

Veterans of Civil Conflict in Annual Reunion at Gansevoort

Report of Transactions of Survivors of 77th Regiment, Who Bore Arms During the War of '61.

The report presented herewith is rendered by a member of the 77th the roster of which contains the names of many Saratogians:

A pleasant morning greeted the veterans on Friday, September 22, 1905, for their thirty-third annual reunion at Gansevoort, N. Y. It was an ideal morning, enjoyed by none more than by the assembling survivors of the Seventy-Seventh Regiment, New York Volunteers of 1861-5.

As Bill and Charlie and Tom and Ed and Jess and George and Jim and Al met and clasped hands, their countenances vied with the brightness of the morning as they said: "You are looking well, though you don't seem to be limber up as when we went hence in '61-2. I'm glad to see you again."

You, citizens, don't know, nor can you ever know the feelings of the comrades as they meet in reunion, the men who served in the defence of the Union in 1861-5; by whose valor you are now enjoying a United States, a country second to no other.

At high noon Comrade Brown, announcing dinner to the assemblage at the Brick church, stated that the veterans would be seated first. As the veterans marched two by two into the room on the first floor of the Dutch reformed church, a most generous spread met their eyes, which they found just as palatable as it looked. More pie and cake was seen there that day than a Seventy-Seventh boy saw in the field during the whole three years of his first enlistment. One hundred and six veterans were seated at the first tables. After they had fully partaken of the bountiful feast, prepared for them by the good dames and lassies of Gansevoort, they gave way to others who refilled the one hundred and six seats and after them even more were served; notwithstanding, it was reported, the commissariat was far from empty.

Assembly in Church.

At 12.35 Comrade Brown called the assembly in the audience room of the church to order, and invited Deacon Ransom K. Dwyer to invoke God's blessing. After which Comrade Brown gladly welcomed the Seventy-Seventh survivors to Gansevoort again and hoped that they would have no regret for coming the third time. He then turned the veterans' meeting over to their President, Comrade Winsor B. French, who, for more than two years their commanding officer, responded feelingly.

Secretary E. H. Fuller then called the names on the survivors' roster during which Comrades Julius Bennett "C," James C. Barber "B," Samuel Burpee "I," Alonzo D. Bump "K," Truman Duell "L," Orville S. Griffin "A," Benjamin N. Harrington "C," Alonzo Howland, "H," Charles Juber, "G," Henry H. Richards "A," George E. Russell "OK," Jacob V. Stevenson "A," George Scott "G," Josiah Stratton "T," Taylor and VanDerwerker "G," were reported dead.

The following names answered present: Robert Ancock, Erskin B. Branch, Clarence Bruso, Edgar C. Burt, Henry H. Baker, George Brady, George H. Brown, James C. Brishin, Albert M. Burrows, Edward M. Bailey, William Brooks, John E. Brainard, Charles Cutler, Charles Chapman, Edward W. Cain, William G. Caw, Daniel H. Cole, Albert H. Clements, Charles Davis, John W. Derby, Joseph Dorvee, Seth W. Deyoe, James L. DeGroof, Edward B. Deud, Emory Doollittle, Edward Evans, George H. Ellison, Winsor B. French, Edward H. Fuller, William W. Finch, J. Scott Fuller, Edwin H. Gates, Walter G. Gifford, Garrett S. Grovenstein, Cornelius S. Huyck, James H. Holsapple, C. H. J. Montgomery, Charles H. Hodges, Charles E. Houghtaling, Edwin Ham, A. Deloss Hammond, Henry Jones, Altus H. Jewell, Charles E. Jennings, Oscar F. Lockwood, Octavius Landers, William L. Lattimore, Henry H. Merrill, Lyman E. Miller, Warren E. Miller, Michael McGuire, Charles W. Mosher, John H. Mosher, Charles H. Murray, (came all the way from Yoder, Reno County, Kansas), Nathan Munn, Lester A. Pratt, Horace A. Post, Charles Palmer, Gardner Perry, George N. Peacock, Thomas Putnam, George E. Pulling, John N. Rose, George R. Reno, Cornelius Rose, John D. Riley, Frank Reed, Charles E. Stevens, James N. Slingerland, George H. Scidmore, Henry A. Smith, George D. Story, William O. Taylor, James S. Taylor, Jesse B. Thorn, Charles D. Thurber, William W. Velle, James M. Wood, William G. Watson, Lewis Wood, George L. Wendell, Henry Wilbur, Frank C. Winship, William H. Zein-stein.

There were also present the following named of other regiments: William H. Brate, E. 13th N. Y. Heavy Art. Vols.; Calvin E. Cook, K., 4th N. Y. Heavy Art. Vols.; Simpson Lendwood, G. 7th N. Y. Heavy Art. Vols.; A. D. Loud, G. 2d N. Y. Cav. Vols.; Harris Light; John S. Fasset, E. 22nd N. Y. Inf. Vols.; and 2d N. Y. Vet. Cav. Vols.; R. H. Denmore, E. 44th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; Ezra D. Green, A. 54th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; Fayette Sillick, 93d, N. Y. Inf. Vols.; William Beunty, F. 96th, N. Y. Inf. Vols.; Edgar Ham, C. Myers, Hanford Myers; Daniel Steenburg, G. W. Smith and M. B. Wood of F., and John Deyoe, G. 15th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; R. M. Cook, F. 125th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; James E. Clark, E. 128th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; Alonzo Straight, G. 134th N. Y. Inf. Vols.;

Seth Hill, H. and C. H. Lapoint, K. 153rd N. Y. Inf. Vols.; G. D. Cook, E. 169th N. Y. Inf. Vols.; Hosea B. Ormsbee, C. 13th Vermont Inf. Vols.; G. W. Grover, I. 25th Conn. Inf. Vols.; James M. Thorn, H. First United States, Sharpshooters; William L. Hoyt, 10th Regiment N. Y. Heavy Artillery.

Regrets.

Wishing a good time to those who may be present to whom remembrance is sent and regret for inability to be present received from Henry C. Bradt, Charles E. Chedel, Sanford E. Campbell, John H. Davenport, John E. Evans (a brother), Charles H. Goss, H. Hammond (an unknown), William H. Hare, James R. Hindes, Benjamin F. Judson, Franklin H. Juddett, Julius A. Jerome, Samuel E. Kidd, (by his wife as this same Kidd is meandering in California), Thomas King, Edwin A. Lockwood, James A. Lawrence, Carlos W. Rowe (who has had the misfortune to recently get his leg broken again), Henry C. Rowland (who is in feeble health because of his 78 years), William A. Rose, Benjamin T. Simon, Dennis B. Smith (an Octogenarian), Daniel C. Simonds, David Stringham, Milton F. Sweet, Simon (S.H.) Siegel, Samuel B. Shepard, Dr. George T. Stevens (by his son, because of the illness of father), Lewis Van Derwerker, William H. Wright.

A telegram which the following is a copy was sent to Doctor Comrade Stevens:

"Survivors of Seventy-Seventh New York in thirty-third reunion recalling your universal sympathy for the boys in service, heartily extend their sympathy and sincerely hope you may regain your health and be with them next year."

Comrade With Wounds.

Sanford E. Campbell, writes * * * "my left leg which was hurt in the spring of 1862 before Yorktown and my right hip which was wounded at Winchester, Sept. 19, 1864, makes it necessary for me to stay close at home, for the wounds have to be dressed three or four times daily and I can get around only by the aid of a cane or crutch. On the 3d of July, 1863, we were standing in battle line supporting one of Gen. Slocum's batteries. As I was in the rear ranks I stepped back and leaned against a small tree. A shell came along taking off the under jaw of a horse, the forelegs from two others, plowed the ground making the stones fly to beat the band as onward it went without injuring me. It was a narrow escape."

Benjamin F. Judson, writes * * * "it was in the spring of 1862, we were in camp near Newport News, Va. The General of our Brigade, the Colonel and Lieutenant Colonel had gone over to Fortress Monroe, the Major was away and I was temporarily in command of the Regiment. After officiating as Colonel at dress parade Lieutenant Wheeler and myself strolled to the banks of the James River, and interestedly watching about three hundred of our boys enjoying fine sport swimming. A rebel gunboat approached from the vicinity of Yorktown and burst within a few yards of the swimmers, fortunately not wounding one. I ordered up a section of a battery of our brigade, but before it could get in position to fire, the gun boat changed front and disappeared, throwing shells as it went, over and in our camp vicinity, which, because of the elevation of our position, spent their fury in the wood beyond our camp. This was the second exchange of shot our regiment had with the enemy."

His Waterloo.

Thomas King, writes: * * * "The battle of Cedar Creek was my Waterloo, for I was captured there and taken to that fine old boarding house, Liberty, between which and the old Virginia mud broke me physically and which, I think, induced the stroke of apoplexy I had four years since, since which I have been a helpless old soldier who wishes particularly to be remembered to the comrades of his company, F."

Charles H. Murray, whose home is in Hutchinson, Kansas, writes: * * * "I have just got home from the West; been in Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona, California, Oregon, Washington, Montana, Wyoming, but saw nothing so good as my old home in Kansas. I am not feeling well after my long journey, yet I hope to be at the reunion September 22." Comrade Murray was looking fatigued, tired. May he live long and be able to be present with the "boys" again and again.

Milton F. Sweet writes: * * * "I was with the regiment three years and seven months; never missed a roll call, except during the thirty-five days while home on veteran's furlough. I was just a lucky boy. The battle of Fort Stevens was a hot one for the time it lasted. Two of my company comrades fell, Ambrose Mattot killed and Billy Lattimore wounded; three balls went through the well house while I was there getting water."

Lost Tentmates.

William H. Wright, writes: "I remember September 5, 1862, the first time our regiment was under fire, my tentmate, John Northrup, was killed, the first man killed in the regiment. During the nearly four years we were out seven of my tentmates were killed. I was wounded twice. I well remember July 3, 1863, after that thirty-five

mile march, arriving at Gettysburg just at dusk and going into battle on the double quick. How gladly would I be with you on the 22d inst, only could I."

William G. Watson, writes: "I expect to be there and eat a bean and renew greetings with comrades. Whether I was one of the lucky or unlucky 'Boys in Blue' is just as one looks at it. I never took a rebel battery single handed and alone, or captured a rebel flag; I tried to do my duty day by day and obey orders of my superiors. I am one of the lucky boys who thanks the Lord for sparing my life to return to loved ones and friends, for it was the Lord that changed the course of that bullet that passed through my body that first night in the Wilderness, Va. I never thanked that rebel for he did the best he could, to render me harmless, and no doubt thought he had mustered out another Yank; but the Lord was my shield and salvation, in Him did I put my trust and He did not fail me, as He never does those who put their trust in Him. I often wonder why old boys most like to tell of some scrape or devilry they were relative to than to tell of the good they tried to do, to help each other, or, the cause we all risked our lives for. I could tell of the trials and hardships of getting off of the field after being wounded and back to the hospital; of how I hoped to get back north, but brought up in Annapolis, Md., where I helped to come back some of those poor boys who came back from Andersonville."

Comrade Charles E. Stevens, Daniel H. Cole and George H. Brown were appointed a committee to prepare a minute relative to those comrades reported dead since the last meeting.

Balance On Hand

Treasurer Charles D. Thurber's report, that after paying the expenses of the last reunion report, cutting grass and cleaning about monument, and notices of the present reunion, there is \$21.54 on hand, was adopted.

The boys of Gansevoort, imbued with the same spirit of patriotism as those of other towns, got together for the purpose of raising a company in answer to Congressman James B. McKean's letter of August 21, 1861, to his constituents of the Fifteenth Congressional District, for volunteers for the defense of the Union. The company became G of the Seventy-seventh Regiment, and when the regiment broke "Camp Schuyler," November 28, 1861, G company had on its rolls the names of eighty-four members.

"Where Are They Now?"

Calvin A. Rice, captain, discharged to date January 8, 1863, dead.

George S. Orr, first lieutenant, promoted captain, discharged December 13, 1864, alive.

Lucius E. Shurtieff, second lieutenant, became quartermaster, dead.

William K. Young, second lieutenant, resigned April 15, 1862, dead.

Orrin P. Rugg, first sergeant, promoted second lieutenant April 15, 1862, captain October 10, 1862, in action at Spotsylvania, Va., May 12, 1864, killed.

William J. Hammond, second sergeant, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

George M. Ross, third sergeant, promoted first sergeant April 16, 1862, second lieutenant October 5, 1862, first lieutenant January 5, 1863, captain August 25, 1864, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

Frank C. Winship, fourth sergeant, captured October 14, 1863, paroled November 20, 1864, at Savannah, Ga., discharged December 13, 1864, present.

Isaac Bemis, fifth sergeant, re-enlisted as a private December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

Clinton B. Fay, first corporal, discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability May 10, 1862, unknown.

Lyman Van Denberg, second corporal, promoted sergeant December 26, 1862, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, dead.

Frank Harris, third corporal, discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability November 24, 1862, dead.

Wallace W. Wickham, fourth corporal, discharged on surgeon's certificate of disability October 1, 1862, dead.

Nathaniel M. Rice, fifth corporal, discharged November 9, 1862, on surgeon's certificate of disability, alive.

David N. Weatherwax, sixth corporal, promoted first sergeant July 7, 1864, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

Taylor J. Newall, seventh corporal, discharged November 22, 1862, on surgeon's certificate of disability, dead.

Willard J. Dennison, eighth corporal, discharged March 25, 1863, on surgeon's certificate of disability, dead.

Ambrose McDodch, musician, re-enlisted as a private December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, unknown.

Albert Close, musician, discharged October 1, 1862, on surgeon's certificate of disability, dead.

Private Dennis Avery, for disability, discharged May 5, 1862, dead.

Russell Avery, captured May 3, 1863, unknown.

William H. Austin, discharged for disability August 28, 1862, unknown.

William Bartman, discharged for disability February 28, 1862, dead.

James C. Brishin, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged October 3, 1865, wounded May 6, 1864, Wilderness and April 19, 1864, at Winchester, present.

Edward Brady, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, present.

Charles H. Bartlett, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

Albert M. Burrows, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, wounded twice near Petersburg, Va., on September 21, 1864, and April 2, 1865, discharged July 25, 1865, present.

Henry B. Barker, discharged December 13, 1864, present.

Charles Bordwell, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

Charles Chapman, discharged for disability November 6, 1862, present.

John A. Chase, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, dead.

George W. Close, of disease March 12, 1862, Camp Griffin, Va., died.

Joseph Cartright, deserted, November 23, 1861, dead.

George De Long, discharged December 31, 1864, unknown.

Henry G. Gurney, discharged May 6, 1863, for disability, dead.

Walter G. Gifford, discharged October 4, 1862, for disability, present.

Jonah D. Groesbeck, discharged January 10, 1863, for disability, dead.

Freeman Guibert, captured May 30, 1864, paroled February 2, 1865, discharged March 30, 1865, unknown.

James Harrington, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

John W. Hilton, at hospital, Annapolis, Md., June 27, 1862, died.

William H. Hare, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

E. Hurlburt, deserted November 23, 1861, dead.

John Horrihan, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, promoted corporal April 22, 1863, at Cedar Creek, Va., October 19, 1864, killed.

Philip Hartee, deserted, November 23, 1861, dead.

Charles A. Hull, deserted, November 23, 1861, dead.

Charles Juber, for disability, discharged April 24, 1862, dead.

Joseph Jump, deserted from U. S. hospital, Annapolis, Md., on expiration of furlough, July 6, 1862, unknown.

Samuel Kidd, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

Octavius Landers, discharged for disability April 22, 1863, present.

William T. Lattimore, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, wounded July 12, 1864, at Fort Stevens, D. C., discharged June 27, 1865, present.

Martin Lowery, of disease at Meridian Hill, D. C., December 29, 1861, died.

Samuel Malison, of disease at Camp Griffin, Va., March 22, 1862, died.

Samuel McGowan, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, wounded September 19, 1864, at Winchester, absent on furlough when battalion mustered out June, 1865, dead.

Henry M. Myers, promoted corporal, wounded May 10, 1864, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

Jeffrey D. Merrill, transferred to Third New York Independent Battery November 13, 1863, alive.

Henry M. Moody, of disease at U. S. Lincoln hospital, Washington, D. C., August 4, 1863, died.

Daniel Morse, for disability, discharged February 3, 1863, dead.

Daniel E. Morse, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, discharged June 27, 1865, dead.

Charles Munn, of wounds received September 17, 1862, at Antietam, October 19, 1862, at West Philadelphia, Pa., died.

Michael Mehan, deserted January 14, 1862, dead.

John Robinson, of disease at hospital Alexandria, Va., April 17, 1862, died.

Reuben E. Robinson, discharged for disability March 3, 1863, dead.

Oliver Shaw, promoted corporal, missing in action May 10, 1864, at Spotsylvania, Va., never having been seen or heard from since, undoubtedly killed.

Charles S.H., re-enlisted December 25, 1863, detailed as clerk in A. G. O. Volunteer Department May 15, 1869, discharged June 1865, unknown.

William Sweet, of disease at Fort Monroe, Va., September 1, 1862, died.

Milton F. Sweet, re-enlisted December 25, 1863, promoted corporal July 1, 1864, discharged June 27, 1865, alive.

Rowland Sherman, discharged December 13, 1864, dead.

Washington Sherman, promoted 1st sergeant October 4, 1862 at Spotsylvania, Va., May 10, 1864, killed.

James Shurtler, at Newport News, Va., of disease April 11, 1862, died.

John Stone, captured June 30, 1862 at Savage Station, Va., while sick in hospital, paroled at Aiken Landing, Va., August 5, 1862, discharged for disability November 4, 1862, dead.

Dudley E. See, of disease at Meridian Hill, D. C. January 21, 1862, died.

George L. Tucker, for disability September 27, 1863 discharged, alive.

James C. Van Denberg, re-enlisted December 25, 1863 in action at Spotsylvania May 10, 1869 missing, probably killed.

Sidney Van Denberg, for disability discharged March 19, 1862, dead.

James H. Carr, wounded May 10, 1864 at Spotsylvania, discharged June 16, 1865, unknown.

Alfred Chase, at Fort Fisher, Va., March 26, 1865, killed.

Henry H. Darrow, of wounds received May 18, 1864 at Spotsylvania, at Alexandria, Va., June 23, 1864, died.

George H. Ellison, discharged at Washington, D. C., June 16, 1865, present.

T. Scott Fuller, captured May 6, 1864, in Wilderness, paroled December 10, 1864, at Charleston, S. C., discharged at Washington, D. C., June 16, 1865, present.

John A. Gazely, captured in charge at Fredericksburg, Va., May 3, 1863, paroled at City Point, Va. May 15, 1863, discharged September 25, 1889 to date June 1, 1863, unknown.

Alexander Hoyt, transferred to First N. Y. Independent Battery December 5, 1863, dead.

John H. Hinchley, of disease in hospital, Liberty Hall, Va., June 27, 1862, dead.

Jerome Hewitt, for disability at Washington, D. C., February 28, 1862, discharged, dead.

Thomas Hackett, wounded August 21, 1864, discharged at Washington, D. C., June 16, 1865, dead.

A. Deloss Hammond, wounded in Wilderness, May 6, 1864, discharged at Philadelphia, Pa., for wounds, July 22, 1865, present.

Warren C. Hall, wounded May 3, 1863, at Fredericksburg, and May 12, 1864 at Spotsylvania, discharged at Elmira, N. Y., May 12, 1865, unknown.

Frank Hall, wounded May 10, 1864, at Spotsylvania, at Cedar Creek, Va., October 19, 1864, killed.

George Ingersoll, discharged February 24, 1865, dead.

Francis Leake, for disability at Fort Columbia, N. Y., harbor, December 4, 1863, discharged, dead.

Charles Leake, of disease at Lincoln hospital, Washington, D. C., January 10, 1863, died.

Peter Murphy, wounded July 12, 1864, at Fort Stevens, D. C., discharged at Mower General Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., June 22, 1865, dead.

William McNeal, transferred to 3d N. Y. Independent Battery, December 13, 1863, dead.

Hugh McMahon, wounded May 3, 1863, at Fredericksburg, Va., deserted in August 1864 from a hospital, unknown.

Ambrose Matott, promoted corporal May 28, 1864, at Fort Stevens, D. C., July 12, 1864, killed.

Martin Nash, of disease at Camp Alexandria Va., September 26, 1862, died.

George Purdy, detached April 10, 1863, and transferred to 3d Independent Battery April 26, 1864, dead.

Thomas Putnam, captured May 4, 1863, at Fredericksburg, Va., paroled May 15, 1863, at City Point, Va., wounded September 19, 1864, at Winchester, discharged at General Hospital, Fredericksburg, Va., May 31, 1865, present.

Edmund A. Phillips, promoted corporal, of wounds received May 12, 1864, at Spotsylvania, May 28, 1864, at Alexandria, Va., died.

Gilbert N. Rose, of disease at Newport News, Va., May 5, 1862, died.

John Rose, deserted June 24, 1862, Camp Lincoln, Va., unknown.

George Scott, wounded May 3, 1863, at Fredericksburg, Va., dead.

Patrick Savage, wounded May 10, 1864, Spotsylvania, re-enlisted February 17, 1864, discharged at Washington, D. C., July 24, 1865, dead.

Reuben Thompson, for disability at Philadelphia, Pa., June 14, 1863, discharged, dead.

Loren M. Toms, of disease, at Regimental Hospital February 10, 1863, died.

Lewis VanDenburg, captured October 5, 1863, in Hospital at Andersonville, Ga., June 22, 1864, died.

Henry Wilbur, discharged at Washington, D. C., June 16, 1865, present.

Of these whereabouts of five are unknown, six are present and twenty-seven are dead. From muster in, November 23, 1861, to muster out, June 1865, G company had 122 names on its roster. The whereabouts of 13 are unknown, 27 are alive, of whom 16 are present and 82 are dead.

History of Companies

Sec'y Fuller stated that for the past five years at each reunion he had read a brief sketch of a company at place, or adjacent, from where called, starting off with "D" in 1901, when reunion was held at Wiltonville, because "D" was called the Wilton company; in 1902 new "K" at Schuylerville; in 1903, "H," the Charlton company, at Schenectady; in 1904, "E," the Greenfield company, at Hagamans; in 1905, this year, "G," the Gansevoort company, here in Gansevoort.

"Believing they are interesting to comrade survivors," he said, "I hope to give the other six companies, 'C' next year in Saratoga Springs; 'old K' at Gloversville in 1907; 'B' at Ballston in 1908; 'F' at Stillwater—which will include Bemis Heights, Mechanicville and Stillwater—in 1909; which leaves 'A' and 'I,' the two companies from Essex county. So let us go to Westport in 1910. Then in 1911 we will return to Saratoga Springs, for it will then be fifty years since the Seventy-Seventh was mustered into the service of the United States and went to war in all the refuge of youth who knew not what battle was, but who learned ere the 'Cruel War Was Over'—and may we all be present then."

Comrade Thurber read the following resolution, which was adopted by a rising vote:

"Resolved, That the thanks of the surviving members of the Seventy-Seventh Regiment be, and they are hereby, extended to our secretary and comrade, Edward H. Fuller, for his manifest and extraordinary interest in our organization; and the efficient manner in which he has performed, and is constantly performing his duties as secretary, and particularly for his company histories of the several companies of the regiment, including that of Company G, just read."

Reminiscences.

Incidents of "when we wore soldier boys" were given by Comrades French, Lockwood, Thurber; and William L. Hoyt of Elmira, R. F. D. No. 1, Saratoga County, Tenth Regiment, N. Y. Heavy, called Black River, Artillery,

twin brother to Leroy Hoyt, who at 18 years of age enlisted at Charlton, September 24, 1861, being mustered in as corporal "H"; promoted sergeant and then orderly sergeant September 27, 1863; re-enlisted February 14, 1864, and who was undoubtedly killed in action at Spotsylvania, Va., May 10, 1864, as he has never been seen or heard of since. Comrade Lattimore sang "Fought in the same Campaign" to the pleasure of all.

Mrs. Rice, daughter of a veteran, read a memorial poem by John Moore, of K Company.

Memorial Poem.

Welcome, friends and comrades,
Welcome one and all,
Who cheerfully responded
Unto our country's call—<