

Civil War Burials in the Fort Snelling Post Cemetery

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tion along Taylor Avenue. Thereafter no new burials were made in the old cemetery. As the area of the lower post on the Mississippi River bluff was developed in 1904 by the addition of two new cavalry barracks and four stables, graves in the old cemetery were removed to the cemetery on the upper post. When the Fort Snelling National Cemetery was established in 1939, all of the graves in the newer post cemetery were moved there.

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Listed as buried in post cemetery, April 1866.

Name	Company	Unit	Date of Death	Notes
Oswood, Frederick	C	2 nd Minnesota Infantry	13 Oct 1861	Rosters show Oswald
Crosby, Rueben H.	H	2 nd Minnesota Infantry	27 Sept 1861	
Anderson, Andrew	E	10 th Minnesota Infantry	3 Oct 1862	Rosters show 3 Nov 1862.
Sutton, Benjamin	H	27 th Iowa Infantry	13 Oct 1862	Roster states died of disease 29 Oct. The newly mustered 27 th Iowa arrived at Fort Snelling on 13 Oct. for service against the Indians.
Cady, Charles M.	A	5 th Minnesota Infantry	3 April 1862	
Harris, Joshua	A	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	12 Nov 1862	
Ives, George	D	10 th Minnesota Infantry	13 Nov 1862	
Younglas, Erick	D	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	23 Nov 1862	Rosters show Ljunglof.
Birch	B	6 th Minnesota Infantry	5 Dec 1862	Rosters show Alonzo Birch.
Harding, H.P.	B	27 th Iowa Infantry	15 Dec 1862	Roster states died of disease in hospital 10 Dec. The 27 th Iowa had left Fort Snelling in early Nov.
Logan, Thomas	K	6 th Minnesota Infantry	16 Dec 1862	Rosters show William Logan.
Cadwell, Alex	I	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	18 Dec 1862	
Bundy, Orren	I	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	26 Dec 1862	Rosters show Orin and 25 Dec.
Gibson, S. T.	H	6 th Minnesota Infantry	30 Dec 1862	Rosters show Samuel.
Alderman, Alex	F	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	10 Jan 1863	Rosters show discharged with company on 2 Dec 1863
Parker, George	M	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	19 Jan 1863	Rosters show as sergeant, not private.

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Perkins, David	B	6 th Minnesota Infantry	27 Jan 1863	Rosters show 26 Jan.
Anderson, Gustavus	D	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	1 Feb 1863	
McMann, John	K	6 th Minnesota Infantry	11 Feb 1863	
Boss, James F.	B	6 th Minnesota Infantry	23 Feb 1863	Rosters show Company C.
Beck, John	F	8 th Minnesota Infantry	24 April 1863	
Truesdell, Gilbert	A	5 th Minnesota Infantry	20 July 1863	
Sullivan, John	E	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	12 Aug 1863	
McKisson, David	K	6 th Minnesota Infantry	30 Aug 1863	
Newell, Charles W.	F	6 th Minnesota Infantry	14 Sept 1863	
Cary, Marvin	C	Independent Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	8 Oct 1863	Rosters show Carry.
Johnson, Peter	H	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	19 Oct 1863	
Woodworth, Lee	A	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	24 Nov 1863	Rosters show Lee, Woodworth.
Gordon, W.A.	K	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	7 Feb 1864	Not in rosters. Listed as William A. Gordy on 1882 cemetery list.
Jones, William		11 th Ohio Battery	22 Feb 1864	Associated with 4 th Minnesota Infantry.
Harrison, James	G	8 th Minnesota Infantry	28 Feb 1864	Not in rosters.
Swartwood, Jacob	L	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	1 March 1864	
Wagoner, James	M	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	2 March 1864	Not in rosters.
Peck, I.S. (or C.S.)	Recruit	5 th or 8 th Minnesota Infantry	7 March 1864	Not in rosters. Listed as H. Speck on 1882 cemetery list.
Berry, Lewis	D	6 th Minnesota Infantry	7 March 1864	Not in rosters.
Speed, W.	Recruit		7 March 1864	Not in rosters.
Williams, Thomas	E	Independent Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	22 March 1864	Not in rosters.
Burt, George	C	1 st Minnesota Infantry	24 March 1864	

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Lambert, Zebina	D	Brackett's Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	27 March 1864	
Ward, William	K	4 th Minnesota Infantry	2 April 1864	Rosters show Willard.
Harris, Wesley	I	1 st Minnesota Infantry	10 April 1864	
Watson, John S.	C	4 th Minnesota Infantry	17 April 1864	Not in rosters.
Robinson, Charles E.	Recruit	1 st Battery, Light Artillery	19 April 1864	Unit designation from National Archives.
Rogers, John	Recruit - A	Brackett's Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	21 April 1864	Unit designation from National Archives.
Rogers, Ernest	Recruit - A	Brackett's Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	23 April 1864	Unit designation from rosters. Rosters show Eugene.
Pratt, Miles G.	D	1 st Minnesota Infantry	23 April 1864	Rosters list cause of death as smallpox
Bradly, J.F.	B	9 th Minnesota Infantry	30 April 1864	Not in rosters.
Jeffery, Richard E.	Recruit - D	7 th Minnesota Infantry	21 May 1864	Unit designation from National Archives.
Whittier, Charles	Recruit		3 June 1864	Not in rosters.
Foster, James H.	D	8 th Minnesota Infantry	19 June 1864	
Connelly, George	H	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	20 June 1864	Rosters show September.
Lewis, James H.	K	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	25 June 1864	Rosters show cause of death as drowning
Morrell, William		3 rd Minnesota Battery	13 Sept 1864	
Brown, F.S.	F	10 th Minnesota Infantry	5 Oct 1864	
Albeck, Fredrick	A	Independent Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	9 Oct 1864	Not in rosters.
Cates, Isaac	K	8 th Minnesota Infantry	23 Oct 1864	
Welch, Fredrick		Independent Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	29 Oct 1864	Unit designation from National Archives.
Coon, Alfred	G	30 th Wisconsin Infantry	9 Nov 1864	

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McCarty, Florence	Recruit – H	10 th Minnesota Infantry	2 Dec 1864	Company designation from rosters. Rosters show McCarthy, mustered out 11 May 1865
Mason, James	M	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	3 Dec 1864	Not in rosters.
Ackerman, David I.	H	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	31 Dec 1864	
Wentworth, John H.	K	6 th Minnesota Infantry	5 Jan 1865	
Ross, C.	Recruit		12 Jan 1865	Probably 16-year-old Charles Roos, recruited as a drummer in the 3 rd Minnesota, who died following hazing by other soldiers.
McCoy, John	Recruit		8 March 1865	Not in rosters.
Lewis, Jacob	Recruit – E	1 st Minnesota Infantry	25 March 1865	1 st Battalion
St. Luke, Joseph	C	4 th Minnesota Infantry	18 April 1865	
Callahan, Stephen B.	Recruit	1 st Minnesota Infantry	27 May 1865	1 st Battalion. Unit designation from National Archives.
Horton, John	F	3 rd Illinois Cavalry	14 June 1865	The 3 rd Illinois arrived in St. Paul on 14 June and departed Fort Snelling on 4 July for service in Dakota Territory.
Decker, James	C	3 rd Illinois Cavalry	18 June 1865	Roster states accidentally killed 19 June 1865.
Berger, Charles	H	3 rd Illinois Cavalry	23 June 1865	
Peterson, John	H	2 nd Minnesota Infantry	17 July 1865	Rosters show mustered out 11 July 1865
Devine, Thomas	D	1 st Minnesota Infantry	22 July 1865	1 st Battalion. Rosters show mustered out 14 July 1865
Hadam, Charles	E	4 th Minnesota Infantry	30 July 1865	Rosters show mustered out 19 July 1865

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Moran, A.	E	10 th Minnesota Infantry	11 Aug 1865	Rosters show Patrick Morin.
Olson, John	C	7 th Minnesota Infantry	13 Aug 1865	Rosters state absent on discharge of unit, supposed to have been discharged.
Hatsaul, Christian	F	10 th Minnesota Infantry	13 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 29 Aug 1865
Mohrman, Fred	H	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	17 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 28 July 1865
Burroughs, William	C	6 th Minnesota Infantry	14 Aug 1865	
H. Carrier, Silas D.	F	10 th Minnesota Infantry	23 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 19 Aug 1865
Pohl, Henry	H	7 th Minnesota Infantry	26 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 14 Aug 1865
Prentiss, Thomas D.	B	10 th Minnesota Infantry	27 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 19 Aug 1865
McCormick, Jacob C.	E	7 th Minnesota Infantry	28 Aug 1865	Rosters show mustered out 16 Aug 1865
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Adams, John D.	H	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	14 Sept 1865	Rosters show mustered out 2 Sept 1865
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Cook, Marshall L.	F	1 st Minnesota Heavy Artillery	26 Sept 1865	Rosters state discharged while absent from company in '65.
Wiggins, Jesse	L	1 st Minnesota Heavy Artillery	5 Oct 1865	Rosters state discharged from hospital in '65.
O' Donnell, Cornelius	A	10 th United States Infantry	15 Dec 1865	
Lambert, B.	H	10 th United States Infantry	15 Dec 1865	
Henry, H.	H	10 th United States Infantry	15 Dec 1865	
Turner, William	D	10 th United States Infantry	17 Dec 1865	

Noted in rosters as having died at Fort Snelling, unknown burial location

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Reed, John	C	5 th Minnesota Infantry	17 Mar 62	
Beardsley, Stephen L.	C	5 th Minnesota Infantry	23 Mar 62	
Van Ness, Robert H.		2 nd Battery, Light Artillery	11 Apr 62	
Pascoe, Richard	E	4 th Minnesota Infantry	18 April 62	
Wallace, H.H.	F	5 th Minnesota Infantry	22 April 62	
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Bickford, William A.	A	5 th Minnesota Infantry	17 June 62	
Hassler, Charles	D	3 rd Minnesota Infantry	9 Sept 62	
Ellsworth, Thomas	C	1 st Minnesota Mounted Rangers	21 Oct 62	
Gillett, Thomas E.	H	6 th Minnesota Infantry	30 Dec 62	
Turner, John	A	Independent Battalion Minnesota Volunteer Cavalry	2 Sept 63	
Herrick, Edward	B	7 th Minnesota Infantry	16 Sept 63	
Brewer, Henry	B	6 th Minnesota Infantry	1 Nov 63	
Powers, Thomas	H	10 th Minnesota Infantry	8 Dec 63	
Magner, James	M	2 nd Minnesota Cavalry	2 Mar 64	
Cheaney, John	H	7 th Minnesota Infantry	1 Apr 65	

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Capt. C. W. Nash, Chief Quartermaster of the Military District of Minnesota in 1866. Osman collection.

Minnesota in the Civil and Indian Wars

View of the Fort Snelling Post Cemetery, 1904, Minnesota Historical Society (MHS negative 25551)

Removal of graves from the Post Cemetery, 1904, Minnesota Historical Society (MHS negative 25547)

immigration or technology), or a kind of record (e.g., passenger lists, newspapers), look here. Started by genealogist Cyndi Howells in 1996, the site contains more than 190,000 links. As we go to press, the site has received a facelift, making it even easier to use.

Notes:

1. Be a discriminating consumer of the information from these or any other online tree. Examine the relationships presented—are they logical? Are parents old enough to have produced the children listed? Are sources provided for the information in the tree?
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An Unusual Obituary

Editor's note: In the last issue of *Minnesota Genealogist*, Gayle Geber wrote about the challenges of writing about uncomfortable events in family history. The author of a recent obituary, and probably also the departed loved one, apparently thought that a little humor can help. These three paragraphs are excerpted from an obituary published in the Williamsport (PA) *Sun-Gazette* <http://Sun-Gazette.com>).

"Mary was crazy. She had always been crazy. No, she never got over it. Being crazy was her full-time job. That and surviving were what she did, along with writing, the occasional post for Shakesville (a blog where she was known as Maud). She dropped out of school after her 2nd year of not attending the 10th grade, took an odd variety of courses at a variety of (mostly) community colleges, and was once fairly well-read, but had forgotten most of it."

"She was long-winded, discursive, and had a tendency to be too liberal, in some folks estimation, particularly with commas, supposing that is possible, and italics. Her favorite person EVAR was a beagle. Named Maud. She was incredibly creative and talented, especially with her poetry and gave better Christmas presents than even Santa, two years running. She loved the color purple."

"Mary knew some of you dislike the word crazy, preferring the term mentally ill, where warranted, which it was in Mary's case. She apologizes, posthumously, to anyone for whom it is unpleasant, but being it, she claims the right to own it, and this is her obituary."

Contributed by J. H. Fonkert, Editor

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