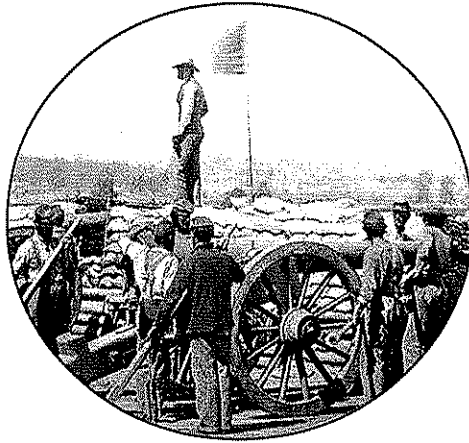


CIVIL WAR
VOLUNTEER SONS
OF CONNECTICUT
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CLINTON

THE POPULATION IN 1860 WAS 1,427 (RANK 102)

THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY OF THE CIVIL WAR

SEPTEMBER 17, 1862
SHARPSBURG, MD
(ANTIETAM)

CONNECTICUT HAD MORE CASUALTIES FOR ONE DAY THAN ON ANY OTHER DAY OF THE WAR

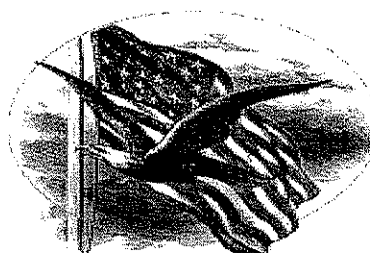
Clinton had more casualties on September 17, 1862 at the Battle of Antietam, MD (3) and on October 19, 1864 at the Battle of Cedar Creek, VA (3) than on any other days of the war. The casualties at Antietam were the most serious. Three soldiers were wounded in the 14TH Connecticut. One of the wounded soldiers died.

The date September 17, 1862 ranks 1ST for total casualties (687) (131 killed, 2 missing, 515 wounded, 21 captured, 18 wounded & captured) for a single day for the State of Connecticut. All of the casualties were at Antietam.

The Battle of Antietam (September 16-17, 1862) ranks 1ST for total casualties (689) for an engagement for the State of Connecticut. The most intense fighting developed on September 17. Clinton had all of its casualties on that day.

The Battle of Antietam with 3 total casualties for Clinton was tied with the Battle of Cedar Creek (October 1864) for the highest number of casualties for any single engagement of the war for the town.

Roughly 12,400 Union casualties were recorded and perhaps there were 10,300 Confederate casualties. Antietam proved to be one of the turning points of the war. It ended Lee's 1862 invasion of the North.



79 MEN CREDITED TO CLINTON SERVED IN THE FOLLOWING CONNECTICUT ORGANIZATIONS

<u>REGIMENT</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
14 TH	13 (17%)
24 TH	11 (14%)
10 TH	9 (13%)
1 ST HEAVY ARTILLERY	6 (8%)
15 TH	6 (8%)
29 TH	6 (8%)
11 TH	5 (6%)
27 TH	5 (6%)
2 ND HEAVY ARTILLERY	4 (5%)
6 TH	4 (5%)
7 TH	3 (4%)
12 TH	3 (4%)
1 ST SQUADRON CAVALRY	1
1 ST CAVALRY	1
2 ND LIGHT BATTERY	1
9 TH	1
12 TH BATTALION	1
13 TH	1
12 TH BATTALION	1
20 TH	1

6% OF POPULATION

THREE WERE KILLED

The first Clinton soldier killed was Corporal Albert A. Bailey of Company C, 10TH Connecticut. He was killed at Kinston, NC on December 14, 1862.

CLINTON SOLDIERS KILLED

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NO.</u>
Kinston, NC (10 TH)	12/14/62	1
Cedar Creek, VA (12 TH)	10/19/64	1
Fort Gregg, VA (10 TH)	4/2/65	1

FOUR WERE CAPTURED

No Clinton soldier died in captivity.

**CLINTON CAPTURED
NONE DIED IN CAPTIVITY**

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NO.</u>
Chancellorsville, VA (27 TH)	5/3/63	1
Drewry's Bluff, VA (11 TH)	5/16/64	1
Cold Harbor, VA (11 TH)	6/3/64	1
Cedar Creek, VA (12 TH)	10/19/64	1

**TOTAL CLINTON
CASUALTIES**

DIED	5	6%
KILLED	3	4%
WOUNDED	10	13%
CAPTURED	4	5%
DESERTED	14	18%

**TEN WERE WOUNDED**

The first Clinton soldiers wounded were Privates John W. Parks, John A. Hurd, and George H. Doane of Company G, 14TH Connecticut. They were wounded at the Battle of Antietam, MD on September 17, 1862. Doane and Hurd recovered from their wounds however Parks died. Two Clinton soldiers died from a wound received during the war.

**CLINTON WOUNDED
*(2) DIED FROM WOUNDS**

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NO.</u>
Antietam, MD (14 TH) *1	9/17/62	3
Fredericksburg VA(14 TH) *1	12/13/62	2
Kinston, NC (10 TH)	12/14/62	1
Port Hudson, LA (24 TH)	7/1/63	1
Deep Run, VA (10 TH)	8/16/64	1
Winchester, VA (12 TH)	9/19/64	1
Cedar Creek, VA (13 TH)	10/19/64	1