

Miscellaneous Military Data:  
Boone County, Missouri  
[Gleaned from the old files found the RW Server]

List of Killed of Thirty-ninth Missouri Infantry,  
at Battle of Centralia, Mo.,  
September 27, 1864.



The following is quoted directly from *The History of Boone County Missouri* by W.F. Switzler originally published in 1882, page 462.

The exact number of Federals killed, it is believed, has been correctly ascertained, together with their names. J.A. Waddell, Adjutant General of the State, furnishes from the muster rolls of the companies of the Thirty-ninth Missouri, on file in his office, the name of every man reported killed at Centralia, as follows:

List of Killed of Thirty-ninth Missouri Infantry, at Battle of Centralia, Mo.,  
September 27, 1864.

Field officers:

Major A.V.E. Johnson

COMPANY A

Line officers: Capt. J.A. Smith

Non-commissioned officers:

Sergt. Wm. G. Elliott  
Sergt. J.S. Nesbit  
Sergt. M.B. Long  
Sergt. J.C. Reynolds  
Corp. A.W. Walters  
Corp. Jasper May

Corp. Canada Keller  
Corp. Elijah Eitel

## Privates:

Josiah Adams  
Geo. W. Bragg  
O.C. Byrd  
Wm. H. Braden  
John N. Braden  
Wm. H. Corbin  
A.J. Capps  
J.L. Canada  
Geo. W. Cook  
Porter Cunningham  
A.J. Denton  
David R. Graves  
John B.W. Graves  
Alfred B. Hayward  
Valentine Hine  
Benj. Hargrove  
John Hanlin  
Granville Hanlin  
Wm. H. Jeffers  
Henry Keller  
Daniel Lorton  
James Morrow  
Joseph Morrow

F. McClanahan  
E.T. Miles  
Mark S. Musick  
Jas. K.P. Mock  
Wm. Norton  
Eli F. Osborn  
A.B. Polly  
Alfred S. Parsons  
Jacob Reed  
John S. Spicer  
Issac Slaughter  
James C. Stuteville  
Emmet H. Selby  
Wm. Shoemaker  
Daniel A. Simler  
Chas. Wilbaum  
Jas H.B. Waddell  
David Wilbaum  
J.R. Williams  
Thos. Waugh  
Jas. Willis  
John R. Wood  
C.C. Wise  
Alfred Zimmerman



## COMPANY G

### Non-commissioned officers:

Sergt. David N. Dunn  
Sergt. Jno. Donahoo  
Sergt. Wm. Lair  
Sergt Geo. W. Miller  
Corp. Leander P. Bart  
Corp. Jas. S. Gunby  
Corp. Wm. Loar  
Corp. David Riggs  
Corp. L.D. Sherwood  
Corp. Jacob R. Wexler

## Privates:

Geo. W. Adams  
Charles Bishop  
Samuel Bell  
Philip Christman  
Wm. Christman  
Oscar Collier  
John J. Cirstein  
Homer M. Dunbar  
Wm. Drennan  
Sylvester H. Deen  
James S. Edwards  
Eleazer Evans  
Robt. R. Elston  
Wm. G. Floor  
James Forsythe  
Robt. Greenfield  
Wm. P. Golay  
Henry T. Gooch  
Joseph S. Glahn  
John W. Hardin

Elijah Hall  
Chas. M. Jenkins  
Wm. Knipper  
Anthony Labas  
Louis F. Marquette  
Chas. Matterson  
John Moore  
Jno. C. Montgomery  
Wm. A. Ross  
Robt. E. Spires  
J.G. Sellers  
Edward Strachan  
James Stalcup  
Wm. T. Smith  
Peter Sunnoner  
J.W. Traswell  
Geo. W. Van Osdale  
J.N. Vaden  
A.M. Vandiver  
Jonathan Wobdell  
Wm. T. Whitelock



## COMPANY H

Non-commissioned officers: Sergt. Henry F. Porter

## Privates:

Patrick Ballager  
Samuel L. Dingle  
Wm. Dingle  
Wm. Dexhimer  
Wm. A. Denny  
James M. Henry  
Chas. Kline  
Frederic Miller  
Robt. E. Montgomery  
Conrad Pilgram  
Chas. E. Rendlen  
Winfield Shuler  
Benj. Stephenson  
Bennett Ford

The following are the names of some of Capt. Theiss's company (H.), who escaped:

Capt. Adam Theiss  
Lieut. John E. Stafford  
Corp. John R. Sublett  
Isaac (?) Howard, color-bearer  
Louis Taylor  
John Cummings  
Ephriam J. Folen  
Jack Calvert  
Enoch Hunt  
Frank Barns, wounded  
Wm. Parker  
[editors addition - Edward Knox Irwin - see note below]

The seventy-nine bodies buried at Centralia were disinterred December 17, 1873, under direction of Capt. Nelson, and forwarded to Jefferson City, and reinterred in the national cemetery at that place. James A. Harris had the contract for taking them up, for which he received \$150. A monument which had been placed over the grave was removed by C.A. Brown for \$30. About fifty-six bodies were taken up the first day. The bones, clothing, cartridge boxes, belts, etc., were well preserved. The skeletons were small, indicating they were of young men. Those who buried them say they *were* young men, in most cases, with smooth faces and without even mustaches. Seventy-nine skulls were taken out of this grave, each with a bullet hole in it.



## The 1864 Federal Draft Names of Boone County Citizens Drafted

The following is quoted directly from *The History of Boone County Missouri* by W.F. Switzler originally published in 1882, page 468. Given Switzler notes I have to wonder if anyone showed up as a result of this draft.

### THE FEDERAL DRAFT - NAMES OF BOONE COUNTY CITIZENS DRAFTED

On November 14, 1864, there was a draft at Provost Marshal Lovelaces's headquarters in St. Charles, in which one hundred and sixty-four of the citizens of Boone county, some white, some black, drew prizes, and prizes which cost some of them several months' service in the Federal army, and a large number of them from \$300 to \$750 for substitutes. The apparent deficit of Boone county was 82. To meet this 164, or double the number were drawn. The number to fill the quota of 82 was taken from the list in the order in which they were drawn, excluding of course those whom the examining board might exempt for disabilities, and those who had died, or who since the enrollment, had enlisted in the United States army. The draft was for one year.

THE LIST OF DRAFTED MEN		
Index	Name	Notes
1	John Adair	furnished substitute for one year
2	Robert Henry	exempted from draft
3	James Pigg	did not report (bushwacker)
4	Peter Palmer	did not report
5	Benj. Mead, Jr.	did not report
6	Morgan Reams	exempted from draft
7	Robert R. McBain	furnished substitute for one year
8	John W. Asbury	did not report
9	Henry N. Ess	tutor in the State University, furnished substitute for one year
10	Henry Robinett	did not report
11	John R. Boulton	furnished substitute for one year
12	Daniel Phillips	did not report
13	Pollard W. Graves	furnished substitute for three years
14	John M. Samuel	furnished substitute for three years
15	Alfred Stephens	did not report
16	Andrew J. Bryson	did not report
17	Azariah Martin	did not report
18	George H. Akeman	furnished substitute for one year
19	Joel Kirtley (colored)	held to personal service
20	Elias Elliott	did not report
21	Lewis Ashbury (colored)	did not report
22	Wm. Barnes	did not report
23	Frederick Wilcox (colored)	did not report
24	Wm. Albright	did not report
25	Lewis M. Switzler	assistant editor of the Statesman, furnished substitute for one year
26	Wm. H. Barnett	did not report
27	John F. Evans	furnished substitute for one year
28	Nathaniel Harris	did not report
29	David Vivion	furnished substitute for three years
30	W.A. Darnally	did not report
31	Elijah G. Taylor	did not report
32	Clay Ballew	did not report
33	Jacob Strawn	furnished substitute for three years
34	Riley Christian	did not report
35	Samuel M. Jones	tutor in the State University, exempted from draft
36	Milton A. Wiggington	did not report
37	James M. Smith	did not report
38	Asa C. Nichols	furnished substitute for three years
39	Eli Lanham	did not report (in Confederate army)
40	H.W. Richardson	did not report
41	Stephen Todd (colored)	did not report (later in U.S. Army)
42	Edward Mansfield	former foreman in Statesman office, then in St.Louis or Memphis,

		did not report
43	Anthony Clarkson (colored)	exempted from draft
44	Samuel S. Hagan	did not report
45	Alfred E. Grubbs	did not report (in Condederate army)
46	Lewis Vanhorn (colored)	held to personal service
47	Morrison Powell	did not report
48	Isaac Lamme	did not report
49	Wm. Beazley (colored)	exempted from draft
50	R.C. Dyson	exempted from draft
51	John M. Brown	furnished substitute for one year
52	Hiram Cowden	did not report
53	John E. Blakemore	did not report
54	Wm. D. Oliver	held to personal service
55	James Petty	id not report
56	Peter Lyons	did not report
57	Thomas Gibson	did not report
58	Wm. A. Harris	furnished substitute for three years
59	Robert T. Sapp	furnished substitute for three years
60	Charles Todd (colored)	held to personal service
61	Joseph E. Proctor	furnished substitute for three years
62	Thomas L. Burdett	did not report
63	David Mead	did not report (in Confederate army)
64	Ashby Crump	furnished substitute for one year
65	Henry L. Cook	did not report (in Confederate army or in the bushes)
66	Horace W. Gold	did not report
67	Pleasant R. Nicholson	did not report
68	John E. Woolfolk	furnished substitute for one year
69	Wm. J. Simms	did not report
70	Harry C. Summers	did not report
71	James E. Tucker	furnished substitute for one year
72	Wm. T. Shock	furnished substitute for one year
73	Levi Hickam (colored)	held to personal service
74	Thomas Milhollin	did not report (in Gratiot Prison)
75	Frank Sappington (colored)	held to personal service
76	Thomas Dunbar	did not report
77	James R. Hagan	did not report
78	Robert Melloway	did not report
79	Robert B. Coleman	did not report (in Confederate army)
80	John D. Patton	did not report
81	Wallace Williams (colored)	did not report (in U.S. Army)
82	James A. McQuitty	did not report
83	Robert P. Waters	furnished substitute for three years
84	John Rogers	did not report
85	Lawson G. Drury	furnished substitute for one year
86	Augustus Levi	did not report
87	Jesse Claypole	did not report

88	James Harris	did not report (in Confederate army)
89	Jacob Smith (colored)	did not report
90	Wm. Bestwick	did not report
91	Nathan Roberts	did not report
92	Frank Thomas	held to personal service
93	Creed Conley (colored)	did not report (in U.S. army)
94	Solomon Grindstaff	held to personal service
95	Wm. F. Hall	exempted from draft
96	Carter Chandler	furnished substitute for one year
97	James S. Yeager	did not report
98	John N. Ward	did not report
99	Michael Speilman	furnished substitute for one year
100	James J. Winscott	did not report
101	James J. Arnott	held to personal service
102	Wm. Allen, Sen.	did not report (reported by letter; very sick at home)
103	Samuel Street	did not report
104	Benjamin Jenkins	did not report
105	Sydney Hume	furnished substitute for one year
106	Abraham Ewing	did not report
107	John R. Garth	furnished substitute for three years
108	L.W. Hendrix	held to personal service
109	Robert Gordon	did not report
110	Joseph Hall	did not report
111	Edward Bass (colored)	exempted from draft
112	Wm. Hunter	exempted from draft
113	James W. Singleton	did not report
114	James Slate	exempted from draft (later in U.S. Army)
115	Andrew Peyton	did not report
116	Henry Grindstaff	exempted from draft
117	Joseph Roberts (colored)	did not report
118	Samuel Simms	held to personal service
119	Robert H. Woolfolk	furnished substitute for three years
120	Wm. H. Crane	exempted from draft (the 6th of our Union Cranes)
121	Ambrose W. Hulen	did not report
122	Enoch C. Dooley	furnished substitute for three years
123	Squire Searcy (colored)	did not report
124	James Davis	did not report
125	Henry Colvin	did not report
126	Amos Bartley	did not report
127	Benjamin F. Davis	did not report (at medical school, Jefferson college, Philla.)
128	Isaac Henry (colored)	held to personal service
129	John L. Hines	did not report
130	Thomas Spillman	exempted from draft
131	Robert E. Smith	exempted from draft
132	Henry F. Williams	furnished substitute for one year

133	Liright Vandiver	furnished substitute for three years
134	James M. Dinwiddie	furnished substitute for three years
135	Ben. F. Williamson	did not report (in Confederate army)
136	Stephen W. Pigg	furnished substitute for one year
137	James M. Strode	furnished substitute for three years
138	Thomas H. Keene	furnished substitute for one year
139	James H. Turner	furnished substitute for one year
140	Samuel Clinton	held to personal service
141	Matthew Evans	exempted from draft
142	Simeon Christian	furnished substitute for one year
143	Alonzo Wright	furnished substitute for one year
144	Silas Senior	held to personal service
145	Joseph Sappington	did not report
146	Silas Hudson (colored)	exempted from draft
147	Jacob Palm	exempted from draft
148	Harvey Parker (colored)	held to personal service
149	Thomas Ballew (colored)	exempted from draft
150	John M. Shock	furnished substitute for three years
151	Columbus Hunter	held to personal service
152	James R. Selby	furnished substitute for one year
153	Lewis McAfee (colored)	held to personal service
154	John H. Seymour	did not report
155	Wm. Fagg	held to personal service
156	Samuel Boyd	did not report
157	John Conway (colored)	held to personal service
158	Daniel Robinett	held to personal service
159	James B. Stansbury	did not report
160	Sylvester Dines	did not report
161	John F. Cato	did not report (in California)
162	Jesse G. Long	did not report
163	Wm. Irvin	did not report (near Quincy, IL)
164	Jeff. B. Ridgway	dead



## 1840 Census of Pensioners in Boone County, Missouri

This information was transcribed from the microfilm image of the *Census of Pensioners for Revolutionary and Military Services as Returned Under the Act for Taking the Sixth Census in 1840*. Every attempt was made to ensure the information on this page is exactly as printed in the original Census. No attempt was made to change or edit the material.

The 1840 Census was taken on 01 June 1840.

Pensioner	Age	Head of Household	Boone Co., Township
Abrm. Grindstaff	45	Abrm. Grindstaff	Cedar
Ann Gentry	49	Ann Gentry	Columbia
Elizabeth Burks	78	George Sexton	Persia
Gershom Fleeke	43	Gershom Fleeke	Cedar
John Connelly	78	Sanford Connelly	Rocky Fork
John Deavenport	48	John Deavenport	Rocky Fork
John Reams	58	John Reams	Rocky Fork
Radford McCargo	78	Radford McCargo	Rocky Fork
Reuben Hatton	78	Reuben Hatton	Missouri
Robert Lemon	85	Robert Lemon	Missouri
Samuel Elgin	82	Samuel Elgin	Missouri
William Armstrong	82	John Reed	Columbia
William Pennington	55	William Pennington	Missouri