98 Department of Ohio, Sept. 20, 1883.

The Memorial services of Brand Post No. 98 Dep't of Ohio G.A.R. for year 1899 was held in Post hall corner Monument square and Scioto street, Sunday, December 31st at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Fuller of the first M.E. Church delivering the address.

The hall was not crowded, but a good attendance of the Comrades and friends were present. Three comrades, members of the Post have answered their last roll call, during the past 12 months.

Comrade Mathias Glouner died Nov. 5th, 1899 at his home in Kennard, Ohio and was buried in Ferncliff cemetery, Springfield, Ohio. Pall bearers from the Post attended funeral at Kennard, placing remains on board cars for Springfield Station.

Comrade George Partlett, died May 15th, 1899, in the city and was buried in Oak Dale cemetery, attended by the Post.

Comrade George H. Guy, died May 15th, 1899 in the city, interment at Oak Dale cemetery. Post attending funeral in body.

Comrade [Zac?cah] Pile

Who was born the (blank) day of (blank) A.D., 1815 in (blank) County of (blank) State of Virginia.

He entered the service from Green County, Ohio the 11th day of Feby, 1865 as a private in Compy K, Capt [Folk????] 184 Regt Ohio Vol. Inf. For 1 year going into camp at Camp Chase Columbus, Ohio. The company was mustered the 20th of Feby, 1865 and the compy together with the Reg't were immediately ordered to Nashville, Tenn. For garrison duty from Nashville to Chattanooga, Tenn. Thence to Bridgeport, Ala when the regiment was engaged in guarding and protecting an important R.R. bridge over the Tennessee River and about 30 miles of the R. Road

from Bridgeport to Chattanooga. Comrade Pyles was detailed as teamster a portion of the time. He was discharged from the service the 16th day of June, 1865 at Bridgeport, Ala. By reason of Order from the War Dept.

He was never in a battle, was never a prisoner, but was in hospital at Bridgeport, Ala. By reason of injuries rec'd by a mule.

He names as some of his intimate associates in the service comrades Lewis Miller and John Morris.

He joined Brand Post by transfer from Powell Post No. 381, Tremont City, O.

We certify that Comrade Zacriah Pyles Joined W.A. Brand Post No. 98 Department of Ohio Sept 25, 1886.

Comrade Ira J. Powell

Who was born the 10th day of January A.D. 1843 in Tippicanoe City. County of Miami. State of Ohio and first entered the service the 13th day of July 1863 as a private soldier in Compy B, Capt Winder 4 Ind. Batt. Ohio Vol. Cav. Going into camp at Camp Dennison near Cincinnati, O. for the term of 6 months; and was mustered out of the service the 15th day of Feby 1864 at Cincinnati Ohio by reason of expiration of term of enlistment.

He was a comrade and a citizen highly esteemed by all those who were closely associated with him, for his high standard of moral and social integrity.

He was a long sufferer from that dreaded disease, Malignant Cancer and had several operations performed on his cheek in hopes of some relief of the rapidly growing disease, but each operation only seemed to aggravate the dread disorder. He passed to that [co??] from which no traveler returns to the realities of a unknown world the 25th day of Jany 1895 at his home 5 miles south East of Urbana surrounded with loving friends.

The Post accorded his remains and honored burial and contributed the emblems Love, Purity, & Peace as the last sad tokens from the living.

His bereaved wife has named the following comrades she has of heart him refer to as being special friends. Com'd S.B. Williams of Dayton, O Capt J.H. Winder and Com'd B.F. Arnold

We certify that Comrade Ira J. Powell Joined W.A. Brand Post No. 98 Department of Ohio June 2nd, 1887.

Resolutions of the death of comrade Ira J. Powell

Comrade Ira J. Powell was called from his suffering prepared for Gods [popl'r] the 25th day of January 1895.

In the year 1863 on the 13th day of July and at age of twenty years he enlisted in Company "B" 4th Indp't Battalion Ohio Cavalry for six months or during the war.

He served his term of enlistment and received an honorable discharge. Therefore be it.

Resolved: That in the death of comrade Ira J. Powell we are reminded of the frailty of the human life and that this Post has lost one of its most honored members and that we extend to his family our heartfelt sympathy in this their hour of sorrow and sore affliction. Commending them to the Care of Our God who doeth all things well.

Headquarters W.A. Brand Post

Dept of Ohio G.A.R. Feby 21, 1895

Signed

Wm. M. Whitaker

B.F. Dixon

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Comrade James M. Poysell

Who was born the 28th day of April A.D. 1841 in West Liberty. County of Logan. State of Ohio; and first entered the service the 8th day of August, 1862 going into camp at Camp Delaware Ohio, as a private in Comp'y I Cap't Chandler 96th Reg't Ohio Vol. Inf. and was transferred to Comp'y B Bat. Cap't Chandler same Reg't, Nove. 3rd, 1864 was finally discharged as a private the 7th day of July 1865 at Mobile, Ala. by reason of close of the war. The first engagement in which he participated was [Chrekasaw] Bluff Miss. Dec. 28 & 29, 1862 near Vicksburgh and was followed with engagements at Fort Hinderman, Ark.; Jan 11, 1863; Seige of Vicksburgh, Miss. May 18 to July 4, 1863; Jackson, Miss. July 9 to 16 '63, Grand Coteau, La. Nov. 3, '63; when he was captured by the rebels; Was confined in the rebel prison at Alexander, La. From date of capture until leaving by having been exchanged the first day of May 1864 when he rejoined his regiment. Was on the Red River expedition against Fort Gaines and Fort Morgan Ala. August 5 to 23, '64 Spanish Fort, Ala Mar. 26 to Apl. 8th 1865; Surrender of Mobile, Ala Mar 12, 1865.

Was wounded slightly in hand at battle of Grand Coteau, La. Nov. 3, 1863 but was never confined in hospital.

He names as some of his intimate associates comrades Wallace Taylor Geo. Shumate, Chas. Stephens and Cyrus Humphreys. The important events occurring during his military experience in the service was the siege of and Surrender of Vicksburgh, Miss July 4, 1863. The running of the blockade by Commodore Farragut's fleet at Mobile Bay, Ala, and the capturing of the rebel [ram], Tennessee, which was built by contributions of Jewelry & c. from the Ladies of the southern confederacy. He witness'd the explosion of the of the Steam boat City of Madison loaded with ammunition of Vicksburgh, Miss.

We had two brothers, lost their lives on the steam boat Sultana, when it exploded 6 miles above the city of Memphis, Tenn, the 27 day of April, 1865 named Samuel & William Poysell.

Com'd Poysell traveled on foot 1683 miles, by rail 517 miles, by [waler] 7686 miles or a total of 9886 miles.

I certify that the sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe (blank)
Date, April 17, 1895 Signed, James M. Poysell.

We certify that Comrade James M. Poysell Joined W.A. Brand Post No 98 Department of Ohio 4th day of March, 1886. Held Offices of [Jrm] Vice under Comdr Keller, officer day under W.R. Warnock Com'dr..

Comrade Samuel Berryhill Price

Who was born the 24 day of February A.D. 1842 in Union Twp. County of Champaign, State of Ohio and first entered the service of the United States in 17th day of April 1861 in response to call by President Lincoln on 13th of April for 75,000 men for the period of 90 days; and was mustered out of the service about the 1st day of August 1861 with the company. He reenlisted again (after his discharge from the 3 months term of service in Compy K Capt. (balnk) 2nd Regt Ohio Vol. Inf.) in Company A. Cap't A.S. Berryhill of the 2nd Reg't Ohio Vol. Inf. for period of 3 years or during the war going into Camp at Camp Dennison Ohio near Cincinnati and was mustered out of the service the 10 day of Oct., 1864 by reason of expiration of term of service. The first engagement in which he participated was the battle of Bull Run, Va. on Sunday July 21st 1861 and was followed by engagements at battle of West Liberty, Ky. Oct. 23rd, 1861; Fry Mountain, Ky. Bridgeport, Tenn. Apl 29, 1861; Perryville, Oct. 8, 1862, Battle of Stone River, or Murfreesboro, Tenn. Dec. 31, 1862; Participated in Rosecrans campaign from Murfreesboro to Tullahoma, Tenn. the latter part of June 1863; At battle of Chickamanga, Ga. Sept. 19 & 20, 1863; Look Out, M't Nov. 24, 1863; Mission Ridge, Nov. 25, 1863; Ringold, Ga. Nov. 27, 1863.

At Buzzards Roost and Tunnell Hill, Rocky Face Ridge, Ga. Feby 25 to 27, '64. Resaca, Ga May 13th to 16, 1864 at which place on the 14th day of May he was wounded in the left leg by Minnie ball rendering amputation, necessary which was performed on the battlefield, at the ankle, and from lack of proper care was compelled to suffer another amputation about 4 inches below the knee. Gangreen having set in, the 2nd amputation taking place exactly 1 month later in the hospital at Nashville, Tenn., where he spent the summer after the battle of Resaca in hospital Nov. 1.

He names as some of his intimate associates in the service comrades Jas. H. Sivers, Jno M. Fitzpatrick, Jos. T. Steinberger, Jas. R. Ambrow, Capt A.S. Berryhill and James R. Lynch. All the battles in which he participated were important events but the suffering of the two amputations of his left leg was the severest of them all.

We certify that Comrade Samuel B. Price Joined W.A. Brand Post No. 98 Department of Ohio Nov. 21, 1881.

Comrade Chas. A. Protsman

Who was born the 26 day of Jany A.D. 1843 in Union Twp. County of Champaign. State of Ohio and first entered the service the 2nd day of May 1864 in Comp'y E. Capt W.B. Cheney 134 Reg't Ohio Vol. Inf. going into camp Camp Chase, Columbus, Ohio

He took measles at Washington City D.C. while enroute to the front and remained with the comp'y until reaching Fortress Monroe, when he was transferred to the Hampton Hospital rejoining the regiment at vicinity of Bermuda Hundred when he continued with the compy until mustered out of service at Camp Chase Columbus, Ohio August 31st, 1864.

He names as some of those with whom he was intimately associated, Com'ds W. Vermillion, Geo. Vermillion, Fletch Lafferty, Dan'l Spears, and Miner Cartmell.

We certify that Comrade Chas. A. Protsman Joined W.A. Brand Post No. 98 Department of Ohio, (blank).