

# THIRTIETH REGIMENT INFANTRY, U. S. COLORED TROOPS,

## MARYLAND VOLUNTEERS.



THE Thirtieth Regiment Infantry, United States Colored Troops, Maryland Volunteers, was recruited principally on the eastern shore, and southern counties of Maryland, the regiment was organized at camp Stanton, Maryland, from February 12th to March 18, 1864, to serve three years.

The 30th regiment was assigned to Ferreros Division of the 9th army corps, with which it marched and fought with great gallantry and suffered severe losses. It participated in the Wilderness campaign

under Gen. Grant in his advance to the James river in the spring and summer of 1864.

The 30th regiment during the Siege of Petersburg, Va., was very active in building forts and rifle pits, and at the mine explosion July 30, 1864, the 30th regiment took a distinguished part.

The 30th regiment also formed a part of the Butler's expedition against Fort Fisher, N. C., December, 25, 1864, and also took part in the second expedition under Gen. Terry that resulted in its capture after a brief siege, January 13-15, 1865.

After the capture of Fort Fisher and Wilmington the command was with the portion of the army that co-operated with Gen. Sherman's Army in North Carolina, resulting in the capture of the Confederate Army of Gen. Joseph Johnson, April 7-13, 1865; after the surrender of the Confederate Armies, the 30th regiment continued on garrison duty until December 10, 1865, when it was duly mustered out of the service of the United States.

The casualties in the 30th regiment infantry, U. S. colored troops, Maryland Volunteers, were as follows: Killed, commissioned officers three, enlisted men forty-three, total forty-six; died of disease, wounds, etc., commissioned officers two, enlisted men one hundred and seventy-seven, total one hundred and seventy-nine, or an aggregate death list of two hundred and twenty-five.

In addition to the numerous skirmishes in which the 30th regiment infantry, U. S. colored troops, Maryland Volunteers, were engaged were the following battles, viz: Petersburg, Fort Fisher, Sugar Loaf Hill, Cox Bridge.

### 30th REGIMENT INFANTRY.

Organized at Camp Stanton, Md., February 12 to March 18, 1864. Attached to 1st Brigade, 4th Division, 9th Corps, Army of the Potomac, to September, 1864. 1st Brigade, 3rd Division, 9th Corps, to December, 1864. 1st Brigade, 1st Division, 25th Corps, December, 1864. 1st Brigade, 3rd Division, 25th Corps, to March, 1865. 1st Brigade, 3rd Division, 10th Corps, Dept. of North Carolina, to July, 1865. Dept. of North Carolina to December, 1865.

**SERVICE.**—Campaign from the Rapidan to the James River, Va., May-June, 1864. Guard trains of the Army of the Potomac through the Wilderness and to Petersburg. Before Petersburg June 15-18. Siege operations against Petersburg and Richmond June 16 to December 7, 1864. Mine Explosion, Petersburg, July 30. Weldon Railroad August 18-21. Poplar Grove Church September 29-October 1. Boydton Plank Road, Hatcher's Run, October 27-28. 1st Expedition to Fort Fisher, N. C., December 7-27. 2nd Expedition to Fort Fisher, N. C., January 7-15, 1865. Bombardment of Fort Fisher January 13-15. Assault and capture of Fort Fisher January 15. Sugar Loaf Hill January 19. Federal Point February 11. Fort Anderson February 18-20. Capture of Wilmington February 22. Northeast Ferry February 22. Campaign of the Carolinas March 1-April 26. Advance on Kinston and Goldsboro March 6-21. Action at Cox's Bridge March 23-24. Advance on Raleigh April 9-14. Occupation of Raleigh April 14. Bennett's House April 26. Surrender of Johnston and his army. Duty at various points in North Carolina till December. Mustered out December 10, 1865.

Regiment lost during service 3 Officers and 48 Enlisted men killed and mortally wounded and 2 Officers and 177 Enlisted men by disease. Total 225.

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF ENLISTMENT OR MUSTER IN.	DATE OF MUSTER OUT OR DISCHARGE.	REMARKS.
Smith, Samuel (2)	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Stephens, Perry	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864		Absent sick since Dec. 6, 1864, Co. M. O. rolls.
Stansbary, Benjamin	Private.	Feb. 7, 1864		Absent sick since April 1, 1865, Co. M. O. rolls.
Snowden, Isaiah	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864		Missing in action, July 30, 1864; supposed to have been killed, Co. M. O. rolls.
Simmons, Henry	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864		Died March 21, 1864.
Snowden, Henry	Private.	June 16, 1864		Died Aug. 4, 1864, of wounds received in action.
Thompson, Thomas	Corporal.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Thomas, George W.	Private.	Feb. 9, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Turner, Dennis	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Tailing, Randolph	Private.	May 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Thomas, Aaron	Private.	May 27, 1864		Absent sick, Co. M. O. rolls.
Talbot, Henry	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	April 11, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Tligham, Samuel	Private.	Feb. 9, 1864	April 11, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Vance, Stephen	Private.	May 17, 1864	Jan. 11, 1866	
Wilmer, Levin	Sergeant.	Feb. 11, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Woods, John H.	Sergeant.	Sept. 15, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Waters, Robert	Corporal.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Wing, Charles E.	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Waters, Stephen	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Webster, John	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Weaver, Benjamin	Private.	Mar. 19, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Wisly, Cyrus T.	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	June 17, 1865	
Wallace, Greenberry	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	April 11, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Williams, Edward	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	April 11, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Wilkinson, Philip W.	Private.	Feb. 9, 1864		Died March 2, 1864.
Ward, Anthony	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864		Died Aug. 4, 1864, of wounds received in action.
Wilkinson, Wash'g'n	Private.	May 26, 1864		Died Aug. 26, 1864.

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#### COMMISSIONED OFFICERS.

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF ENLISTMENT OR MUSTER IN.	DATE OF MUSTER OUT OR DISCHARGE.	REMARKS.
Eben Whitney.	Captain.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Charles B. Sanders.	1st Lieut.	Mar. 3, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	See Roster, Field and Staff.
Jacob Foster.	1st Lieut.	April 5, 1865	Dec. 10, 1865	Entered the service as 2nd Lieut.; promoted 1st Lieut., Oct. 26, 1865.
Ira B. Quimby.	2d Lieut.	Feb. 13, 1864	Jan. 11, 1865	Disability.

#### ENLISTED MEN.

Allan, James	1st Sergeant.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Addison, Joseph	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Bowzer, James H.	Sergeant.	Mar. 19, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Brown, John	Corporal.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Banker, Tigle W.	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Barrett, John	Private.	May 18, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Blackstone, Charles	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Brice, Aaron	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Brice, Daniel	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Brown, Charles	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Brown, William	Private.	May 17, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Bryan, Thomas H.	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Buckner, Andrew	Private.	May 17, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Burgess, Joseph	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Burr, Daniel	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Bostick, John	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864		Missing in action, July 30, 1864.
Bordley, Perry	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864		Died March 22, 1864, of disease.
Boyd, William	Private.	Feb. 22, 1864		Died of wounds received in action, Dec. 1, 1864.
Brice, William F.	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864		Died March 12, 1864, of disease.

NAME.	RANK.	DATE OF ENLISTMENT OR MUSTER IN.	DATE OF MUSTER OUT OR DISCHARGE.	REMARKS.
Boston, John H.	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	.....	Deserted Sept. 2, 1865.
Brookins, Caleb	Private.	May 18, 1864	.....	Deserted Sept. 14, 1864.
Bainard, Joseph	Private.	May 17, 1864	July 1865	Disability.
Bell, Samuel	Private.	Feb. 22, 1864	June 22, 1865	Disability; gunshot wounds received in action, July 30, 1864.
Bell, William	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Disability; loss of left arm, in action, Aug. 2, 1864.
Butler, John	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	May 24, 1865	Disability.
Chew, John	Sergeant.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Calvert, Marcellus	Sergeant.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Calvert, Charles H.	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Campher, Mark	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Cannon, Daniel	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Absent sick since June 11, 1864, Co. M. O. rolls.
Connor, William	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Covington, Charles (alias Carpenter, Charles.)	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Crawford, Isaac (alias Israel, Bradford.)	Private.	May 18, 1864	.....	Died Feb. 3, 1865, of disease.
Cann, Charles	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 19, 1864	Disability; loss of left leg, in action, July 30, 1864.
Carroll, Jacob	Private.	Feb. 20, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Dennis, Tigue W. (alias Isaiah Douglas.)	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Davis, John	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	.....	Missing in action, July 30, 1864.
Diggs, George	Private.	Feb. 20, 1864	.....	Missing in action, July 30, 1864.
Dorsey, Scott	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Missing in action, July 30, 1864.
Dixon, Abram	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Died March 4, 1865, of disease.
Davis, John H.	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Duckett, Osborne	Private.	Feb. 21, 1864	May 24, 1865	Disability.
Dunn, William H.	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Evans, William	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Fields, Clem	Private.	May 17, 1864	June 17, 1865	Disability.
Franklin, James	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	June 12, 1865	Disability.
Freeland, David	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	.....	Discharged from Hospital, David's Island, N. Y., supposed for disability; Co. M. O. rolls.
Garrett, Richardson (alias R. Cosay.)	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Gray, Leonidas	Private.	May 17, 1864	.....	Died Aug. 21, 1864, of disease.
Gibson, Henry	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Feb. 21, 1865	Disability; from wounds received in action, July 6, 1864, near Petersburg, Va.
Green, John H.	Private.	May 17, 1864	June 14, 1865	
Goldsberry, Alex'd'r	Private.	May 18, 1864	June 17, 1865	
Harvey, Amos	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Hebron, Abram	Corporal.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Harris, Joseph	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Hinson, Henry	Private.	May 18, 1864	.....	Absent, wounded since July 30, 1864, Co. M. O. rolls.
Horse, Smith	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Hall, George T.	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	.....	Died Sept. 10, 1864, of wounds received in action, July 30, 1864.
Hall, Samuel	Corporal.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Died Aug. 4, 1864, of wounds received in action, July 30, 1864, saving the colors of his regiment after receiving four wounds.
Harvey, Stephen	Corporal.	Feb. 26, 1864	.....	Died June 8, 1864, of disease.
Hill, Isaiah	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	.....	Died Nov. 16, 1864, of disease.
Howard, William	Private.	May 18, 1864	.....	Died Sept. 15, 1864, supposed to be from wounds received in action July 30, 1864; Co. M. O. rolls.
Horse, John H.	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Deserted; left at Camp Birney, sick April 23, 1864; never heard from; Co. M. O. rolls.
Hartshorn, Moses	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	May 27, 1865	Disability.
Idley, Henry (also written Aydelotte.)	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Idley, Peter (also written Aydelotte.)	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Imes, Philip	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Imes, Resin	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Johnson, Thomas	Private.	Sept. 5, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Johnson, Robert	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Died Feb. 14, 1865, of disease.
James, Joshua	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Jenkins, James	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.

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Johnson, Charles	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Johnson, James H.	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
King, Abram	Private.	Sept. 10, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Lacy, William	Private.	Sept. 1, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Lane, James	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Lloyd, Robert	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Lockins, Allan	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Lindsey, Thomas	Private.	Feb. 21, 1864	.....	Missing in action, July 30, 1864.
Lee, Washington	Private.	Sept. 5, 1864	June 17, 1865	Disability.
Mills, Samuel W.	Corporal.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Matthews, John W.	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
McClary, Henry	Private.	Mar. 3, 1865	Dec. 10, 1865	
Millburn, Tigue	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Miles, John	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Moore, John H.	Private.	Sept. 6, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
McPherson, William	Private.	Sept. 8, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Matthews, Henry	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	.....	Died June 1, 1865, of disease.
Mattox, James	Private.	Sept. 3, 1864	.....	Died Feb. 24, 1865, of disease.
Myers, Henry	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Deserted Aug. 2, 1864.
Miller, George H.	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	May 27, 1865	Disability.
Nixon, Joseph	Private.	Mar. 10, 1865	Dec. 10, 1865	
Nicholls, William E.	Private.	Sept. 10, 1864	June 17, 1865	Disability.
Pratt, Richard	Corporal.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Palmer, Henry	Private.	May 17, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Pindell, Phillip H.	1st Sergeant.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Died July 30, 1864, of disease.
Peters, Samuel	Corporal.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Died Aug. 19, 1865, of disease.
Parker, Walter	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Pratt, Isaac	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Furnell, Joseph	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Pointer, William	Corporal.	Feb. 25, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Queen, Robert	Corporal.	Sept. 5, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Queen, Louis	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Ramsey, John	Corporal.	Sept. 9, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Ryan, William	Private.	May 17, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Rowe, Samuel	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Killed in action, Feb. 11, 1865, Sugar Loaf Hill, N. C.
Robinson, Allan	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	.....	Deserted, 1864.
Reddon, David	Private.	Sept. 3, 1864	Sept. 7, 1865	
Sevov, Charles	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Sharp, Frederick	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Simpson, Henry	Private.	Mar. 8, 1865	.....	Absent, sick since April 21, 1865; Co. M. O. rolls.
Simpson, William	Private.	Mar. 7, 1865	Dec. 10, 1865	
Snowden, Hesin	Private.	May 17, 1864	.....	Absent wounded, since July 30, 1864; Co. M. O. rolls.
Sterling, Edward	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	.....	Absent wounded, since July 30, 1864; Co. M. O. rolls.
Steward, Charles	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Steward, Wallace	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Stimmons, John	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Died Aug. 10, 1864, of wounds received in action, July 30, 1864.
Smith, John H.	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	.....	Died March 11, 1864, of disease.
Serrell, Thomas	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Sevov, Joshua	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	June 17, 1865	
Simmons, Thomas	Private.	May 17, 1864	June 17, 1865	
Smith, Franklin	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Jan. 19, 1865	Disability; loss of right hand in action, July 30, 1864.
Sheppard, Wm. H.	Sergeant.	Mar. 19, 1864	June 17, 1865	Disability.
Tilghman, John H.	Private.	Feb. 24, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Tilghman, William	Private.	Feb. 27, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Turner, Edward	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	.....	Absent wounded, since July 30, 1864; Co. M. O. rolls.
Thompson, Andrew	Private.	May 17, 1864	June 17, 1865	Disability.
Turner, Charles	Private.	Feb. 25, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Williams, Edward	Private.	Feb. 23, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Wilson, John	Private.	Feb. 26, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.
Young, James H.	Corporal.	Feb. 21, 1864	Dec. 10, 1865	
Yates, Charles	Private.	Mar. 31, 1864	April 14, 1864	Transferred to Navy.