

HISTORY
OF
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COUNTIES,
NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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James Sanborn, Nathan Hoit, Jonathan Hobbs Sanborn, Jeremiah Tilton, Joseph Burley, Jeremiah Sanborn, Jonathan Perkins, Moses Leavitt, Joseph Leavitt, John Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Jonathan Cate, Jonathan Thomas, Samuel Fifield, Josiah Sanborn, Lieutenant Thomas Lyford, Henry Smith, Simon Gilman, Samuel Smith, Ezekiel Danforth, Moses Danforth, Chase Taylor, Jr., Thomas Copp, Sergeant John Sanborn, Joseph Hoit, Jeremiah Swain, Dudley Swain, John Rowan.

The following persons signed the "Association Test," in 1776 :

"Richard Beacham, Eliphalet Brown, John Bryen [Bryer?] Jacob Bamford, Nathaniel Burley, Stephens Burley, Elisha Carter, Jonathan Cass, Enoch Cate, James Cates, James Cates, Jonathan Chase, John Clark, Joseph Clark, Nicholas Clark, Satchel Clark, Satchel Clark, Benjamin Colby, Isaac Colby, John Colby, Solomon Copp, Thomas Cricket [Critchett?], Moses Danforth, Benjamin Darling, William Durgin, Jun., David Dustin, Enoch Ealy, Ebenezer Eastman, Josiah Emery, Daniel Fifield, John Folsom, John Folsom, Daniel Gale, John Gale, Stephen Gale, James Gibson, Nicholas Giles, Caleb Gilman, Joseph Gilman, Moses Gilman, Ebenezer Gove, Samuel Harper, William Hayes, Jun., Joseph Hoit, Philip Hunt, Andrew Jewett, John Johnson, Edward Kelly, Daniel Lane, John Lane, Gideon Leavitt, Josiah Miles, Jun., Ebenezer Morrison, Samuel Morrison, David Ran, David Ran, Theo. Randlett, Jotham Rawlins, Moses Rendall, John Robinson, Aaron Samborn, Abijah Sanborn, Benjamin Sanborn, Daniel Sanborn, Ebenezer Sanborn, Josiah Sanborn, Josiah Sanborn, Thomas Sincklar, Robert Smart, Elisha Smith, Jacob Smith, Jonathan Smith, Jun., Timothy Smith, Ichabod Swain, Chase Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Charles Thomas, Moses Thompson, John Thorn, Nathaniel Tilton, William Tomson, Cole Weeks, Joseph Woodman.

"July 3, 1776.

"Pursuant to the within request, the Inhabitants of said Sanbornton [being now at home] have all, except one, Benjamin Hoit, severally subscribed their names hereunto.

"To the Hon^{ble} General Court, or Committee of Safety of the Colony of New Hampshire."

War of 1812.¹—A large majority of the citizens of Sanbornton were at first opposed to the War of 1812. On one occasion, the year before, at a "test vote" in town-meeting, it is said that only eleven in the whole town were found ready to support what were then called the Republican or war measures of the administration, which were thought to be tending towards the opening of hostilities. But after the British had perpetrated their outrages upon our seat of government, in August, 1814, and their fleets were seen hovering along the coast of New England as if meditating an attack, then the patriotic spirit of '76 was easily stirred. It seems that a mass-meeting of the citizens had been previously held, and at a second meeting, "September 21, 1814," the committee, through Nathan Taylor, chairman, reported a draft for a "military association," which was immediately signed by seventy-two individuals, as follows :

"Joshua Lane, William Weeks, Robert Steele, John Clark (3d), John Morrison, James Chapman, Samuel Dustin, Symmes Sawyer, Jona. Gove, Jonathan Moore, J. B. Perkins, Caleb Kimball, Nathaniel Burley, James Clark, Benjamin P. Sanborn, Reuben Philbrick, Joseph Smith, Jr., Daniel Burleigh, David Burley, Durkan Sanborn, Samuel Shirley, James Sanders, Christopher Sanborn, George Whicher, Otadiah Elkins, Nathan Taylor, Joshua Lovejoy, Cole Weeks, Jona. Perkins, Ebenr. Sanborn, Elisha Smith, Jacob Tilton, Jereh. Tilton, Page Philbrick, Jereh. Sanborn, Jr., William Taylor, Jonathan Taylor, Jr., Jonathan Taylor (3d), Elipht. Ordway, Reuben P. Smith, Benjamin Brown, Philip Hunt, Nat. Perley, Jonathan Whicher, Jeremiah Smith, John Durgin, Robert Hunkins, Aaron Wadleigh, Thomas Morrison, Stephen Merrill, John P. Hayes, Richard Hazelton, Peter Hersey, D. C. Atkinson, Saml.

C. Dudley, John D. Sanborn, Jeremiah Sanborn (3d), Simeon Moulton, Jonathan Morrison, Wilm. Robertson, Joseph Chapman, Stephen Bowles, Joseph Sanborn, Jr., John Saunders, Ebenr. Sanborn, Jr., Ebenr. Chase, Josiah Sanborn (3), John Lane, Jr., Joseph Huse, Jr., Caleb Rogers, Samuel Clark, Zebulon Smith."

LIST OF SOLDIERS.

Jonathan Darling, James Herrick, Demetrius Holcomb, Nathaniel Burleigh, Moses Gilman, Daniel Johnson, David Burleigh, Ephraim Burse (?), William Cawley, Nathaniel Danforth (4th), Barachias Farnham, James Mason, John S. Mason, Nathaniel Proctor, Robert Seavey, Jr., John Twist, Seth Tappan, Moses Smith, Luther Wallace, Noah Robertson, John Wiggins, Nathaniel Woodman, Jonathan Whicher, Joshua Smith, Chase Perkins, Bradbury Morrison, William Eaton, Ebenezer Brown, Asa Currier, Jonathan Taylor, Nathan Fogg, Nathaniel Buswell, Stephen Hersey, Abijah Sanborn, Ebenezer Colby, Thomas Webster, John Abram, Charles Ayres, Nathaniel E. Badger, Thomas Bruse, Jacob Bumford, John Bumford, Peter Burley, James Cate, Ebenezer Caverly, Taylor Clark, John Crockett, David Ellsworth, Jeremiah Ellsworth, Abram Fowler, Reuben Giles, Samuel Gilman, David Henderson, William S. Haniford, John Hunkins, Robert Hunkins, Abraham Hunt, Kelly Lakeuan, David Lane, Thomas Lane, John Leavitt, Joseph Leavitt, Charles Lougee, John Morrison, Joseph Philbrick (3d), Joseph Philbrick, Jr., Nathan Philbrick, Richard Prescott, Nathaniel Robinson, James Sanborn (4th), Jonathan Sanborn (3d), Jonathan Sanborn (4th), Josiah Sanborn, Simeon Sanborn, William Sanborn, John Sawyer, Joseph Shute, Levi Tilton, Reuben Whicher, Jona. Soames, Nathan T. Moore, Jona. Bailey, James P. Tilton, John Blake, William Chase (discharged November 3, 1814), Nathan Huse, Levi Conner, Henry Sanborn, William Durgin, William Hayes, Jr., Moses Rollins, Walker Buzzell, Jeremiah Burleigh, Jonathan Cate, Joseph Clark (died while in service, at Boston, 1815), David Clark (died in the service, in Ohio, 1814), John Critchett (killed on board the "Chesapeake," 1813), James Hersey (died of gun-shot wound, in Northern New York, November, 1813), Robert S. Hoyt, Zebulon S. Johnson, Dudley Pottle, George W. Prescott, John L. Sanborn (died on board a prison ship, 1813), James Silver (died in Northern New York), Israel Tilton, Richard Wallis (died in Sanbornton, 1814).

Sanbornton Soldiers in the War of Rebellion,² 1861-65.—In Fourth New Hampshire Regiment, enlisted September 18-20, 1861, for three years, were the following :

Charles K. Buswell, private, Company D; discharged for disability December 31, 1862.
 Charles C. Clark, corporal, Company D; discharged for disability December 5, 1861; re-enlisted Fifteenth Regiment, corporal Company H, October 11, 1862.
 Andrew B. Cutler, private, Company D; re-enlisted veteran, Company D, January 1, 1864; captured at Deep Run, Va., August 16, 1864; died at Salisbury, N. C., December 22, 1864.
 Charles H. Dearborn, private, Company D; died of disease at Hilton Head, S. C., July 20, 1863.
 Albert L. Fitzgerald, private, Company D; promoted to corporal: then to first lieutenant, October 26, 1863; discharged for disability.
 Benjamin T. Hannaford, private, Company D; resided in Northfield, but re-enlisted for Sanbornton December 26, 1863.
 Abner L. Knowlton, corporal, Company D; promoted to first sergeant; re-enlisted January 1, 1864; commissioned first lieutenant Company H November 9, 1864; commissioned captain Company H February 17, 1865; mustered out August 23, 1865.
 Horace B. Morrison, private, Company D; promoted to sergeant; mustered out September 27, 1864.
 John W. Sanborn, private, Company D; promoted to corporal; mustered out September 27, 1864.
 Winthrop H. Smith, private, Company D; discharged for disability October 19, 1861.
 Charles W. Tilton, second lieutenant, Company K; resigned January 10, 1862; re-enlisted, Ninth Regiment, first lieutenant Company C, August 10, 1862.
 In Sixth New Hampshire Regiment, enlisted November 30, 1861, for three years, were the following :
 Elijah Hastings, private, Company I; promoted to corporal; discharged at Washington, D. C., for disability, November 27, 1862.

¹ From Runnels' "History of Sanbornton."

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Charles Jaques, private, Company I; discharged for disability at Newbern, N. C., June 24, 1862.

James E. Sanborn, private, Company I; re-enlisted as veteran for three years, December 19, 1863; wounded May 12 and June 3, 1864; promoted to sergeant; and to first sergeant July 1, 1865; mustered out July 17, 1865.

In Eighth New Hampshire Regiment, enlisted December 20-31, 1861, for three years, were the following:

George A. Flanders, captain, Company F; wounded May 27, 1863; promoted to lieutenant-colonel December 16, 1863; mustered out January 18, 1865.

Joseph W. Blake, private, Company F; discharged for disability July 3, 1862.

Elijah P. Burns, private, Company F; promoted to corporal December 1, 1863; mustered out January 18, 1865.

Benaiah S. Cawley, private, Company G; promoted to corporal January 1, 1864; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; transferred to Company B, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; mustered out October 28, 1865.

Amos K. Copp, private, Company D; promoted to corporal August 1, 1863; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps April 10, 1864.

Aaron B. Fellows, private, Company F; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps May, 1864.

Samuel C. Fifield, private, Company F; discharged for disability March 27, 1863.

George H. Flagg, corporal, Company D; promoted to sergeant January 10, 1863; discharged for disability, at New Orleans, La., April 22, 1864.

Ephraim L. Frost, private, Company F; mustered out January 18, 1865.

Josiah C. Gilman, corporal, Company F; promoted to sergeant January 5, 1863; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; wounded April 8, 1864; died of disease October 14, 1864.

Nathan P. Hancock, private, Company F; discharged for disability, April, 1864.

William F. Hannaford, private, Company F; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; promoted to corporal February 14, 1864; to sergeant September 1, 1864; to first sergeant November, 1864; not officially accounted for.

William Herrick, private, Company D; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; mustered out October 28, 1865.

Leonard Huse, private, Company F; died of disease at Brashear City, La., May 31, 1863.

William S. Huse, private, Company F; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps April 30, 1864.

John B. Lamprey, private, Company D; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A., Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers; discharged for disability at Concord, June 2, 1865.

Spencer Lane, corporal, Company D; promoted to sergeant January 1, 1864; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; promoted to sergeant-major November 13, 1864; mustered out January 18, 1865.

Ezra E. Morrill, private, Company D; promoted to corporal; re-enlisted January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers; promoted to sergeant August 21, 1865; mustered out October 23, 1865.

Hanan Piper, private, Company D; mustered out January 18, 1865.

Joseph P. Sanborn, private, Company F; discharged for disability March 27, 1863.

Joseph Wallis, first sergeant, Company F; promoted to second lieutenant January 3, 1863; killed at Port Hudson, La., June 14, 1863.

George R. Whicher, private, Company F.

In New Hampshire Battalion, First New England Cavalry, mustered in October 24 and December 17, 1861, for three years, were the following:

Hosea Q. Mason, Troop B; promoted to sergeant December 30, 1861; discharged for disability at Concord, May 11, 1862.

Samuel W. Leighton, Troop I; promoted to corporal July 13, 1862; died at Camp Parole, Annapolis, Md., September 17, 1863.

John W. Swain, Troop K; discharged for disability February 4, 1863.

In Second United States Sharpshooters, enlisted for three years, was,—

David C. Wyatt, first enlisted September 9, 1861; re-enlisted veteran January 4, 1864; promoted to sergeant March 1, 1864; wounded severely August 15, 1864; transferred to Fifth New Hampshire Volunteers January 30, 1865.

In New Hampshire Battalion, First New England Cavalry (added), enlisted January 21, 1862, for three years, were the following:

Byron L. Carr, Troop M; re-enlisted February 1, 1864.

Clarence B. Sanborn, Troop M.

Otis C. Wyatt, lieutenant; promoted to captain of Troop B March 31, 1864.

In Ninth New Hampshire Regiment, mustered in July 17 (August 13 and 15), 1862, for three years, were the following:

Aaron Chase, private, Company B; transferred to brigade band October 1, 1862.

Charles H. Chase (August 15th), private, Company C.

Samuel R. Eastman, corporal, Company C.

John F. Evans, private, Company C; promoted to corporal; captured July 30, 1864; died of disease at Darwell, Va., January 15, 1865.

Levi W. Hill, wagoner, Company C; discharged for disability December 1, 1862.

Paul B. Johnson, private, Company C; discharged for disability at Concord, December 23, 1863.

Horace B. Page (August 13); transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps September 30, 1863; mustered out August 12, 1865.

Samuel D. Pearson, private, Company C; died of starvation at Salisbury, N. C., November 9, 1864.

In Twelfth New Hampshire Regiment, Company D, and "mustered in September 5, 1862" (unless otherwise designated), for three years, were the following:

J. Ware Butterfield, captain; honorably discharged November 17, 1862.

John M. Bickford, corporal; wounded May 3, 1863; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps February 29, 1864; mustered out July 26, 1865.

Benjamin E. Blackstone, private; discharged by order at Washington, D. C., November 26, 1862.

Henry C. Buzzell, private; promoted to corporal November 6, 1863; sergeant May 1, 1864; wounded severely June 3, 1864; died of wounds at Washington, D. C., June 29, 1864.

James T. Calley, private; died of disease at Falmouth, Va., January 13, 1863.

Charles A. Cate, private, Company H, September 9th; killed at Chancellorsville, Va., May 3, 1863.

Augustus L. Chapman, private, September 9th; killed at Chancellorsville, Va., May 3, 1863.

Smith Chapman, private.

Leonard Conant, wagoner; mustered out June 18, 1865.

John G. Donovan, private; wounded May 3, 1863; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Cyrus P. Dow, private, Company H, September 9th; wounded slightly June 3, 1864; promoted to corporal September 1, 1864; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Charles W. Drown, private; promoted to corporal February 6, 1864; to sergeant May 1, 1864; wounded slightly June 3, 1864; discharged by order at New York, N. Y., May 19, 1865.

Charles E. Edgerly, private; wounded May 3, 1863; discharged for disability at Concord, October 14, 1863.

Charles H. Foss, private; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps February 15, 1864; mustered out July 4, 1865.

Andrew P. Gilman, private; wounded May 3, 1863; discharged for disability at Concord, October 17, 1863.

George B. Gilman, private.

Moses B. Gilman, private; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps September 30, 1863; mustered out July 6, 1865.

Ward E. Gilman, private; wounded May 3, 1863; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Dow B. Griffin, private; mustered out June 21, 1865.

George W. Hall, first sergeant; wounded May 3, 1863; promoted to second lieutenant January 4, 1864; to first lieutenant July 20, 1864; commissioned captain January 10, 1865 (declined); mustered out June 21, 1865.

Arthur L. Hannaford, private, September 9th; wounded May 2, 1863; promoted to corporal May 1, 1865; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Clark V. Hines, private, Company E; mustered out June 21, 1865.

James M. Hodgdon, private, Company E; mustered out June 21, 1865.

John G. Hodge, private; promoted to corporal; killed at Chancellorsville May 3, 1863.

Alanson P. Howe, private.

Prescott Y. Howland, corporal; discharged for disability at Washington, D. C., October 30, 1862.

John Jones, private; wounded May 3, 1863; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps February 23, 1864; mustered out August 14, 1864.

Josiah Jones, private; discharged for disability at Alexandria, Va., November 20, 1863.

Asa Keniston, private, September 9th; discharged by order at Falmouth, Va., March 19, 1863.

Arthur L. Kimball, private; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Frank Knowlton, private; promoted to corporal March 17, 1863; killed at Gettysburg, Pa., July 2, 1863.

Jonathan E. Leavitt, private; died of wounds at Gettysburg, July 3, 1863.

Wesley Leighton, private, Company H, September 9th; killed at Gettysburg, July 2, 1863.

William S. Martin, private; wounded May 3, 1863; died of wounds at Potomac Creek, June 2, 1863.

John Moores, private; wounded May 3, 1863; promoted to corporal April 19, 1864; to sergeant November 1, 1864; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Bradbury M. Morrill, second lieutenant, September 8th; promoted to first lieutenant Company E November 18, 1862; honorably discharged November 11, 1863.

Frederick F. Osgood, private.

Alfred V. Perry, private; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Hiram C. Philbrick, private, September 13th; promoted to corporal May 9, 1865; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Leavitt S. Roberts, corporal; promoted to sergeant; transferred to Invalid Corps December 1, 1863.

William E. Roberts, private, September 2, 1863; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps February 2, 1865; mustered out July 25, 1865.

Ira Robinson, private; wounded May 3, 1863; transferred to Invalid Corps February 23, 1864.

William M. Robinson, private, September 2, 1863; wounded May 2, 1863; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Leander S. Rowe, private, September 9th; discharged by order at Washington, D. C., December 11, 1862.

Benjamin F. Sanborn, private; killed at Chancellorsville, Va., May 3, 1863.

Freedom Sanborn, private, Company H; discharged for disability at Point Lookout, Md., February 1, 1864.

Oscar P. Sanborn, private; wounded May 3, 1863; discharged by order at Alexandria, Va., November 18, 1863.

Theodore Sanborn, private; died of disease at Fortress Monroe January 23, 1865.

William H. Sanborn, corporal; wounded June 3, 1864; promoted to sergeant January 1, 1865; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Andrew J. Small, private; missing at Chancellorsville May 3, 1863; gained from missing; wounded slightly May 14, 1864; mustered out June 21, 1865.

George H. Smith, private, Company G, September 9th; killed at Chancellorsville May 3, 1863.

George W. Swain, private; killed at Chancellorsville May 3, 1863.

Samuel B. Swain, sergeant; promoted to first sergeant May 1, 1864; mustered out June 21, 1865.

Lafayette W. Tilton, private; transferred to Invalid Corps February 23, 1864.

Isaac B. Virgin, private; discharged by order at Washington, January 3, 1863.

Albert P. Wadleigh, private; died of disease at Falmouth, Va., January 20, 1863.

Orrin W. Wallace, private; discharged by order at Falmouth, Va., March 21, 1863.

Benjamin W. Weeks, private; died November 26, 1862.

It appears from the above record that May 3, 1863,

was the severest day of the whole war for the "Sanbornton boys," no less than thirteen of their number being on that day wounded in the battle of Chancellorsville, and six killed or fatally wounded.

In the Fifteenth New Hampshire Regiment (nine months' men), Company H, mustered in October 11, 1862, and mustered out August 13, 1863 (unless otherwise designated), were the following:

Jacob P. B. Sanborn, captain, commissioned November 3, 1862.

Bracket J. Baker, musician.

John D. Blake, corporal, sick at Sanbornton.

George F. Bowers, private, died of disease at Carrollton, La., May 9, 1863.

Horace A. Burley, private, died of disease on board United States transport July 30, 1863.

Jason J. Burley, sergeant.

Charles W. Buzzell, private.

Irving W. Coombs, private.

John C. Coombs, corporal.

George Dawson, private.

Thomas W. Donald, private.

Moses E. Eastman, private, died of disease on board United States transport July 27, 1863.

Daniel S. Gilman, private.

John Hicks, private.

Samuel H. Jacobs, private, sick at Sanbornton.

John Perkins, private, October 31, 1862.

Daniel M. Philbrook, private, October 31, 1862.

Thomas Philbrook, private.

William H. Philbrook, sergeant.

John Funnels, private.

Adoniram T. Sanborn, musician.

Charles H. Sanborn, private, died of disease at Carrollton, La., May 25, 1863.

Harlan P. Sanborn, private, sick at Sanbornton.

John S. Sanborn, private.

John Y. Sanborn, private.

John B. Shute, private, died of disease at Carrollton, La., February 13, 1863.

Horace P. Swain, private.

Samuel T. Swain, private, sick at Sanbornton.

James S. Walker, private.

In the Sixteenth New Hampshire Regiment (nine months' men) was

James Pike, colonel, commissioned November 1, 1862; mustered out August 20, 1863.

In First Regiment Heavy Artillery was

Oliver D. Philbrook, sergeant, Company M, enlisted December 28, 1863; mustered out June 9, 1865; was also previously enlisted.

RECRUITS IN THE VARIOUS REGIMENTS.—The following are all headed "recruits," yet accredited to the town of Sanbornton. A few only resided in town. Many of them were foreigners, as shown by their names; quite a number unsoldierly in their conduct, as the word "deserted" appears after their names. It is needless here to specify such; but we give the names of all in full, with other notes. The patriotism of the town will thus be correctly measured, as these men were either hired by the town authorities on draft, or put into the service by individual citizens as their substitutes. The names are entered in the order of the State regiments.

In the Second New Hampshire Regiment was

Henry Harris, mustered in December 6, 1864; not officially accounted for.

In the Third New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

Charles Everhard, Company F, mustered in December 14, 1864; out July 20, 1865.
George Roberts, Company K, December 23, 1864, to June 15, 1865.

In the Fourth New Hampshire Regiment, enlisted "for three years," between December 20 and 28, 1864, except where otherwise stated, were the following:

Thomas Atkinson, Company E.
John Bantist, Company I.
John Carroll, Company I.
Charles Harrison, enlisted volunteer September 17, 1862; not officially accounted for.
Peter Kelley, Company I, mustered in September 29, 1863; captured at Drury's Bluff, Va., May 16, 1864; released February 24, 1865; mustered out August 4, 1865.
Henry McCormick, Company F, not officially accounted for.
John McDonnell, Company F, shot by provost guard March 14, 1865.
William Price, not officially accounted for.
William L. Velpman, Company I, enlisted October 6, 1863; mustered out August 23, 1865.

In the Fifth New Hampshire Regiment was

John Lynch, Company F, mustered in August 29, 1864.

In the Sixth New Hampshire Regiment (mostly enlisted for three years, between December 28, 1863, and January 5, 1864) were the following:

Charles Burns, Company C.
O. H. Dorn, Company H.
William N. Duesbury, Company I, promoted to corporal July 1, 1865; mustered out July 17, 1865.
James Dunn.
Julius Frank, Company B.
Anthony Hagerty, Company D, mustered in August 26, 1864; first in the Ninth Regiment; absent, prisoner of war, July 17, 1865.
John Harbeck, Company H.
Obed Harris, Company I, first in the Eleventh Regiment; absent, sick, since December 29, 1863; no discharge furnished.
Antoine Hernandez, Company H.
Lawrence Laughlin, Company A, transferred to the Department of the Northwest October 10, 1864.
James McCormick, Company B, mustered out July 17, 1865.
James McGrouh.
John W. Medford, Company D.
Joseph Rivers, Company I.
Charles F. Rogers, Company I, killed in action June 3, 1864.
Robert Sanders, Company B.
Fred. Smith, Company H, absent, sick, July 17, 1865.
Thomas Sullivan, Company F.
William Werner.
John W. Williams, Company I, wounded May 12, 1864; since absent, sick.

In the Seventh New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

Frederick Bolte, Company H, mustered in September 29, 1863; out July 20, 1863.
Michael Hayes, Company H, mustered in November 29, 1864.
Charles Meier, mustered in January 13, 1865.
Charles B. Silver, Company G, mustered in September 29, 1863, for three years; mustered out July 20, 1865.

In the Eighth New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

Charles L. Arlin (formerly of Northfield), re-enlisted, Company D, January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; promoted to corporal October 16, 1865; mustered out October 28, 1865.
Luigi Brigolie, Company B, enlisted September 20, 1863.
Charles H. Hibbard, Company D, mustered in August 11, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; mustered out July 21, 1865.

Charles W. Kimball (formerly of New Hampton), Company F, re-enlisted, Company D, January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; mustered out October 28, 1865.

James Morrison, enlisted August 17, 1864; not officially accounted for.
John Presby (formerly enlisted from Northfield), re-enlisted, sergeant, Company D, January 4, 1864; not officially accounted for.
George Slamer, enlisted, Company D, September 29, 1863.

Elbert G. Smith (formerly of New Hampton), Company F; re-enlisted, Company D, January 4, 1864; transferred to Company A, Veteran Battalion, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, January 1, 1865; promoted to corporal May 1, 1865; mustered out October 28, 1865.

Roswell M. Wells (formerly of New Hampton), Company F; re-enlisted, Company D, January 4, 1864; died of accidental gunshot wound October 30, 1864.

In the Ninth New Hampshire Regiment was

John Blake, mustered in August 26, 1864.

In the Tenth New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

Alexander Anderson, private, Company G, mustered in February 10, 1864; transferred to Second New Hampshire Volunteers June 21, 1865.
Ictave Chapine, private, Company F, February 20, 1864; wounded severely May 12, 1864; transferred to Second New Hampshire Volunteers June 21, 1865.
David Stone, private, Company F, mustered in February 10, 1864, and transferred to Second New Hampshire Volunteers June 21, 1865.

In the Eleventh New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

Charles Brown, mustered in December 29, 1863.
John Johnson, mustered in December 29, 1863, Company B; wounded slightly May 16, 1864; severely, July 30, 1864; died of disease at Brooklyn, N. Y., August 30, 1864.
John Nelson, mustered in December 29, 1863; wounded severely May 12, 1864; discharged for disability, at Washington, D. C., October 21, 1864.
George Scribner, mustered in December 29, 1863.
Edward Willson, mustered in December 29, 1863.

In the Twelfth New Hampshire Regiment were the following:

John N. Colby, Company D, enlisted March 30, 1864.
Thomas W. Donald, private, Company D, mustered in October 21, 1863; transferred to Second New Hampshire Volunteers June 21, 1865.
Edmund Greenhalgh, musician, Company D, mustered in January 2, 1864; transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps April 12, 1865; mustered out August 24, 1865.

In the First Regiment New England Cavalry, New Hampshire Battalion, Troop B (all enlisted March 29 or 30, 1864; all but two mustered out July 15, 1865), were the following:

George W. Carleton, absent, sick, since June 16, 1864; no discharge furnished.
Gilbert G. Chase, missing June 29, 1864; gained from missing; promoted to corporal July 1, 1865.
Peter Farley.
Cornelius Jenotte, missing at Lacy Springs, Va., December 21, 1864; gained from missing; promoted to corporal May 1, 1865.
Jeremiah Manning.
Benjamin F. Marsh.
John Nichols.
Alvah Smith, promoted to corporal July 1, 1865.
Charles York, captured June 29, 1864; died of disease at Andersonville, Ga., September 14, 1864; grave No. 8736.

In Troop C (chiefly mustered in March 30 and 31, 1864, and out July 15, 1865) were the following:

Paul Bernard, promoted to corporal June 1, 1865.
Jessino B. Favour, died at Frederick City, Md., March 21, 1865.
Charles Gillis, promoted to troop quartermaster-sergeant July 1, 1865.
Albert Horney, appointed bugler.
John Lee, mustered out June 5, 1865.

Matthew Sullivan, mustered in April 5, 1864; promoted to corporal May 1, 1865.

In Troop D were the following:

Robert B. Ferris, enlisted July 28, 1864.
John Murphy, enlisted July 28, 1864,
William Newell, enlisted August 16, 1864.
George Sailor, enlisted July 28, 1864.
George Williams, enlisted August 5, 1864.

In Troop E, all mustered in between June 8 and August 17, 1864 (the major part July 16 and 21), and deserted in a body, were the following:

William Anderson, John Blair, Edward Bradley, John Brady, John Brown, John Cronan, John Dailey, George Duley, John Farrell, Henry Flarthey, James Gilman, George Hane, James Hardgrove, Thomas Jones, Charles Kent, William King, James Markham, Timothy McCarty, Daniel Miller, William Simpson, Andrew Smith, John Smith (2d), Albert Walsh.

In Troop F (mustered in July 16, 1864; out July 15, 1865) were the following:

James Benton and James Fitzgerald.

In Troop G were the following:

John Canning, mustered in July 29, 1864.
George Goodman, mustered in July 21, 1864.

In Troop I were the following:

William Anson, mustered in August 13, 1864.
George Edward, mustered in August 13, 1864; mustered out June 12, 1865.
John G. Sanborn, mustered in January 5, 1864 (was also previously enlisted).

In the Veteran Reserve Corps were the following:

Westley Alexander, mustered in June 30, 1864.
William Bannister, mustered in July 23, 1864.
Pat. C. McQueeney, mustered in June 25, 1864.

We supplement the above lists by the following fourteen names of individuals who are otherwise known to have served their country as Sanbornton men in the war of 1861-65. A few of these, though belonging to New Hampshire regiments, yet fail, by an oversight, to be noticed in the adjutant-general's reports; others were enlisted in regiments out of the State, and others still served in some different army departments.

Amos D. Baker, Sylvester Chapman, William O. Daniels, Ebenezer C. Fifield, George P. Howe, John M. Howe, Rufus Howe, Jr., Sylvester D. Hunt, Oliver P. Morrison, Carleton Rollins, Josiah S. Swain, Fred-eric P. Taylor, Albert K. Tilton, Jeremiah C. Tilton.

CHAPTER III.

SANBORNTON—(Continued).

Ecclesiastical History—Congregational Church—First Baptist Church—Second Baptist Church—Third Baptist Church—The Woodman Sanbornton Academy—The Sanbornton and Franklin Union Academy—Physicians—Lawyers—Civil History—Representatives—Town Clerks—Treasurers.

Congregational Church.¹—The first reference on the town records in relation to the support of the gospel is under date of July 13, 1767, when it was voted that "they would raise a dollar on each right,

liable to pay taxes, for to hire a minister this present year," and Josiah Sanborn, Captain Joseph Hoit and Ebenezer Sanborn were chosen a committee for that purpose. Whether a preacher was actually hired during the summer of 1767 is uncertain; but June 17, 1768, "fifty dolers" were voted "to be laid out in preaching this summer," and the first two of the former committee were chosen to carry it into effect. A similar vote was passed for each of the three following years. On the 29th of July, 1771, the proprietors began to afford more substantial aid, it being voted that ten dollars be raised on each original "right," liable to be taxed, to assist and help the inhabitants of the town in supporting a gospel minister, if they settle one among them. Three dollars of each ten were to be paid the first year, within six months after the minister is first settled, three dollars more within twelve months after the first payment, two dollars the third year, one dollar the fourth year, and one dollar the fifth year, in case the inhabitants settle one within two years from the passing of this vote, or otherwise to be of none effect. This was wisely arranged to stimulate the people to immediate effort, and aid them for a course of years, according to their disposition and ability to help themselves. The same favorable regard of the proprietors for the settlers was shown the next year, May 27, 1772, in their passing a vote to raise one dollar on each right "to help the inhabitants to build a meeting-house for the public worship of God in s'd town."

Meanwhile, the settlers had resolutely started, and, as was natural, in the direction of a house for worship *first*; one of the principal votes at their second annual town-meeting, 1771, being,—

"To appoint and clear a place for a meeting-house this year; to set s'd house on y^e center range line, near y^e main rode (thus early deserting the inaccessible spot designated by the first surveys); to build it by y^e sale of y^e pews, and according to y^e plan drawn of y^e same; to put up y^e frame and cover it within two year from May next, and chuse a Committee to vandue of [off] y^e pews and stuff for building s'd house."

The same year no tardy response was given to the liberal offer of the proprietors; for in just ten days after *their* vote, August 8, 1771, a special meeting of the town was called by the selectmen, at the house of Daniel Sanborn, for the sole purpose of considering proposals for settling a minister, when, after mature deliberation, and in view of the proprietors' offer (see above), it was voted,—"to give Mr. Joseph Woodman a call to settle in y^e gospel ministry in this town." His perquisites were to be as follows: First, "two hundred dollars as a yearly sallery,—\$180 in money and \$20 in labor at money price,—the first two years, and after that \$120 in money and \$80 in labor yearly;" the selectmen to agree with Mr. Woodman each year "how y^e labor above voted shall be paid." Second, "Twenty cord of good fire-wood, cut into cord-wood length, to be hauled, yearly, to Mr. Woodman's door." Third, Mr. Woodman was to "receive, if he settle in y^e gospel ministry here, the vallue of 100 dollars in labor and stuff, for to

¹ Condensed from "History of Sanbornton."