

**CIVIL WAR**  
**VOLUNTEER SONS**  
**OF CONNECTICUT**  
**BLAIKIE HINES**



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## LISBON

THE POPULATION IN 1860 WAS 1,262 (RANK 115)

### THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY OF THE CIVIL WAR

## MAY 7, 1864

WALTHALL JUNCTION, VA

THE UNION "ARMY OF THE  
JAMES" FAILED TO MOVE  
SWIFTLY

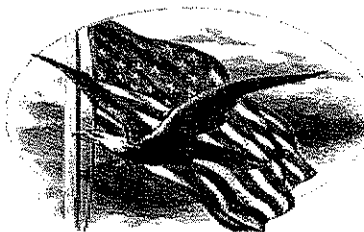
Soldiers credited to Lisbon had 11 days in the war with one casualty. The casualty at Walthall Junction was the most serious A soldier in the 8th Connecticut was wounded and died later.

The date May 7, 1864 ranks 32<sup>ND</sup> for total casualties (80) (4 killed, 1 missing, 69 wounded, 3 captured, and 3 wounded & captured) for a single day for the State of Connecticut. All of the casualties were in Virginia. They were at Walthall Junction (70), Wilderness (6), Swift's Creek (3) and Petersburg (1).

The Action at Walthall Junction (May 7-9, 1864) ranks 27<sup>TH</sup> for total casualties (71) for an engagement for the State of Connecticut.

The Action at Walthall Junction with 1 casualty for Lisbon was tied with 10 others for the 2nd highest number of casualties for any single engagement of the war for the town. The Siege of Port Hudson, LA (May-July 1863) with 2 casualties was the highest number of casualties.

In May 1864, the Army of the James, under the command of General Benjamin Butler failed to move aggressively against the Confederates dug in near Richmond and Petersburg.



42 MEN CREDITED TO  
LISBON SERVED  
IN THE FOLLOWING  
CONNECTICUT  
ORGANIZATIONS

<u>REGIMENT</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
26 <sup>TH</sup>	7 (17%)
8 <sup>TH</sup>	6 (14%)
29 <sup>TH</sup>	5 (12%)
12 <sup>TH</sup>	5 (12%)
2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 (7%)
21 <sup>ST</sup>	3 (7%)
5 <sup>TH</sup>	2 (5%)
6 <sup>TH</sup>	2 (5%)
14 <sup>TH</sup>	2 (5%)
30 <sup>TH</sup>	2 (5%)
1 <sup>ST</sup> LIGHT BATTERY	1
1 <sup>ST</sup> CAVALRY	1
2 <sup>ND</sup> HEAVY ARTILLERY	1
7 <sup>TH</sup>	1
10 <sup>TH</sup>	1
12 <sup>TH</sup> BATTALION	1
13 <sup>TH</sup>	1
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15 <sup>TH</sup>	1
18 <sup>TH</sup>	1
20 <sup>TH</sup>	1

3% OF POPULATION

**NO LISBON  
SOLDIERS WERE KILLED IN  
THE WAR**

**THREE WERE CAPTURED**

No Lisbon soldiers died in captivity

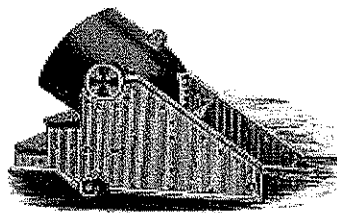
**LISBON CAPTURED  
NONE DIED IN CAPTIVITY**

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NO.</u>
Cedar Mountain, VA (5 <sup>TH</sup> )	8/9/62	1
Winchester, VA (18 <sup>TH</sup> )	6/15/63	1
Bermuda Hundred, VA (7 <sup>TH</sup> ) Wounded)	6/2/64	1



**TOTAL LISBON CASUALTIES**

<b>DIED</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17%</b>
<b>KILLED</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>
<b>WOUNDED</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>24%</b>
<b>CAPTURED</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>7%</b>
<b>DESERTED</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>10%</b>



**TEN WERE WOUNDED**

The first Lisbon soldier wounded was Corporal Charles H. Corey of Company G, 5<sup>TH</sup> Connecticut. He was wounded at Chancellorsville, VA on May 3, 1863 and recovered from his wound. One Lisbon soldier died from a wound received during the war.

**LISBON WOUNDED  
\*(1) DIED FROM WOUNDS**

<u>PLACE</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>NO.</u>
Chancellorsville, VA (5 <sup>TH</sup> )	5/3/63	1
Port Hudson, LA (26 <sup>TH</sup> )	5/27/63	1
Port Hudson, LA (26 <sup>TH</sup> )	6/14/63	1
Fort Wagner, SC (6 <sup>TH</sup> )	7/18/63	1
Morton's Ford, VA (14 <sup>TH</sup> )	2/6/64	1
Walthall Junction, VA (8 <sup>TH</sup> ) *	5/7/64	1
Resaca, GA (5 <sup>TH</sup> )	5/15/64	1
Cold Harbor, VA (8 <sup>TH</sup> )	6/4/64	1
Peach Tree Creek, GA (5 <sup>TH</sup> )	7/20/64	1
Chaffin's Farm, VA (29 <sup>TH</sup> )	11/24/64	1