




FELICIANA *Confederates*




A Compilation of the Soldiers
of
East and West Feliciana Parishes
1861-1865
(Louisiana)

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FIRST LOUISIANA CAVALRY REGIMENT

(Continued)

- Jul 16: At Kingston, Tenn.
- Aug 4: Skirmish at Calf Killer, Tenn.
- Aug 13: Left Kingston, Tenn.
- Aug 15: Reached Monticello, Ky., via Montgomery & Jamestown, Tenn.
- Aug 16: Reached London, Ky., via Somerset, Ky.
- Aug 17: Skirmish at Somerset, Ky.
- Aug 19: Skirmish near Big Hill, Ky.
- Aug 23: Battle at Big Hill, Ky.
- Aug 29-30: Battle at Richmond, Ky.
- Sep 2: Entered Versailles, Ky.
- Sep 3: Occupied Frankfort, Ky.

1862:

- Sep 4: Skirmish at Shelbyville, Ky.
- Sep 6-7: Near Frankfort, Ky.
- Sep 9-12: At Lebanon, Ky.
- Sep 13: Moved to Munfordville, Ky.
- Sep 14: Battle at Munfordville.
- Sep 26: Passed through Shelbyville, Ky.
- Oct 1: Near Louisville, Ky.
- Oct 5: At Frankfort, Ky.
- Oct 14: Near Crab Orchard, Ky.
- Oct 28: At Sparta, Tenn.
- Nov 24: Near Tomkinsville, Ky.
- Dec 31: Battle of Murfreesboro, Tenn.

1863:

- Jan 1-2: Battle of Murfreesboro.
- Jan 3: At Winchester, Tenn.
- Mar 13: Left Clifton, Tenn.
- Mar 14: At Monticello, Ky.
- Mar 22: Skirmish at Somerset, Ky.
- Mar 24: Skirmish at Danville, Ky.
- Mar 30: Battle near Somerset, Ky.
- Apr 5: In camp near Knoxville, Tenn.
- Jun 21-22: Skirmish at Clinch River, Tenn.
- Jul 26: Skirmish near London, Ky.
- Jul 27: Skirmish near Rogersville, Ky.
- Jul 28: Skirmish near Richmond, Ky.
- Jul 29: At Lancaster, Ky.
- Jul 30-31: Skirmishes at Big Hill, Ky.
- Aug 3: At Big Creek Gap, Tenn.

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Aug 30: At Loudon, Tenn.
Sep 2-3: At Athens, Ala.
Sep 7: At Philadelphia, Tenn.
Sep 9: Ordered to Ringold, Ga.
Sep 13-17: Skirmishes between Ringold & Lafayette, Ga.
Sep 18: Skirmish near Chattanooga, Tenn.
Sep 19-20: Battle of Chickamauga.
Sep 21: Near Missionary Ridge.
Sep 22: Skirmish near Chattanooga. Appointed as escort for Gen. Bragg.
Dec: Operating detached, assigned escort & courier duty at HQ,
Army of Tenn.

1864:

Mar 10: Left Dalton, Ga.
Apr 24: Reached Clinton, La.
May 15: Skirmish at Mt. Pleasant below Port Hudson, La..
May 26: In Ascension Parish, La.
Jun 3-5: Skirmishes between Vicksburg & Jackson, Miss.
Jun 15-17: Attacked gunboats on Miss. River.
Aug 5-7: Skirmishes at Donaldsonville, La.
Aug 11: At Clinton, La.
Aug 20: Attacked gunboats at Bayou Sara, La.
Sep 25: At Liberty, Miss.
Oct 5: Skirmish between Jackson & St. Francisville, La.
Oct 7: Skirmish at Liberty, Miss.
Nov 16: Skirmish at Liberty, Miss.
Dec 5: Skirmish at Moody's Ferry, Miss.
Dec 10: At Shubuta, Miss. Late December at Mobile, Ala.

1865:

Jan 14: At Woodville, Miss.
Jan 15: At Summit, Miss.
Feb 10: At Clinton, La.
Mar 5-8: At Georgetown, Miss.
May 5: Surrendered at Citronelle, Ala.

(Carter, Gremillion, NAMP, Bergeron)

FIRST LA. PARTISAN RANGERS
(See 3rd La. Cavalry, Wingfield's)

For continuation of Powers' Cavalry Regiment see chronology of Gober's unit.

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INFANTRY

FOURTH LOUISIANA INFANTRY REGIMENT

Feliciana Companies:

- New Company A (Old Company K) "Hunter Rifles" (E. Feliciana).
- New Company D (Old Company E) "West Feliciana Rifles."
- New Company G (Old Company I) "Hunter Rifles" (E. Feliciana).
- New Company K "Packwood Rifles" (E. Feliciana & St. Helena).

1861:

- Apr 28: "Hunter Rifles" leave Clinton en route to New Orleans.
- Apr 30: Companies assembling at Camp Walker, New Orleans.
- May 13: "West Feliciana Rifles" leave Bayou Sara en route to New Orleans.
- May 14: Regiment ordered to Camp Moore, La.
- May 25: Mustered into Confederate service at Camp Moore for a period of one year.
- Jun 12: Regiment ordered to Mississippi Gulf Coast (Biloxi, Pass Christian, Pascagoula, & Ship Island).
- Oct 9: Ordered to Brashear City, Berwick Bay, La.
- Nov-Dec: At Brashear City.

1862:

- Feb 13: Regiment ordered to Jackson, Tenn., to join the Army of Mississippi.
- March: Moved to Corinth, Miss.
- Mar 21: Regiment advanced to Monterey, Tenn.
- Apr 6-7: Battle of Shiloh.
- Apr 9: Regiment moved back to Monterey, Tenn.
- May 2: Ordered from Corinth to Edwards Station, Miss., where regiment was reorganized.
- May 29: "Packwood Rifles" (New Company K) mustered into service at Clinton, La., soonafter joining regiment at Vicksburg.
- Jun-Jul: At Vicksburg, Miss., working on fortifications.
- Jul 28: Regiment ordered to Camp Moore, La.
- Aug 3: Left Camp Moore en route to Baton Rouge, La.
- Aug 5: Battle of Baton Rouge.
- Aug 6: Camped at Comite River near Baton Rouge.

EAST FELICIANA PARISH

ROLLINS, W.F 16th La. Infantry, Co. A
Ca 1836-63; post office in 1860: Clinton, La., born in La.; roll from 9-29-61 to 10-31-61, present, enlisted at Camp Moore, La., 9-29-61; roll for Nov-Dec '61, present; roll for Jan-Feb '62, present; roll for May-Jun '62, present; roll from 6-30-62 to 10-31-62, absent [in] Hospital [at] Chattanooga, [Tenn.]; roll for Jan-Feb '63, present; roll for May-Jun '63, present; roll for Jul-Aug '63, absent, detailed [as] Hospital Nurse 7-14-63, order Dr. Ware; roll for Sep-Oct '63, absent, detailed as Hospital Nurse 7-14-63, order Dr. Ware; roll for Jan-Feb '64, absent, detailed as Hospital Nurse 7-14-63, order Dr. Ware; roll for Mar-Apr '64, detailed as Hospital Nurse 7-14-63, order Dr. Ware; roll from 5-1-64 to 8-31-64, absent, detailed as Hospital Nurse 7-14-63, order Dr. Ware; Federal Rolls of Prisoners of War, captured near Jackson, Miss., Jul '63; sent to Snyder's Bluff, Miss., 7-30-63; forwarded to Camp Morton, Ind., 8-7-63; died at Camp Morton, Ind., 8-20-63. (NAMP, Booth, 1860 Census FN 623)

ROLLINS, Z.D 16th La. Infantry, Co. A
Ca 1844-63; post office in 1860: Clinton, La., born in La.; roll from 6-30-62 to 10-31-62, present, enlisted at Tupelo, Miss., 7-16-62; roll for Jan-Feb '63, absent, sent to Hospital 2-22-63; appears on Register of Officers & Soldiers of Confederate States Army who were killed in battle, or who died of wounds or disease, died Feb '63 of Pneumonia at Tallahoma, Tenn. NOTE: 1860 East Feliciana Census mistakenly lists this person as a female. (NAMP, 1860 Census FN 623)

ROSS, EDWARD 1st La. Cavalry, Co. E
28 year old Saddler in 1860, post office: Clinton, La., born in Switzerland; enlisted at Baton Rouge, La., 11-18-61; rolls Sep '62 to Feb '64, present; receipt dated Concord, Tenn., 8-11-63, states that Ross received \$275 for a horse killed in action at Stanford, Ky., 7-31-63; paroled at Gainesville, Ala., 5-12-65; Res. East Feliciana Parish, La.; member of U.C.V. Camp #1185, Clinton, La. (Booth, NAMP, 1860 Census FN 390)

ROUNSAVILLE, DAVID H. (D.H.) 16th La. Infantry, Co. A
17 years old in 1860, post office: Clinton, La., born in East Baton Rouge Parish, La.; enlisted at Camp Moore, La., 11-25-61; present on all rolls to Jun '63; roll for Jul-Aug '63, absent with leave since 8-26-63; roll for Sep-Oct '63, present; rolls from Jan '64 to 4-30-65, absent, captured at Missionary Ridge, (near Chattanooga, Tenn.), captured 11-25-63; forwarded to Military Prison, Louisville, Ky., from Nashville, Tenn. [12]-5-63; received at Military Prison, Louisville, Ky., 12-6-63 & forwarded same day to Rock Island Barracks, Ill.; received at Rock Island Barracks, Ill., 12-9-63; paroled at Rock Island Barracks, Ill.; transferred for exchange 3-6-65; exchanged at Boulwares & Coxes Wharf, James River, Va., 3-10 to 3-12-65. (Booth, NAMP, Nesom Diary, MLR, 1860 Census FN 696)

ROWLEY, RICHARD D. (R.D.) 1st La. Cavalry, Co. E,
Capt. Norwood's Co. Cav.
(Jeff Davis Rangers) La.

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roll from 3-29-62 to 5-1-62, present, enlisted at Camp Moore, La., 3-29-62; roll for May-Jun '62, present or absent not stated; roll from 7-1-62 to 11-1-62, present; roll for Nov-Dec '62, present. (NAMP, Catalogue, LGR)

DEPRIEST (Dupriest), JAMES (J.F.) 4th La. Infantry, Co. A
Ca 1833-62; Saddler in 1860, post office: Clinton, La., born in La.; member of Olive Lodge No. 52, Clinton, La.; killed at battle of Shiloh, 4-6-62. (Patrick, MLR, 1860 Census FN 390)

DILLS (Dils), JOHN W.H. (J.W.H.) 27th La. Infantry, Co. A
4th La. Infantry, Co. B
& Cage's Cavalry
20 years old in 1860, post office: Port Hudson, La., born in La.; enlisted at Camp Moore, La., 5-25-61; transferred to 4th La., Co. B, 4-18-63; roll 12-31-62 to 4-30-63, present; roll for Jul-Aug '63, deserted from camp near Morton, Miss., 7-18-63; joined Cage's Cavalry. (Booth, 1860 Census FN 14)

DIXON, JOHN WESLEY 4th La. Infantry, Co. G,
& Captain J.C. McKowen's Cavalry Co.
1847-1931; post office in 1860: Clinton, La., born at Jackson, La., student in preparatory department at Centenary College of La., Jackson, La., 1852-53; brother of William Y. Dixon also listed; transferred from 4th La. Infantry, Co. G in 1863; suffered three wounds in July '64 at Clinton, La.; paroled at Gainesville, Ala., 5-12-65; Res. East Feliciana Parish, La. NOTE: William Y. Dixon diary states that John Wesley Dixon tried to join the 4th La. Infantry at Mobile, Ala., 10-8-63, but was not allowed because of his being underage. The diary states that he later joined Captain John McKowen's Cavalry Co. (Booth, CVM, Dixon Diary, LGR, 1860 Census FN 140)

DIXON, WILLIAM YOUNG (W.Y.) 27th La. Infantry, Co. A
4th La. Infantry, New Company G
1843-74; post office in 1860: Clinton, La., born in La.; brother of John Wesley Dixon also listed; student in preparatory department at Centenary College, Jackson, La., at outbreak of war; enlisted in 27th La. Infantry, Co. A, at Clinton, La., 3-14-62; transferred to 4th La. Infantry, New Co. G, at Vicksburg, Miss., 6-26-62; present on all rolls to Dec '63; rolls from May '64 to 2-28-65, absent, wounded in battle 7-28-64, sent to General Hospital [shot through left cheek with bullet lodged against neck bone]. (Booth, Dixon Diary, 1860 Census FN 140, 1850 Census FN 307)

DOUGHTY, ALEXANDER S. (A.S., Alexander) . . . 18th Bttn La Cavalry, Co F
25 year old Farmer in 1860, post office: Clinton, La., born in La.; student in preparatory department at Centenary College of La., Jackson, La., 1852-53; paroled at Gainesville, Ala., 5-12-65. (Booth, LGR, 1860 Census FN 634, 1850

FOURTH LA. INFANTRY REGIMENT
(Continued)

Aug 13: Regiment entered Baton Rouge as part of garrison.
Aug 26: Left Baton Rouge for Port Hudson, La.
Aug 27: Arrived at Port Hudson where regiment remained for remainder of 1862.

1863:

May 1: Regiment left Port Hudson en route to Williams' Bridge on Amite River in attempt to cut off Grierson's Cavalry.
May 2: Left Olive Branch, La., continuing to Williams' Bridge.
May: Regiment traveled on to Jackson, Miss., by foot & rail.
June: Countermarching in Big Black Swamp between Jackson & Vicksburg.
Jul 5-25: Seige of Jackson, Miss., afterwards moved to Morton, Miss.
July: At Camp Morton & Enterprise, Miss., then ordered to Mobile, Ala., for garrison duty on Dog River, Ala.
Sep-Oct: At Camp Pennington (Hall's Mill on Dog River) near Mobile.
Sep 7: Regiment moved to City of Mobile.
Sep 25: Ordered to Fort Morgan on Mobile Bay & returned to Mobile the following day.
November: Late in the month ordered to Dalton, Ga.

1864:

Feb 10: Left Dalton for Mobile by train.
April: Camped at Bon Secour, Ala.
May 25: Arrived at Marietta, Ga., & joined the Battle of New Hope Church.
Jun 6: Regiment in position at Lost Mountain, Ga.
Jun 19-30: At Kenesaw Mountain, Ga.
Jul 2: Camped at Chattahoochie River, Ga.
Jul 9: Reached outskirts of Atlanta.
Jul 20: Battle of Peach Tree Creek.
Jul 28: Battle of Ezra Church.
Aug 5: Most of the "Packwood Rifles" captured before Atlanta.
Aug 31: Battle of Jonesboro, Ga.
September: Consolidated with the 30th La. Infantry.
Sep 1: Withdrawal from Jonesboro toward Atlanta.
Sep 3: Regiment reached McDonough, Ga.
Sep 6-17: At Steven's Mill, Ga.
Sep 20: Reached Petersburg, Ga.
Sep 29: Left Petersburg, Ga.
Oct 3: Reached Lost Mountain, Ga.
Oct 6: Left Lost Mountain en route to Ala.
Oct 29: Reached Leighton, Ala.

FOURTH LA. INFANTRY REGIMENT (Continued)

Oct 30: Reached Florence, Ala.
Nov 20: Left Florence en route to Tenn.
Nov 30: Held in reserve at Battle of Franklin, Tenn.
Dec 2: Reached outskirts of Nashville, Tenn.
Dec 15-17: Battle of Nashville. Col. Hunter & portion of the regiment captured at Hollow Tree Gap, Tenn.

1865:

Jan 10: Regiment at Tupelo, Miss. until Jan 25.
Jan 25: At West Point, Miss., to Feb 1.
Feb 2: Sent to Mobile.
March: Consolidated with 13th La. Infantry & 14th Battalion La. (Austin's) Sharpshooters.
Mar 27 to Apr 8: Participated in action at Spanish Fort, Ala.
May 12: Surrendered at Meridian, Miss.

(LHQ, Richards, NAMP, Bergeron)

ELEVENTH LOUISIANA INFANTRY REGIMENT

Feliciana Companies: Company I "Rosale Guards" (W. Feliciana)

1861:

Jul 25: "Rosale Guards" left Bayou Sara en route to New Orleans.
Aug 13: Regiment mustered into Confederate Service at Camp Moore, La.
September: Early in the month sent to Columbus, Ky.
Nov 7: Battle of Belmont, Missouri.

1862:

February: Late in the month evacuated from Columbus, Ky., & sent to Island No. 10.
Mar 17: Withdrawn from Island No. 10 & sent to Ft. Pillow, Tenn. Later moved to Corinth, Miss.
Apr 6-7: Battle of Shiloh.
May 9: Battle of Farmington, Miss.
May 30: Moved to Tupelo, Miss.
Aug 19: Regiment disbanded by order of General Bragg (probably at Chattanooga, Tenn.). Companies parceled out to Austin's Battalion La. Sharpshooters, 13th La. Infantry, & 20th La. Infantry. Some of the Rosale Guards joined Austin's Battalion, remainder were incorporated with 20th La. Infantry, Co. D. These

EIGHTH BATTALION LA. HEAVY ARTILLERY
(Continued)

as the 8th Battalion La. Heavy Artillery. Captain Ruffin C. Barrow was given command of the 1st Co.
May 18 - Jul 27: Manned part of river batteries during first Federal attack on Vicksburg.
Sep-Dec: At Vicksburg.

1863:

Jan-May: At Vicksburg.
May 19 - Jul 4: Siege of Vicksburg. Surrendered July 4. After parole & exchange a few members of this unit later joined 1st Battalion La. Heavy Artillery in Mobile.

(RLSG, PJM, SCM, Bergeron)

CAVALRY

FIRST LOUISIANA CAVALRY REGIMENT

Felician Companies: Company C (W. Felician)
Company E "Jackson Mounted Rifles" (E. Felician).

1861:

Sep 11: Regiment organized at the Baton Rouge Barracks. Later in month Company E at basic training at Jackson & Olive Branch, La.
Oct 31: Regiment re-assembled at Baton Rouge Barracks.
Nov: Regiment sent to Memphis, Tenn.
Nov 6: Ordered to Bowling Green, Ky.
Nov 27: Arrived at Bowling Green.

1862:

Feb 2: At Clarksville, Tenn.
Feb 13-16: At Fort Donelson, Tenn.
Mar 9: Skirmish on Granny White's Pike near Nashville, Tenn.
Mar 10-11: Skirmishing near Nashville.
Mar 25: At Decatur, Ala.
Apr 6-7: Battle of Shiloh.
May 1: Skirmish at Athens, Ala.
May 2: Skirmish at Elk River, Ala.
May 8: At Courtland, Ala.
May 13-15: Near Rogersville, Ala.
Jul 6: At Chattanooga, Tenn.