U. S. Army of the West – Mormon Battalion Monument
Yuma, Yuma County, Arizona

**Description**

One ton nine foot tall bronze statue by R. C. Merrill, with eight information plaques around the base. The statue portrays 2Lt Philemon Merrill, Adjutant of the Mormon Battalion. The actual Mormon Battalion trail ran east to west about 2.5 miles to the south, approximating 12th Street before turning southwest to cross the Colorado River into present Mexico between Los Algodones and Ladrillera and paralleling the present border about 45 miles westward until reentering present United States on 14 January 1847 between Mexicali, Mexico and Calexico, California.

**Driving Directions**

This large monument is located in the West Wetlands Park near the banks of the Colorado River in Yuma, Yuma County, Arizona. Take I-8 Exit 172 (Winterhaven/Fourth Ave) near the California- Arizona state line, then go south 0.4 mile on I-8 Business Route (Winterhaven Drive/4th Avenue) across the Colorado River into Arizona. Turn right on West 1st Street and go west 0.58 mile to North 12th Avenue. Go north on North 12th Street.
Avenue 0.25 mile past Colorado Street and Water Street into West Wetlands Park. From the entrance, drive about ¾ of a mile to the parking lot at the west end of the park, then follow trail marked by signs.

Inscriptions

Plaque 1 of 10.

U. S. Army of the West – Mormon Battalion
Longest Sustained March in U. S. Military History
1846-1847

March of the Mormon Battalion.

Between 1846 and 1848, the United States and Mexico went to war. One of the major directives of the United States during this war was to secure its western border and to occupy California and the territory of New Mexico. The government asked for volunteers, and over 500 members of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints answered the call. Their unit became known as the Mormon Battalion.

The Mormon Battalion was mustered into service on July 16, 1846, in Council Bluffs, Iowa. They were outfitted at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, and their march continued westward under the command of regular army officers. Captain James Allen. Upon his untimely death, Phillip St. George Cooke became the commanding officer. The Battalion’s numbers were enlarged by other regular officers and staff, saints, neighbors, and local women. Reaching the Rio Grande River in Texas, the battalion, consisting of 95 regulars and 77 members of the church, began the march into Texas. Battling treacherous hardship, 23 soldiers and 9 non-soldiers would perish along the way. In addition, the Battalion’s ranks were reduced at San Antonio, New Mexico, as many men were too ill to continue.

The Battalion continued on to complete the journey on January 9, 1847, with 237 enlisted men, four women, and several children completing the entire historic march. Although they were properly equipped to engage the enemy if needed, the Mormon Battalion did not find it necessary to engage in battle.

The March of the Mormon Battalion is significant for several accomplishments. They were the first wagon train to California, and their journey opened the way for future emigrants. During their journey, they helped to secure California’s gold fields and protect the region from Mexican forces. Their march also contributed to the settlement of the American West and played a crucial role in the expansion of the United States.

We express our appreciation to the many individuals, families, businesses and governmental agencies for their support and resources in financing the park and grounds of West Wetlands Park. It is the sacrifices and dedication of the members of the Mormon Battalion that are fully demonstrated today relative to the principles and values of faith, freedom, and liberty. We honor them as we are willing to give all. This is among the West Wetlands Park Enviros.

January 2008
The Battalion's numbers were enlarged by other regular officers and staff, teamsters, and ten scouts, notably, Pauline Weaver, Antoine Leroux, and Jean Baptiste Charbonneau, son of Sacagawea. Also, 33 women and 51 children, primarily family members of the soldiers, began the march in Iowa. Enduring tremendous hardship, 22 soldiers and 8 non-soldiers would perish along the way. In addition, the Battalion's ranks were reduced at Santa Fe, New Mexico, as many members were too ill to continue.

The Battalion came through present-day Yuma on January 9, 1847. They continued to the banks of the Colorado River, near present-day Los Algodones, Mexico. The crossing commenced on January 10 and continued throughout the night. By noon the next day, the Battalion, including their equipment and stock, were on the California side of the river. The Battalion's 2,000 mile journey would conclude in San Diego on January 29, 1847, with 335 enlisted men, four women, and several children completing the entire historic march. Although they were prepared to engage the enemy if necessary, the Mormon Battalion did not find an occasion to fire their weapons in combat.

One of the Mormon Battalion's greatest accomplishments was to open a southern wagon route to California. Prior to the march, east-west travel across the southern territories of New Mexico, Arizona, and California was not suitable for wagon traffic. The Battalion blazed the trail from the Rio Grande River to the Pacific Ocean. At its conclusion, Col. Cooke declared, "We have discovered and made a road of great value to our country." Known as "Cooke's Wagon Road" the trail would have an immediate impact on the history of the West. Within three years, estimates of as many as 60,000 people would travel the new route during the California Gold Rush. The Butterfield Overland Stage Company and the first transcontinental mail service used the trail. During the Civil War, control of the road was a main focus of both sides of the conflict here in the West, with the Union Army taking control of the entire route by 1864. This allowed the California regiments to move into New Mexico and Texas by way of the road. Today, the Union Pacific Railroad and Interstate 8 parallel the trail blazed by the Mormon Battalion.

On July 16, 1847, the volunteers’ one-year commitment was satisfied. Seventy-nine men re-enlisted. However, most of the men of the Mormon Battalion made their way back to Iowa or Utah to rejoin their families and conclude their trek west. A handful of Battalion members were instrumental in the discovery of gold at Sutter's Mill, ushering in the California Gold Rush. Several communities throughout the West would be founded by veterans of the Battalion, including Mesa, Arizona, San Bernardino, California, and both Ogden and Provo, Utah.

We express our appreciation to the many individuals, families, businesses and government agencies for their support and resources in honoring the men and women of the Mormon Battalion.

It is the sacrifice and dedication of the members of the Mormon Battalion that so fully demonstrated their resolve to the principles and values of faith, freedom, and liberty.

We honor those who were willing to give their all.

The U.S. Army of the West - Mormon Battalion Foundation
January 2007
Sir:

It is understood that there is a large body of Mormons, who are desirous of emigrating to California, for the purpose of settling in that country, & I have therefore to direct that you will proceed to their camps and endeavor to raise from amongst them 4 or 5 Companies of Volunteers to join me in my expedition to that country - each company to consist of any number between 73 and 109 – the Officers of the Companies will be a Capt, 1st Lieut & 2d Lieut who will be elected by the Privates and subject to your approval and the Captain then to appoint the Non-Com’d Officers, also subject to your approval – The Companies upon being thus organized, will be mustered by you into the service of the U.S. and from that day will commence to receive the pay, rations and other allowances given to other Infantry Volunteers, each according to his rank. You will upon mustering into service the 4th Company, be considered as having the Rank, Pay, Emoluments of a Lieut Col. of Infy and are authorized to appoint an Adjt, Sergt. Major and QMr Sergt. for the Battalion.

The Companies, after being organized, will be mustered to this Post, where they will be armed & prepared for the field, after which they will under your command follow on my trail in the direction of Santa Fe, & where you will receive further orders from me.

You will, upon organizing the Companies, require Provisions, Wagons, Horses, Mules, &c. You must purchase every thing which is necessary, & give the necessary drafts upon the QMr & Comm Dept. at this Post, which drafts will be paid upon presentation.

You will have the Mormons distinctly to understand, that I wish to take them as Volunteers for 12 months that they will be marched to California, receiving Pay & allowances, during the above time and at its expiration they will be discharged and allowed to retain as their Private Property, the guns & accoutrements to be furnished to them at this Post. Each Company, will be allowed 4 women as Laundresses, who will travel with the Company, receiving rations & the other allowances given to the laundresses of our Army.

With the foregoing conditions which are hereby pledged to the Mormons & which will be faithfully fully kept by me & other officers in behalf of the Government of the U.S., I cannot doubt that you will, in a few days, be able to raise 500 young & efficient men for this expedition.

Very Respectfully
Your Obr. Servant
S. W. Kearny
Col. 1st Drags.

Capt. James Allen
1st Regt. Dragoons
Fort Leavenworth
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Plaque 3 of 10.
January 8, 1847 – Mouth of Gila. I got the mules over safely and early; they had icicles on them. Marched 7 and 45’.

There were still some hills of the “Devil’s Point” to pass; then we had a very good road; there is a vast bottom here, extending up from the river’s mouth, which seems good land; and, for the first time, there is something like a soil and much dry grass; I stopped about 11 o’clock for three quarters of an hour to graze the mules; but I must doubt that there was a beneficial substance in it, although the mules ate freely....

The country around the two rivers is a picture of desolation; nothing like vegetation beyond the bottoms of the rivers; black mountains with wild-looking peaks and stony hills and plains fill the view. We are encamped in the middle of hemp.

January 9, 1847 – Marched very early. The wagons were six hours reaching the crossing; the road was very bad for sand and soft clay – perhaps half of it; the pioneers did much work, and straightened the trail much. The mules are weak, and their failing, flagging to-day, at ten miles, is very unpromising at this stage....

There has been quite a gale of wind down the river. Francisco was sent across and set fire to the thickets beyond, which thus made a great conflagration; this Weaver highly recommended, as promising great assistance to the pioneer party which I shall send over in the morning to cut a road through the bottom thickets. Francisco says the river is deeper than when he passed before....

January 10, 1847 – The mules were driven at daylight to a tolerable grass in the river bottom. At 9 and 30’ the pontoon boats arrived; and at 10 o’clock, three of the pack-mule party, with 420 pounds of flour; to this I added every pound I could spare of my own ant the dragoons, which all makes fifteen or sixteen days at half a pound a day....

The weather is said to be colder than in many years....

The sick report now numbers ten.

Night – The boat has made exceedingly slow work; but the battalion is crossing, and will continue at it, if necessary, all night; the moon will not rise before 2 o’clock.

January 11, 1847 – With my mind full of anxiety, I forced myself to the task of recording the deeds of the day. I am in camp at “well,” fifteen miles from the river; I made a firm resolv that here the battalion should come to-day...

The battalion were crossing, I believe, all night; I heard them until 2 and 30’; but the matter, very difficult indeed in the wide swift river with two wagon beds, was slowly and badly managed...

The river was a mile over in the course of the ford, and in several channels hundreds of yards across. It runs swiftly at least four feet deep. I fact, occasionally it swam a small mule....

(The river had an inch of ice in calm places, and quite a number of the mules fell and were drowned, owing to weakness, as we came over.)....

I arrived here at 4 o’clock, and was met a few hundred yards off by a man, who told me “there was not a drop of water.” Instantly, the twenty-four miklse to the next water-hole, where the prospect was worse, and the thirty-two, still further, to the Salt lake were in my mind to fright me for the three hundred and sixty persons who go confidently where I point the way....
The Lieutenant-Colonel commanding congratulates the battalion on their safe arrival on the shore of the Pacific ocean, and the conclusion of the march of over two thousand miles.

History may be searched in vain for an equal march of infantry. Nine-tenths of it has been through a wilderness where nothing but savages and wild beasts are found, or deserts where, from want of water, there is no living creature. There, with almost hopeless labor, we have dug deep wells, which the future traveler will enjoy. Without a guide who had traversed them, we have ventured into trackless prairies where water was not found for several marches. With crowbar and pick and axe in hand, we have worked our way over mountains which seemed to defy ought save the wild goat, and hewed a passage through a chasm of living rock more narrow than our wagons. To bring these first wagons to the Pacific, we have preserved the strength of our mules by herding them ever over large tracts, which you have laboriously guarded without loss. The garrisons of four presidios of Soñora concentrated within the walls of Tucson(sic), gave us no pause. We drove them out with their artillery, but our intercourse with the citizens was unmarked by a single act of injustice. Thus, marching half-naked and half-fed, and living upon wild animals, we have discovered and made a road of great value to our country.

Arrived at the first settlement of California after a single day's rest, you cheerfully turned off from the route to this point of promised repose, to enter upon a campaign, and meet, as we believed, the approach of the enemy, and this, too, without even salt to season your sole subsistence of fresh meat.

Lieutenants A. I. Smith and Geo. Stoneman, of the 1st Dragoons, have shared and given valuable aid in all these labors.

Thus, volunteers, you have exhibited some high and essential qualities of veterans. But much remains undone. Soon you will turn your strict attention to the drill, to system and order, to forms, also, which are all necessary to the soldiers.

By order of Lieutenant P. St. Geo. Cooke:

A true copy from my daily record.

P.C. MERRILL, Adjutant.

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Lieutenant Colonel Commanding.

San Luis Regiment, February 22, 1847

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**Plaque 5 of 10.**

**ROSTER OF COMPANY A**

**Hunt, Jefferson, Captain**

Alred, Reddick N., 3rd Sergeant
McCord, Alexander, 4th Sergeant
Hunt, Gilbert, 1st Corporal
Frost, Lafayette N., 2nd Corporal
Weir, Thomas, 3rd Corporal

Muir, William Smith, 4th Corporal
Averett, Elisha, Musician
Richards, Joseph W., Musician

**PRIVATES**

Hoyt, Timothy Sabin
Hudson, Wilfore Heath
Hulet, Schuyler
Hunt, Marshall
Ivie, Richard Anderson
Jackson, Charles A.
Johnson, Henry M.
Kelley, Nicholas
Kelley, William
Kibby, James
Lake, Barnabas
Lemmon, James William
Maxwell, Maxie
Mayfield, Benjamin F.
Moss, David
Naegle, John Conrad
Oyler, Melcher
Packard, Henry
Pierson, Ebenezer
Ritter, John
Rowe, Caratat Conderset
Sessions, John

Sessions, Richard
Sessions, William Bradford
Sexton, George S.
Shepherd, Marcus L.
Steele, George E.
Steele, Isaiah Clark
Swarthout, Hamilton
Taylor, Joseph A.
Thompson, John Crow
Vrandenburg, Adna
Weaver, Franklin
Weaver, Miles
Webb, Charles Young
Wheeler, Merrill W.
White, Joseph
White, Samuel Stephen
Willey, Jeremiah
Wilson, Alfred Gideon
Winn, Dennis Wilson
Woodworth, Lysander
Wriston, Isaac Newton
Wriston, John Price

**WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY A**

Allred, Eliza Briget Manwaring, wife of James T. S. Alred.
Allred, Elzadie Emeline Ford, wife of Reuben Warren Alred, (Laundress)
Bosco, Jane, wife of John Bosco (teamster for Jefferson Hunt).
Brown, Phebe Draper Palmer, wife of Ebenezer Brown. (Laundress)
Hunt, Celia Mounts, wife of Jefferson Hunt,
John, Jane, Harriet, Joseph, Hyrum, and twins Parley, Mary.
Hunt, Matilda Nease, wife of Jefferson Hunt
Peter Nease, Ellen Nease, (sister and brother of Matilda Nease
adopted by Hunt).

Kelley, Sarah, wife of Nicholas Kelley,
Parley
Sessions, Mary Emeline, wife of John Sessions.

ROSTER OF COMPANY A

Hunt, Jefferson, Captain

Omar, George W., 1st Lieutenant
Clark, Lorenzo, 2nd Lieutenant
Willis, William Wesley, 3rd Lieutenant
Wright, Phineas R., 1st Sergeant
Brown, Ebenezer, 2nd Sergeant

Alfred, Reddick N., 3rd Sergeant
McCord, Alexander, 4th Sergeant
Hunt, Gilbert, 1st Corporal
Frost, Lafayette N., 2nd Corporal
Weir, Thomas, 3rd Corporal

Muir, William Smith, 4th Corporal
Averett, Elsiba, Musician
Richards, Joseph W., Musician

PRIVATES

Hoyt, Timothy Satan
Hunter, Wilford Heath
Hulit, Schuyler
Hunt, Marshall
Ive, Richard Anderson
Jackson, Charles A.
Johns, Henry M.
Kelley, Nicholas
Kelley, William
Kibby, James
Lake, Horace
Lemmon, James William
Maxwell, Moses
Mayfield, Benjamin F.
Moss, David
Norgie, John Condrod
Gibbs, Melcher
Parkin, Henry
Fischer, Ebenezer
Rutter, John
Rice, Caesar Conدو
Sessions, John
Snowdon, Richard

WOMEN AND CHILDREN OF COMPANY A

Allen, Albion
Allen, Redus Chester
Alfred, James Riley
Alfred, James Tillson Sanford
Alfred, Henry Warren
Bailey, James
Beckstead, Gordon Silas
Beckstead, Orin Mortimer
Blayton, James
Bickmore, Gilbert
Blankard, Mervis S.
Brass, Benjamin
Brown, Clinton Deother
Brown, John
Brown, William Walton
Bryant, John Strange
Butterfield, Rosco Kemp
Calkins, Aka Chauncy
Calkins, Edwin R.
Caldwell, James Wood
Caldwell, Symphonies
Casper, William Wallace
Chase, Homer Henry
Clark, Joseph L.
Clark, Rikes Garnett
Coleman, George
Cox, Henderson
Curtis, James
Decker, Zachariah Brown
Dobson, Joseph
Droston, Eli
Earl, James Calvin
Egbert, Robert Cowden
F茝shure, Henry
Ferguson, James
Frederick, David Ira
Garnett, David
Gilbert, James H.
Goodwin, Andrew
Gooden, Gilman
Hampton, James
Hawkins, Benjamin
Hewett, El Bruckner
Hickenlooper, William E.
Hobbs, Elijah Edward
Hoyt, Henry Mike

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ROSTER OF COMPANY B

Hunter, Jesse Devine, Captain

Luddinton, Elam, 1st Lieutenant
Barrus, Ruel, 2nd Lieutenant
Merrill, Philemon C., 3rd Lieutenant
Corray, William, 1st Sergeant

Hyde, William, 2nd Sergeant
Smith, Albert, 3rd Sergeant
Rainey, David P., 1st Corporal
Dunn, Thomas John, 2nd Corporal

Chase, John Darwin, 3rd Corporal
Wilcox, Edward, 4th Corporal
Hunter, William, Musician (Drummer)
Taggart, George W., Musician (Fifer)

PRIVATES

Alexander, Horace M.
Allen, Elijah
Allen, Franklin
Allen, George A.
Bigler, Henry William
Bingham, Erastus Jr.
Bingham, Thomas Sr.
Bird, William
Bliss, Robert Stanton
Boley, Samuel
Borrowman, John

Brackenberry, Benjamin B.
Brown, Francis
Bush, Richard
Bybee, John McCann
Callahan, Thomas William
Camp, James G.
Carter, Isaac Philo
Carter, Richard
Cheney, Zachariah
Church, Haden Wells
Clark, George Sheffer

Colton, Philander
Curtis, Dorr Purdy
Dalton, Willard T.
Dunham, Albert
Dayton, Willard T.
Dutcher, Thomas P.
Eastman, Marcus N.
Evans, Israel
Evans, William
Follett, William Alexander
Freeman, Elijah Norman

Garner, Phillip
Garner, William A.
Green, Ephraim
Hanks, Ephraim Knowlton
Harris, Silas
Haskell, George Nile
Hawk, Nathan
Hawk, William
Hinkle, Arza Erastus
Hoffeins, Jacob
Hunter, Edward

Huntsman, Isaiah
Jones, David H.
Keysor, Guy Messiah
King, John M.
Kirk, Thomas
Lawson, John V.
Martin, Jesse Bigler
McCarty, Nelson
Miles, Samuel Jr.
Morris, Thomas
Mount, Hiram B.
WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY B

Coray, Melisa Burton, wife of William Coray. (Laundress)
Hunter, Lydia Edmonds, wife of Jesse D. Hunter. (Laundress)

Luddington, Mary Eliza Clark, wife of Elam Luddington. (Laundress)
Angeline Adeline plus one other
Luddington, Lena Monger, mother of Elam Luddington.
ROSTER OF COMPANY C
Brown, James, Captain

Rosecrans, George W., 1st Lieutenant
Thompson, Samuel, 2nd Lieutenant
Cliff, Robert, 3rd Lieutenant
Adams, Orson Bennett, 1st Sergeant
Elmer, Elijah, 2nd Sergeant

Terrell, Joel Judkin, 3rd Sergeant
Wilkin, David, 4th Sergeant
Nowlin, Jabez Townsend, 1st Corporal
Brown, Alexander, 2nd Corporal
Martin, Edward, 3rd Corporal

Tyler, Daniel, 4th Corporal
Sprague, Richard D., Musician
Allen, Ezra Hela, Musician

PRIVATEs

Larson, Thurston
Rayton, Christopher
Lewis, Samuel
Maggard, Benjamin
McCullough, Levi Hamilton
Mead, Orlando Fish
Moore, Calvin White

cd, Harley W.
Mowrey, John T.
Myler, James
Olmstead, Hiram
Peck, Isaac
Peck, Thoirt
Perkins, David Martin
Perkins, John
Pickup, George
Pierson, Judson A.
Pulpisher, David
Raynolds, William Fletcher
Richardson, Benjamin W.
Ritter, John J.
Rust, William Walker
Shippley, Joseph

Privates

Adair, Wesley G.
Babcock, Lorenzo
Bailey, Addison
Bailey, Jefferson
Barney, Walter S.
Beckstead, William Ezra
Blackburn, Abner
Blackmore, Abner
Boyle, Henry Green
Brimhall, John
Borrowman, John
Brackenberry, Benjamin B.
Brown, Francis
Brown, Jesse Sowell
Brownell, Russell G.

Dunn, James
Durhame, Francillo
Fellows, Hiram W.
Fife, John
Fifield, Levi J.
Forbush, Lorin E.
Gibson, Thomas
Gould, John Calvin
Gould, Samuel
Green, John W.
Hancock, Charles Brent
Hancock, George Washington
Harmon, Ebenezer
Harriman, Lorenzo Frazer
Hatch, Maltiar
Hatch, Orin
Hendrickson, James
Holdaway, Shadrack
Holt, William
Ivie, Thomas Colton
Johnson, Jarvis
Johnstun, Jesse Walker
Johnstun, William James
Landers, Ebenezer
Larson, Thurston
Layton, Christopher
Lewis, Samuel
Maggard, Benjamin
McCullough, Levi Hamilton
Mead, Orlando White
Moore, Calvin White

Shupe, Andrew Jackson
Shupe, James Wright
Smith, Milton
Smith, Richard D.
Squires, William
Thomas, Elijah
Thomas, Nathan T.
Thompson, James Lewis
Tindell, Solomon
Truman, Jacob Mian
Tuttle, Elkanon
Wade, Edward E.
Wode, Moses
Welch, Madison J.
Wheeler, Henry
White, John Stout
Wilcox, Matthew
Wood, William

WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY C

Adams, Swan Smith, wife of Orson Bennett Adams. (Lamb's Dress)
Brown, Mary McCrude Bloch, wife of Captain James Brown. (LambDress)
George, David Clark, son of Mary McCrude and George Black.

Unmarried child by James first wife, Martha Stephens.
Mowrey, Harley W.
Mowrey, John T.
Myler, James
Olmstead, Hiram
Peck, Isaac
Peck, Thorit
Perkins, David Martin
Perkins, John
Pickup, George
Pierson, Judson A.
Pulsipher, David
Reynolds, William Fletcher
Richie, Benjamin W.
Richmond, Benjamin W.
Riser, John J.
Rust, William Walker
Shipley, Joseph
Shumway, Aurora
Shupe, Andrew Jackson
Shupe, James Wright
Smith, Milton
Smith, Richard D.
Squires, William
Thomas, Elijah
Thomas, Nathan T.
Thompson, James Lewis
Tindell, Solomon
Truman, Jacob Mica
Tuttle, Elanson
Wade, Moses
Welch, Madison J.
Wheeler, Henry
White, John Stout
Wilcox, Matthew
Wood, William

WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY C
Adams, Susan Smith, wife of Orson Bennett Adams.  (Laundress)
Brown, Mary McCree Black, wife of Captain James Brown, (Laundress)
George David Black, (son of Mary McCree and George Black.)
Unnamed child by James' first wife, Martha Stephens
Shupe, Sarah Prunty, Wife of James Wright Shupe.
Wilkin, Isabella NcMair Hunter, wife of Divid Wilkin

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ROSTER OF COMPANY D
Higgins, Nelson, Captain
Dykes, George Parker, 1st Lieutenant
Hulet, Sylvester, 2nd Lieutenant
Canfield, Cyrus C., 3rd Lieutenant
Jones, Nathaniel Vary, 1st Sergeant
William, Thomas S., 2nd Sergeant
Haws, Alpheus, 4th Sergeant
Squires, William
Merrill, Ferdinand
Taylor, Samuel
Tittle, William
Trout, Robert
Tuttle, Luther T., 3rd Sergeant
Hulet, Sylvester, 2nd Lieutenant
Canfield, Cyrus C., 3rd Lieutenant
Jones, Nathaniel Vary, 1st Sergeant
William, Thomas S., 2nd Sergeant
Haws, Alpheus, 4th Sergeant
Squires, William
Merrill, Ferdinand
Taylor, Samuel
Tittle, William
Trout, Robert
Tuttle, Luther T., 3rd Sergeant
Hulet, Sylvester, 2nd Lieutenant
Canfield, Cyrus C., 3rd Lieutenant
Roy, William
Kingsley, John
Ryman, Levi
Sanderson, Henry Weeks
Sargent, Abel Morgan
Savage, Levi, Jr.

WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY D
Abbot, Joshua
Averett, Jedidiah
Baldwin, Samuel
Barger, William H.
Boyd, George W.
Boyd, William W.
Beckwith, Henry Willard
Brown, James Polly
Brown, James Stephens
Butler, Montgomery
Casto, James B.
Casto, William W.
Chase, Abner
Chawner, John Reeve
Coles, James Barnett
Collins, Robert H.
Compton, Allen
Cox, Amos
Curtis, Foster
Davis, Eleazer
Davis, James
Davis, Sterling
Douglas, James
Douglas, Ralph
Fouts, Ezra
Finley, Thomas B.
Fletcher, Philander
Forres, John Erick
Frazier, Thomas Leonard
Gifford, William W.
Gilbert, John R.
Gilbert, Thomas
Gribble, William
Handricks, William Norris
Harriss, Daniel
Hobbs, Alfred
Hirons, James P.
Hoggland, Lucas
Holmes, Jonathan Herriman
Hunziker, Abraham
Huntington, Dimick Baker
Jacobs, Sanford
Kenney, Loren E.
Lamb, Ebenezer
Laughlin, David Sanders
Maxwell, William Bailey
McArthur, Henry Morrow
Mecham, Erastus Darwin
Merrill, Ferdinand
Moss, Peter I.
Oakley, James E.
Owen, James C.
Peck Edwin Martin
Perrin, Charles
Pettigrew, James P.
Rawson, Daniel Berry
Raymond, Alonzo Pears
Richard, William
Roberts, Benjamin Morgan
Robinson, William J.
Roche, William
Rogers, Levi
Sanderson, Henry Weeks
Sargent, Abel Morgan
Savage, Levi, Jr.

ROSTER OF COMPANY D
Higgins, Nelson, Captain
Dykes, George Parker, 1st Lieutenant
Hulet, Sylvester, 2nd Lieutenant
Canfield, Cyrus C., 3rd Lieutenant
Jones, Nathaniel Vary, 1st Sergeant
William, Thomas S., 2nd Sergeant
Tuttle, Luther T., 3rd Sergeant
Coons, William, 3rd Corporal
Lane, Lewis, 4th Corporal

Jackson, Henry Wells, Musician
Smith, Willard Gilbert, Musician (Drummer)

 Abbott, Joshua
Averett, Jeduthan
Badham, Samuel
Barger, William H.
Boyd, George W.
Boyd, William W.
Brizbee, Henry Willard
Brown, James Polly
Brown, James Stephens
Button, Montgomery
Casto, James B.
Casto, William W.
Chase, Abner
Clawson, John Reese
Cole, James Barnett
Collins, Robert H.
Compton, Allen
Cox, Amos
Curtis, Foster
Davis, Eleazer
Davis, James
Davis, Sterling
Douglas, James
Douglas, Ralph
Fatoute, Ezra
Finlay, Thomas B.
Fletcher, Philander
Forsgreen, John Erick
Frazier, Thomas Leonard
Gifford, William W.
Gilbert, John R.
Gilbert, Thomas
Gribble, William
Hendricks, William Dorris
Henrie, Daniel
Higgins, Alfred
Hiorns, James P.
Hoagland, Lucas
Homes, Jonathan Herriman
Hunsaker, Abraham
Huntington, Dimick Baker
Jacobs, Sanford
Kenney, Loren E.
Lamb, Lisbon
Laughlin, David Sanders
Maxwell, William Bailey

McArthur, Henry Morrow
Mecham, Erastus Darwin
Merrill, Ferdinand
Mesick, Peter I.
Oakley, James E.
Owen, James C.
Peck, Edwin Martin
Perrin, Charles
Pettigrew, James P.
Rawson, Daniel Berry
Raymond, Alonzo Pearis
Richmond, William
Roberts, Benjamin Morgan
Robinson, William J.
Rowe, William
Roylan, John
Runyan, Levi
Sanderson, Henry Weeks
Sargent, Abel Morgan
Savage, Levi, Jr.
Sharp, Albert
Sharp, Norman
Shelton, Sebert C.
Smith, John Grover
Spencer, William W.
Steele, John
Stephens, Alexander
Stewart, Benjamin F.
Stewart, James
Stewart, Robert Boyd
Stillman, Clark
Swathout, Nathan
Tanner, Myron
Thomas, Hayward J.
Thompson, Miles Jonathan
Tippets, John Harvey
Treat, Thomas W.
Tubbs, William
Twichell, Ancil
Walker, Edwin
Whiting, Almon
Whiting, Edmond
Woodward, Francis Snow

WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY D
Abbott, Ruth Markham, wife of Joshua Abbott. (Laundress)
Brown, Eunice Reasor, wife of James Polley Brown,
  Neuman, Robert, Sarah, Mary Ann.
Button, Mary Bittels, wife of Montgomery Button,
  James, Jetson, Louisa, Samuel.
Gribble, Sophia, wife of William Gribble. (Laundress)
Higgins, Sara Blackman, wife of Nelson Higgins,
Hirons, Mary Ann Jameson, wife of James P. Hirons.
Huntington, Fanny Allen, wife of Dimick B. Huntington.
  Lot Elisah, Martha Zina, Clark Allen.

Abbott, Joshua
Averett, Jeduthan
Badham, Samuel
Barger, William H.
Boyd, George W.
Boyd, William W.
Brizbee, Henry Willard
Brown, James Polly
Brown, James Stephens
Button, Montgomery
Casto, James B.
Casto, William W.
Chase, Abner
Clawson, John Reese
Cole, James Barnett
Collins, Robert H.
Compton, Allen
Cox, Amos
Curtis, Foster
Davis, Eleazer
Davis, James
Davis, Sterling
Douglas, James
Douglas, Ralph
Fatoute, Ezra
Finlay, Thomas B.
Fletcher, Philander
Forsgreen, John Erick
Frazier, Thomas Leonard
Gifford, William W.
Gilbert, John R.
Gilbert, Thomas
Gribble, William
Hendricks, William Dorris
Henrie, Daniel
Higgins, Alfred
Hiorns, James P.
Hoagland, Lucas
Homes, Jonathan Herriman
Hunsaker, Abraham
Huntington, Dimick Baker
Jacobs, Sanford
Kenney, Loren E.
Lamb, Lisbon
Laughlin, David Sanders
Maxwell, William Bailey

McArthur, Henry Morrow
Mecham, Erastus Darwin
Merrill, Ferdinand
Mesick, Peter I.
Oakley, James E.
Owen, James C.
Peck, Edwin Martin
Perrin, Charles
Pettigrew, James P.
Rawson, Daniel Berry
Raymond, Alonzo Pearis
Richmond, William
Roberts, Benjamin Morgan
Robinson, William J.
Rowe, William
Roylan, John
Runyan, Levi
Sanderson, Henry Weeks
Sargent, Abel Morgan
Savage, Levi, Jr.
Sharp, Albert
Sharp, Norman
Shelton, Sebert C.
Smith, John Grover
Spencer, William W.
Steele, John
Stephens, Alexander
Stewart, Benjamin F.
Stewart, James
Stewart, Robert Boyd
Stillman, Clark
Swathout, Nathan
Tanner, Myron
Thomas, Hayward J.
Thompson, Miles Jonathan
Tippets, John Harvey
Treat, Thomas W.
Tubbs, William
Twichell, Ancil
Walker, Edwin
Whiting, Almon
Whiting, Edmond
Woodward, Francis Snow

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ROSTER OF COMPANY E
Davis, Daniel C., Captain
Pace, James, 1st Lieutenant
Lytle, Andrew, 2nd Lieutenant
Guly, Samuel L., 3rd Lieutenant
Brown, Edmund Lee, 1st Sergeant
Brazier, Richard, 2nd Sergeant
Hanks, Ebenezer, 3rd Sergeant
Browett, Daniel, 4th Sergeant
St. John, Stephen M., 2nd Corporal
Binley, John V., 3rd Corporal

Stepphen, Roswell, 4th Corporal
Scott, James Allen, Corporal
Hancock, Levi Ward, Musician (Fifer)
Earl, Justice C., Musician (Drummer)

PRIVATE

Allen, John
Bates, Joseph William
Beddome, William
Beers, William
Brown, Daniel
Bulkey, Newman
Bunker, Edward
Burns, Thomas R.
Caldwell, Matthew
Campbell, Jonathan
Campbell, Samuel
Cazier, James
Cazier, John
Chapin, Samuel G.
Clark, Albert
Clark, Joseph
Clark, Samuel Gilman
Cox, John
Cummings, George Washington
Davis, Walter L.
Day, Abraham Eli
Dyke, Simon
Earl, Jacob Sylpher
Ewell, John M.
Ewell, William Fletcher
Fauney, Fredrick
Follett, William Tillman
Glazier, Luther William
Harmon, Oliver Norton
Harris, Robert Jr.
Harrison, Isaac
Hart, James S.
Hess, John Wells
Hickmott, John
Hodkins, Charles A.
Hoskins, Henry
Howell, Thomas Charles Davis
Jacobs, Henry Bailey
Jameson, Charles
Judd, Hyram
Judd, Zadock Knapp
Karren, Thomas, III
Kelley, George
Kelley, Milton
Knapp, Albert
Lance, William
McBride, Harlem
McClelland, William Carroll
Miller, Daniel M.
Miller, Miles
Park, William Asbury
Pettigrew, David
Phelps, Alva
Pixton, Robert
Porter, Sanford

Pugmire, Johathan, Jr.
Richardson, Thomas L.
Roberts, Levi
Sanders, Richard T.
Scott, Leonard M.
Skeen, Joseph
Slater, Richard
Smith, David
Smith, Lot
Spidle, John
Standage, Henry
Strong, William
Tanner, Albert Miles
West, Benjamin
Whitworth, Robert Walton
Williams, James V.
Wilson, George Deliverance
Woolsey, Thomas
WOMEN and CHILDREN of COMPANY E

Brown, Agnes, wife of Edmond Lee Brown.
Davis, Susan Moses, wife of Daniel Coon Davis,
Daniel C. Jr. from Daniel's first wife, Sophronia Fuller

Hanks, Jane Wells Cooper, wife of Ebenezer Hanks. (Laundress)
Hess, Emeline Bigler, wife of John W. Hess. (Laundress)
Kelley, Malinda Allison, wife of Milton Kelley. (Laundress)
Smith, Rebecca, wife of Elisha Smith (teamster for Daniel Davis).

Battalion Staff and Aides
James Allen, Captain

Original Command Staff
George W. Sanderson, MD, Surgeon
William L. McIntire, Assistant Surgeon
Jeremiah Cloud, Major, Paymaster
Lewis Dent, Assistant Paymaster
George P. Dykes, 1st Lieutenant (Co. D)
James H. Gilnes, Sergeant Major (Co. A)
Sebert C. Shelton, Quartermaster Sergeant (Co. D)

Additional Members of Command Staff
Andrew Jackson Smith, 1st Lt Acting Commander
Phillip St. George Cooke, Lt. Col.
George Stoneman, 2nd Lt., Asst. Quartermaster
McKissock, M. D., Assistant Quartermaster

Robert Brown – Teamster
John Bosco – Teamster
Elisha Smith – Teamster
Charles E. Colton – Aide to Adjutant P. C. Merrill
George E. Elliot
Nathan Hart
Nelson D. Higgins
James Mowrey – Aide to Lts. George W.

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