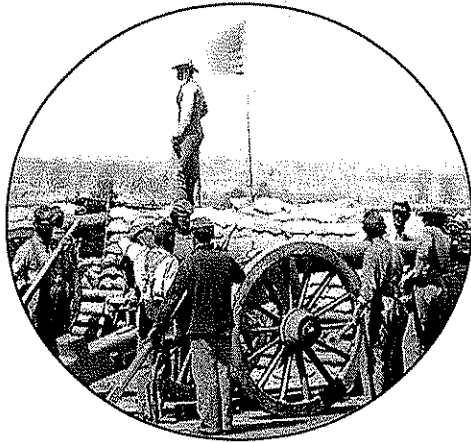


CIVIL WAR
VOLUNTEER SONS
OF CONNECTICUT
BLAIKIE HINES



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PUTNAM

THE POPULATION IN 1860 WAS 2,722 (RANK 50)

THE MOST IMPORTANT DAY
OF THE CIVIL WAR

JUNE 15 1863

WINCHESTER, VA

THE ENTIRE UNION ARMY
WAS NEARLY CAPTURED AT
THE SECOND
BATTLE OF WINCHESTER

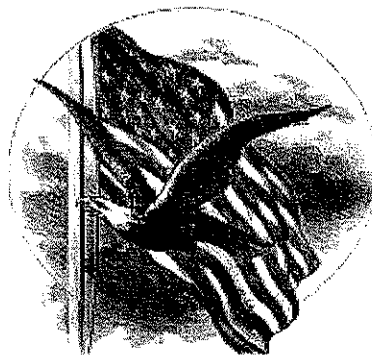
More soldiers credited to Putnam were listed as casualties (27) on this day than on any other day of the war. One soldier was killed and 26 were captured in the 18TH Connecticut. One of the captured soldiers died in prison.

The date June 15, 1863 ranks 2ND for total casualties (595) (23 killed, 11 wounded, 520 captured, 41 wounded & captured) for a single day for the State of Connecticut. There were 592 casualties at Winchester, VA and 3 casualties at Port Hudson, LA.

The Second Battle of Winchester (June 13-15, 1863) ranks 5TH for total casualties (592) for an engagement for the State of Connecticut. The most intense fighting developed on June 15. Putnam had all its casualties on that day.

The Second Battle of Winchester with 26 total casualties for Putnam was the highest number of casualties for any single engagement of the war for the town.

Winchester was one of the most contested locations in the Civil War. It changed hands seventy-two times.



193 MEN CREDITED TO
PUTNAM SERVED
IN THE FOLLOWING
CONNECTICUT
ORGANIZATIONS

<u>REGIMENT</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
18 TH	48 (25%)
6 TH	35 (18%)
1 ST CAVALRY	28 (14%)
5 TH	18 (9%)
11 TH	18 (9%)
13 TH	15 (8%)
1 ST HEAVY ARTILLERY	14 (7%)
14 TH	12 (6%)
7 TH	10 (5%)
2 ND	4 (2%)
13 TH BATTALION	4 (2%)
2 ND HEAVY ARTILLERY	2 (1%)
8 TH	1
20 TH	1
26 TH	1
29 TH	1

7% OF POPULATION

**NINE WERE KILLED AND
THREE WERE MISSING**

The first Putnam soldier killed was Private Charles H. Morse of the 18TH Connecticut. He was killed at The Battle of Antietam, MD on September 17, 1862.

**PUTNAM SOLDIERS KILLED
*(3) MISSING**

PLACE	DATE	NO.
Antietam, MD (11 TH)	9/17/62	1
Winchester, VA (18 TH)	6/15/63	1
Brashear City, LA (13 TH)	6/21/63	1
Fort Wagner, SC (7 TH)	7/11/63	1
Fort Wagner, SC (6 TH) *1	7/18/63	2
Putnam, CT (5 TH)	2/28/64	1
New Market, VA (18 TH) *	5/15/64	1
Piedmont, VA (18 TH)	6/5/64	1
Atlanta, GA (5 TH)	7/30/64	1
Deep Run, VA (6 TH) *	8/16/64	1
Unknown Place (11 TH)	2/3/65	1

**FORTY-SIX WERE
CAPTURED**

Five Putnam soldiers died in captivity. Two died at Andersonville Prison, GA, one died at Libby Prison Richmond, VA, one died at Salisbury, NC and died one at New Market, VA.

**PUTNAM CAPTURED
*(5) DIED IN CAPTIVITY**

PLACE	DATE	NO.
Chancellorsville, VA (5 TH)	5/2/63	1
Chancellorsville, VA (14 TH)	5/3/63	1
Fredericksburg, VA (14 TH)	12/13/63	1
Winchester, VA (18 TH) *1	6/15/63	26
Fort Wagner, SC (18 TH) (1 WOUNDED)	7/11/63	2
Fort Wagner, SC (6 TH)	7/18/63	1
Waterford, VA (1 CA) *	8/7/63	1
Bristoe Station, VA (14 TH)	10/14/63	1
Grove Church, VA (1 CA)	3/29/64	1
Craig's Church, VA (1 CA)	5/5/64	1
Drewry's Bluff, VA (11 TH)	5/16/64	1
Piedmont, VA (18 TH)	6/5/64	3
(3 WOUNDED)		
Lynchburg, VA (18 TH) *2	6/18/64	2
(2 WOUNDED)		
Roanoke Station, VA (1 CA)	6/26/64	1
Cedar Run Church, VA (1 CA) *	10/17/64	2

**TOTAL PUTNAM
CASUALTIES**

DIED	15	8%
KILLED/MISSING	12	6%
WOUNDED	37	19%
CAPTURED	46	23%
DESERTED	13	7%

**THIRTY-SEVEN WERE
WOUNDED**

The first Putnam soldiers wounded were Privates Eugene Boudrie and Laughlin J. Braken of the 11TH Connecticut. They were wounded at New Bern, NC on March 14, 1862 and both recovered from their wounds. One Putnam soldier died from a wound received during the war.

**PUTNAM WOUNDED
*(1) DIED FROM WOUNDS**

PLACE	DATE	NO.
New Bern, NC (11 TH)	3/14/62	2
Antietam, MD (11 TH)	9/17/62	2
Siege Port Hudson, LA (13 TH)	6/14/63	1
Gettysburg, PA (14 TH)	7/3/63	1
Fort Wagner, SC (6 TH)	7/18/63	6
Arlington Heights, VA (1 HA)	11/20/63	1
Ball's Cross Rd, VA (1 HA)	1/25/64	1
Suffolk, VA (11 TH)	5/4/64	1
Drewry's Bluff, VA (6, 7 TH)	5/14/64	2
New Market, VA (18 TH)	5/15/64	2
Resaca, GA (5 TH)	5/15/64	1
Drewry's Bluff, VA (6 TH)	5/20/64	1
Proctor's Creek, VA (6 TH)	5/20/64	1
Petersburg, VA (11 TH)	6/3/64	1
Piedmont, VA (18 TH)	6/5/64	1
Bermuda Hundred, VA (6 TH)	6/6/64	1
Petersburg, VA (11 TH)	6/16/64	1
Petersburg, VA (11 TH)	6/18/64	2
Snicker's Ford, VA (18 TH)	7/18/64	2
Deep Run, VA (6 TH)	8/16/64	2
Petersburg, VA (11 TH)	8/20/64	1
Winchester, VA (13 TH)	9/19/64	3
Hatcher's Run, VA (14 TH)	2/5/65	1

