

**Record Group 24**  
**24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry / Plymouth in the Civil War**  
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**Abstract**

During the Civil War the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry mustered into federal services in August 1862. The unit trained in Detroit for two weeks before leaving for Washington D.C. The regiment was assigned to defense of the capitol initially until joining other regiments to create an all western brigade for the Army of the Potomac. The 24<sup>th</sup> joined other brigades and ultimately fought in Gettysburg, then later served as military escort for President Lincoln's funeral procession.

**Scope and Content**

The 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry / Plymouth in the Civil War record group consists of records related to the United States Civil War, such as newspaper articles, registers, service records, rosters, flags, death records, and other related documents. Many documents in the collection are duplicated from parts of a National Archives collection as well as from archival collections in Ann Arbor and Canton, MI. The majority of the collection dates from 1862 through 1887. Items with more current dates are largely reflective articles about the War.

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**Important Subjects**

24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry  
Company C Members

United States Civil War  
War Records—Civil War

**Entry 1: Company C Members Records (formed in Plymouth)**  
**Box 1**

**David Leroy Adams**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #685457, certificate #783304,  
Widow's App #985935, certificate #786359)  
Four letters from Mrs. G. L. Griffith to the Director, Wayne Historical Museum  
concerning the Adams family (copies from Wayne Historical Museum).  
Image of David L. Adams as a senior citizen (from Wayne Historical Museum).  
Image of David L. Adams' tombstone in Glenwood Cemetery, Wayne, Michigan.

**Thomas Albert Armstrong**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #567461, certificate #453710,  
Widow's App #528636, certificate #442835)  
Image of Thomas A. Armstrong (from Mark Stevens, a descendant)  
Image of Thomas A. Armstrong's tombstone in Sequim View Cemetery, Sequim,  
Washington  
Image of Thomas & Almira Moody Armstrong (from Mark Stevens, a descendant)

**John Wheaton Babbitt**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #37705, certificate #29855,  
Widow's App #614001, certificate #430150)  
Mortuary Record, *The Washington Post*, Washington, DC, 8 May 1895, p. 2  
Death Notice, *The Evening Star*, Washington, DC, 6 May 1895, p. 7  
Death Notice, *Northville Record*, Northville, Michigan, 9 May 1895, p. 7.  
Death Notice, *Northville Record*, Northville, Michigan, 16 May 1895, p. 12.  
Four letters from John W. Babbitt to his cousin Hiram Thayer (copies from Mill Race  
Historical Society)  
*Register of Officers and Agents, Civil, Military, and Naval, in the Service of the United  
States, on the 30th September 1869*, p. 31.  
*Biennial Register*, September 30, 1871  
*Biennial Register*, September 30, 1875, p. 37  
*Official Register of the United States, Containing a List of Officers and Employees in the  
Civil, Military, and Naval Service on the First of July, 1881*, Vol. 1, p. 63  
J. W. Babbitt file, *Applications and Recommendations for Positions in the Washington,  
D.C., Offices of the Treasury Department, 1830-1910*, RG 56, Department of the  
Treasury (National Archives, Washington, DC).  
John W. Babbitt, *Bookmark BA-587-1863*, Record Group 94: Records of the Adjutant  
General's Office (National Archives, Washington, DC).  
Image of John W. Babbitt's tombstone in Congressional Cemetery, Washington, DC.

**Oscar Nathaniel Baker**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. H, 1 U.S. Lancers Michigan Cavalry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #262848, certificate #416043, Widow's App #1164736, certificate #895947)

Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, Plymouth, Michigan, 3 September 1920, p. 8

Image of Oscar N. Baker's tombstone in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth, MI.

**Thomas Brien Ballou**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Note: He had no pension.

Image of Thomas B. Ballou's tombstone in Downer Cemetery, Canton Township, MI.

**John A. Bartlett**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #59710, certificate #39173)

Two letters from James Bartlett (John's brother) to "Brother & Sister" with transcriptions

Image of John A. Bartlett's tombstone in Kinyon Cemetery, Canton Township, MI.

**William W. Barton**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #46449, certificate #80712, Widow's App #540545, certificate #344809)

**Box 2****Benjamin Franklin Brigham**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 9 Co., 2 Bn., VRC)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #192223, certificate #129932, Widow's App #615108, certificate #417099)

Image of Benjamin F. Brigham's tombstone in Dimondale Cemetery, Dimondale, MI.

**William Henry Brigham**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #7605, certificate #150817, Widow's App #639871)

Obituary, *Northville Record*, Northville, Michigan 28 August 1896, p. 1.

Estate Probate Announcement, *Northville Record*, Northville, Michigan 9 October 1896, p. 4.

Image of William H. Brigham's tombstone in Waterford Cemetery, Northville Township, MI.

**Forest C. Brown**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Minor's App #321363)

Image of Forest C. Brown's tombstone from Newburg Cemetery, Livonia, Michigan.

**Charles Burr**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Note: He had no pension.

Image of Charles Burr's tombstone at Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, VA.

**Charles H. Cogswell**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #51713, certificate #130372,  
Widow's App #991490, certificate #752177)

Image of Charles H. Cogswell's tombstone in Brant Cemetery, Brant, MI.

**George L. Cogswell**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Note: He had no pension.

**Ammi Ritchard Collins**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 9 Co., 2 Bn., VRC)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #217736, certificate #151325,  
Widow's App #1187009)

Image of Ammi R. Collins' tombstone in Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit, MI

**Norman Collins**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #217736, certificate #151325,  
Widow's App #1187009)

Obituary, *Northville Record*, Northville, Michigan, 13 August 1915, p. 1.

Image of Norman Collins' tombstone in Waterford Cemetery, Northville Township, MI.

**Edward M. Cory**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #37130, certificate #43781,  
Minor's App #136505)

Image of Edward M. Cory's tombstone in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth, MI.

**Alfred Courtrite**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. G, 1 VRC)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #732377, certificate #475630,  
Widow's App #1241389, certificate #970948, Minor's App #746662, certificate  
#828624)

Image of Jenny Cottrill Courtrite

### **Calvin Ball Crosby**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1311270, certificate #1079878)

Original Land Certificate from the General Land Office, for 80 acres, dated 1 December 1882

Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, Plymouth, Michigan, 12 March 1909, p. 4.

Seven letters from Calvin Crosby's wife Mary to her family (copies from Susanna Nawrocki, descendant)

Biographical sketch, *Michigan Biographies*, Vol. 1 A-K

*Official Directory and Legislative Manual of the State of Michigan for the Years 1887-8*

Image of Calvin B. Crosby (from State Archives of Michigan)

Image of Calvin B. Crosby's tombstone in Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth, MI.

### **Box 3**

#### **James B. Crosby**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #39102, certificate #29428, Widow's App #579591, certificate #389707)

Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, Plymouth, Michigan, 20 January 1893, p. 1.

Image of James B. Crosby's tombstone in Fremont Township Cemetery, Mayville, MI.

#### **Roswell B. Curtis**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother's App #319649, certificate #374440)

Interment record from National Soldier's Home, Washington, DC

Image of Roswell B. Curtis' tombstone in National Soldier's Home Cemetery, Washington, DC.

R. B. Curtis entry, *The Medical and Surgical History of the Civil War* Vol. VI (Wilmington, N.C.: Broadfoot Publishing Company, 1991), p. 732.

#### **Henry C. Dennis**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #602580, certificate #556122, Widow's App #1081570, certificate #857888)

Item on Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 7 July 1892, p. 4.

Item on Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 11 August 1893, p. 8.

Marriage announcement, Henry Dennis to Mrs. Pricilla Woodworth, *Northville Record*, 20 October 1893, p. 2.

Henry Dennis elected trustee, *Northville Record*, 17 January 1896, p. 8.

Henry Dennis member of Northville Protective Association, *Northville Record*, 21 March 1902, p. 1.

Item on Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 26 December 1902, p. 5.  
Item on Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 23 February 1906, p. 5.  
Item on Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 10 August 1906, p. 4.  
Obituary, Henry Dennis, *Northville Record*, 2 January 1914, p. 1 and 9 January 1914, p. 5.  
Obituary, Mrs. Priscilla Dennis, *Northville Record*, 2 May 1919, p. 1.  
Image of Henry Dennis' tombstone, Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville, MI.

### **Ezra E. Derby**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #57745, certificate #36035)  
Ezra E. Derby and Maria Monroe marriage record, Wayne County Marriages.  
Image of Ezra E. Derby (from Wayne Historical Museum)  
Image of Maria Monroe Derby (from Wayne Historical Museum)  
Image of Ezra E. Derby tombstone, W. Farmington Cemetery, W. Farmington, MI.

### **Charles R. Dobbins**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother's App #436902, certificate #326392)  
Image of Charles R. Dobbins' tombstone, Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth, MI

### **John M. Doig**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #41067, certificate #31450)  
Image of John M. Doig tombstone, National Cemetery, Los Angeles, CA.

### **Charles Duane Durfee**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark 2099-B-1871, RG 94)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #696260, certificate #693410, Widow's App #1092591, certificate #825532)  
Image of Charles D. Durfee (from Mill Run Historical Society, Northville, MI)  
Image of Charles D. Durfee (from collection of Dale Niesen)  
Image of Charles D. Durfee tombstone, Mount Hope Cemetery, Joplin, MO.  
Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 26 January 1917, p. 1.  
Charles D. Durfee sketch, *History of Detroit and Wayne County and Early Michigan*, Vol. 2, by Silas Farmer, p. 1435.  
Receipts from Plymouth Cheese Factory, C. D. Durfee proprietor.  
Item on Chas. D. Durfee, *Northville Record*, 17 February 1888, p. 1.  
Item on Charles Durfee, *Northville Record*, 4 January 1889, p. 4.  
Item on Mrs. Charles Durfee, *Northville Record*, 8 December 1899.  
Item on Charles Durfee, *Northville Record*, 15 January 1904, p. 6.  
Obituary of Mrs. Josephine Wycoff Durfee, *Plymouth Mail*, 7 November 1930.  
Charles D. Durfee death certificate, Missouri State Board of Health.

### **Edgar O. Durfee**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Edgar O. Durfee death certificate, City of Detroit.

Images of Edgar O. Durfee (from Burton Historical Collection)

Image of Edgar O. Durfee tombstone, Franklin Cemetery, Franklin, MI.

“Edgar O. Durfee,” *Detroit News*, 28 December 1947.

“A Soldier of Justice,” *Detroit News*, 28 October 1922.

Obituary, *Detroit Free Press*, 29 April 1927.

“How Judge Durfee Lost His Arm,” *Detroit Free Press*, 13 May 1931.

*The Durfee Review*, Vol. 3, 19 January 1931 (from Durfee Intermediate School, Detroit).

“Judge Durfee Celebrates His 50<sup>th</sup> Year on Bench,” *Detroit News*, 1 January 1926.

“Judge Edgar O. Durfee,” *Detroit Saturday Night*.

“Judge Durfee is 80; on Bench for 47 Years,” *Detroit News*, 28 October 1922.

Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 6 May 1927, p. 1.

“Edgar Oren Durfee,” *Footpaths to Freeways*.

E. O. Durfee entry, *The Medical and Surgical History of the Civil War*, Vol. X  
(Wilmington, N.C., Broadfoot Publishing Company, 1991), p. 704.

*Register of Officers and Agents, Civil, Military and Naval, in the Service of the United States on the Thirtieth September 1865*

E. O. Durfee, applicant for clerkship (National Archives, RG 56, Entry 210, Box 169: Applications and Recommendations for Positions in Washington, DC, 1830-1910).

Edgar O. Durfee and Mary L. Bassett, marriage record, Oakland County, MI.

### **Clark Eddy**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Image of Clark Eddy tombstone, Kinyon Cemetery, Canton, MI.

### **Box 4**

#### **Watson W. Eldridge**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 38 Co, 2 Bn, VRC)

Enlistment Paper, 1865 (National Archives, RG 94)

Enlistment Paper, 1868 (National Archives, RG 94)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1124983, certificate #11100548, Widow's App #1093793, certificate #825107, XC 992319)

*Official Register of the United States, containing a list of the Officers and Employees in the Civil, Military and Naval Service, July 1, 1905*

*Official Register of the United States, Persons in the Civil, Military and Naval Service Exclusive of the Postal Service, 1915*

Obituary, *Washington Post*, 20 January 1918, p. 5.

Image of Watson W. Eldridge tombstone, Congressional Cemetery, Washington, DC.

#### **Robert Everson**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 131 Co, 2 Bn, VRC)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co D, 11 VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #512524, certificate #346522)  
Burial Record, Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit, MI  
Image of Robert Everson tombstone, Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit, MI

### **Sebre Howard Fairman**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co E, 14 VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #51753, certificate #690474)  
Sebrah H. Fairman, death record, Wayne Co., MI  
Obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 7 April 1911, p. 5.  
Image of Sebre Fairman (Canton Historical Society)  
Fairman Family Correspondence (originals at Bentley Historical Library)

### **Jacob Farley**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: no pension  
Marriage record, Jacob Farly to Ellen E. Armstrong, Wayne Co., MI

### **Samuel W. Foster**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #713164, certificate #495894)  
Marriage record, Samuel Foster to Elmeretta Robinson, Ingham Co., MI  
Samuel Foster, death record, Clinton Co., MI

### **James Gillespie**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #688501, certificate #466375)  
James Gillespie obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 7 December 1906, p. 4  
*History of Eloise, Wayne County House, Wayne County Asylum*, by Stanislas M. Keenan  
(chapter containing information on James Gillespie as keeper of the asylum)  
*The Story of Eloise and Wayne County General Hospital*, by S. E. Gould  
James Gillespie sketch, *History of Detroit and Wayne County and Early Michigan*, by  
Silas Farmer, volume 2  
Muster Roll of Cory Post #261, GAR, 31 March 1885  
CDV photo of James Gillespie and George Kynoch, 1860s (in George Kynoch folder)  
Scanned photo of James Gillespie as keeper of Wayne County House

### **James T. Gunsolly**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #933615, certificate #124379)  
“Group of United States Artillery,” photo with Civil War soldiers including James  
Gunsolly  
James Gunsolly photo  
James Gunsolly death certificate, California State Board of Health



Letter from collateral descendant Carole Nation

**Alfred W. Hanmer**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #527566, certificate #829059)  
Plot card from Highland Cemetery, Ypsilanti, MI  
Alfred W. Hanmer, death certificate, Washtenaw Co., MI  
Marriage record, Alfred Hanmer to Caroline Berdan, Wayne Co., MI

**William A. Herrendeen**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark Baan-44-68, RG 94)  
Note: No pension

**Box 5**

**Alvah S. Hill**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #222555, certificate #145631,  
Widow's App #1048896, certificate #830132)  
Alvah S. Hill sketch, *History of Detroit and Wayne County and Early Michigan*, by Silas  
Farmer, volume 2  
Muster Roll of Cory Post #261, GAR, 31 December 1884

**George W. Hoisington**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #405863, certificate #711271,  
Widow's App #730080, certificate #509769)  
Geo. W. Hoisington, Application for Admission to the Michigan Soldiers' Home  
Geo. W. Hoisington entry, Register of Inhabitants, Michigan Veterans Facility  
George W. Hoisington sketch, *History of Detroit and Wayne County and Early Michigan*,  
by Silas Farmer, volume 2  
Marriage certificate, George Hisington to Sarah Ann Huse, Livingston Co., MI

**Charles H. Holbrook**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #361620, certificate #499744)  
Marriage record, Charles H. Holbrook to Emma Hattie Smith, Ionia Co., MI

**Aiken Holloway**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #66300, certificate #44639,  
Widow's App #693363, certificate #489036)  
Akin Holloway discharge certificate (copy)  
Akin Holloway obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 13 January 1899, p. 1

“Blood Stained Vest Recalls Civil War Days,” *Plymouth Historical Museum Newsletter*,  
June 2005

**Charles A. Hoyt**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #190426, certificate #148704,  
Widow’s App #701429, certificate #494179)  
Charles A. Hoyt, death record, Midland Co., MI  
Marriage record, Charles A. Hoyt to Eliza Jain Durfee, Wayne Co., MI

**George P. Hubbell**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: No pension  
*The Medical and Surgical History of the Civil War*, Vol. XI

**Box 6**

**Hiram W. Hughes**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. I, 22 VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #136625, certificate #98275)  
Maple Grove Cemetery records  
Marriage record, Hiram H. Hughes to Sarah J. Smith, Washtenaw Co., MI  
Hiram W. Hughes death record, Clare Co., MI

**William F. Hughes**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Unassigned VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #405889, certificate #245459,  
Widow’s App #739211, certificate #513228)  
Woodmere Cemetery map

**Bela C. Ide**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. H, 6 VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #941455, certificate #726125)  
Bela C. Ide entry, National Military Home, Pacific Branch, Sawtelle, CA

**John H. James**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother’s App #13970, certificate #8246)  
John H. James Interment Record, Soldiers Home, Washington, DC

**Asa Joy**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #34988, certificate #22023,  
Widow's App #1072472, certificate #815873)

Marriage record, Asa Joy to Eliza Stewart, Wayne Co., MI

Asa Joy, "An Act to Enroll the late Soldiers, their Widows and Orphans of the late  
Armies of the United States, residing in the State of Kansas."

Asa Joy, Roster of Michigan Soldiers, Residing in Kansas, 1887

Asa Joy death notice, *Plymouth Mail*, 15 October 1915

Asa Joy obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 22 October 1915

### **Samuel Joy**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. A, 21 VRC)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #78783, certificate #53325)

Land records, Salina, Kansas

Samuel Joy, "An Act to Enroll the late Soldiers, their Widows and Orphans of the late  
Armies of the United States, residing in the State of Kansas."

Samuel Joy, Roster of Michigan Soldiers, Residing in Kansas, 1887

1885, 1895, 1905 entries for Samuel Joy in Kansas Decennial Census, Russell County,  
Kansas

1915 entry for Samuel Joy in Kansas Decennial Census, Saline County, Kansas

Photo, Members of the John A. Logan Post No. 127 GAR, Salina, KS, 1912, containing  
Samuel Joy

*Military Records of Saline County, Kansas, 1861-1991*, comp. By Mary Maley.

Samuel Joy obituary, *Salina Daily Union*, 11 December 1915, p. 7

Samuel Joy obituary, *Salina Sun*, 18 December 1915, p. 1

Samuel Joy probate file, Saline County, Kansas, case #2394

### **Oliver C. Kelly**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

### **William Kells**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. H, 1<sup>st</sup> U.S. Lancers Michigan  
Cavalry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark 13400A (E.B.) 1877, RG 94)

William Kells, death record, Livingston Co., MI

### **George W. Kynoch**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #124850, certificate #86308)

CDV photo of James Gillespie and George Kynoch, 1860s

George Kynoch headstone application

### **Andrew B. Lanning**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark 1873-A-1885, RG 94)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother's App #320397, certificate #218767)

Burial Register, St. Patrick Calvary Cemetery, Brighton, MI

**Bristol A. Lee**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

B. A. Lee, Report of Michigan Men and Unknown Soldiers Interred at Antietam National Cemetery, 1865, Michigan Archives 59-14-A B148 F11

**Box 7**

**William H. Lewis**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #395103)

William H. Lewis, Application for Admission to the Michigan Soldiers' Home

William H. Lewis entry, Register of Inhabitants, Michigan Veterans Facility

Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark Le-202-1866, RG 94)

**James M. Loud**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 30<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark R&P 458487, RG 94)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #451105, certificate #354213)

Marriage record, James Myron Loud to Mary Elizabeth Rodgers, Wayne Co., MI

**Oscar N. Loud**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #210285)

Oscar Loud obituary, *Northville Record*, 29 March 1873, p. 3

Oscar Loud death record, Wayne Co., MI

**Alonzo B. Markham**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Unassigned VRC)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. D, 22 VRC)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1101918, certificate #850267)

Alonzo B. Markham death record, Tuscola Co., MI

Alonzo Markham, probate file #4216, Tuscola County, MI

**John C. Marshall**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #176400, certificate #344324)

Marriage record, John C. Marshall to Martha A. Parker, Clinton Co., MI

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**Calvin Maxfield**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #106406, certificate #118776)  
Article about Calvin Maxfield, *Northville Record*, 9 December 1871, p. 3  
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**Nelson H. May**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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Marriage record of Nelson May and Hannah Morey, Wayne County, MI  
Death notice of Nelson May, *Plymouth Mail*, 2 September 1909, p. 5

**James McKee**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: No pension  
James McKee probate file #5150, Wayne County Probate Court

**William McLaughlin**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #60927, certificate #39171, minor's app #155310, certificate #106507)  
William McLaughlin probate file #5545, Wayne County Probate Court

**Daniel McPherson**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 81 Co. 2 Bn VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #284266, certificate #232519)  
Daniel McPherson death record, Oakland County, Michigan

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**Joshua Minthorn**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #265831, certificate #314499)  
Joshua Minthorn, tombstone photos  
Joshua Minthorn entry, Battle Mountain Sanitarium, Hot Springs, SD

**Alfred Noble**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: No pension

Alfred Noble, recommendation for taking charge of improvements of St. Mary's Falls Canal, 13 September 1870  
Marriage record, Alfred Noble to Georgia Speechly, Washtenaw County, Michigan  
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### **John Passage Jr.**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, Bookmark 316-D-84, RG 94)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #114955, certificate #94068)

### **Abel G. Peck**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: No pension  
Marriage record, Abel G. Peck to Caroline Sanford, Oakland County, Michigan  
Photo of Abel Peck  
Notebook compiled by George Woodworth of Abel Peck letters

### **Charles A. Phillips**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 13 Indpt. Battery, Michigan Light Artillery)  
Enlistment Paper, 23 August 1865, Co A, 37<sup>th</sup> Infantry, Detroit  
Enlistment Paper, 12 Sep 1868, 3d Infantry, Santa Fe, NM  
Enlistment Paper, 13 Sep 1871, 3d Infantry, Fort Dodge, KS  
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### **Samuel W. Phillips**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: 122 Co, 2 Bn VRC)

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. G, 9 VRC)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #556685, certificate #838784,  
Widow's App #977404, certificate #737859)  
Samuel Wesley Phillips, death record, Macomb County, Michigan

### **Charles Pinkerton**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Note: no pension

### **Augustus Pomeroy**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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### **Nelson Pooler**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1146315, certificate  
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Nelson and Abbie Pooler photo  
Copies of Pooler Bible records  
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Nelson Pooler photo (from Mike Waskul)

### **William H. Quance**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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Henry Bailey Quance, death notice, *Mt. Pleasant Times*, 18 July 1912, p. 1.

### **Ambrose Roe**

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Marriage record, Ambrose Roe to Electa Ann Andrews, Wayne County Marriages  
Death record, Ambrose Roe, Wayne County Deaths

### **Willard Roe**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Signal Corps, U. S. Volunteers)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1091420, certificate #856383,  
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Marriage record, Willard Roe to Sarah Yates, Kalamazoo County Marriages

### **Charles W. Root**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #357454, certificate #248198)  
Highland Cemetery Internment Record, Charles Root  
Charles Root, General Court Martial proceedings

### **Roswell L. Root**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #949044, certificate #999994)  
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Roswell Root obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 26 June 1903, p. 4  
Letter written by Roswell Root to his grandfather Roswell Root, 23 August 1863  
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### **John E. Ryder**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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### **Joseph A. Safford**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. F, 24 VRC)  
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### **Winfield S. Safford**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Transcribed letters from Winfield S. Safford during Civil War  
Image of Winfield Safford

### **James S. Seeley**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow’s App #382343, certificate  
#399664)  
James S. Seeley, death certificate, State of New York  
Marriage record, James S. Seely to Catherine E. Churchwood, Middlesex County, NJ  
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### **Lucius L. Shattuck**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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### **John A. Sherwood**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother’s App #374268, certificate  
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John A. Sherwood, *Bookmark SFI-383-1868*, Record Group 94: Records of the Adjutant  
General's Office (National Archives, Washington, DC).

### **William E. Sherwood**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #1132798, certificate  
#1023096, Widow’s App #1134221, certificate #871796)  
Marriage record, William E. Sherwood and Eliza J. Larrabee, Calhoun County (MI)  
Marriages

**George W. Soper**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #14916, certificate #6494)

**Otis Southworth**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Widow's App #31678, certificate #12640)

Marriage record, Otis Southworth to Harried J. Derby, Wayne County Marriages

Marriage record, Seth Southworth to Harriet Derby Southworth, Wayne County Marriages

Image of Otis Southworth (from Wayne Historical Museum)

Image of Harriet Derby Southworth (from Wayne Historical Museum)

**David B. Stevens**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Mother's App #264123, certificate #244863)

Image of David Stevens (daguerreotype)

David Stevens' burial record, Soldiers Home National Cemetery, Washington, DC

**Box 11****Frank T. Stewart**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #486515, certificate #895925)

Frank Stewart, Court Martial RR 3150, RG 153, National Archives

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**Christian Stockfleth**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #46251, certificate #31004)

Christian Stockfletch death record, Wayne County Deaths

**DeWitt C. Taylor**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #154748, certificate #116670)

Cemetery information, Elmwood Cemetery, Kansas City, MO

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**Ralph G. Terry**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #350629, Widow's App# 681659, certificate #476654)

Copies of images of Ralph Terry and Elizabeth Seeley Terry

Ralph G. Terry obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 26 August 1898

Certificate of Marriage, Ralph G. Terry to Elizabeth R. Johnson

Ralph Terry, death record, Wayne County Deaths

**William U. Thayer**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #657055, certificate #452892, Widow's App #1144962, certificate #877791)

William U. Thayer, *Bookmark 7366-A-1889*, Record Group 94: Records of the Adjutant General's Office (National Archives, Washington, DC).

William U. Thayer correspondence

Burial information, Arlington National Cemetery, Arlington, Virginia

**Robert Towers**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #63010, certificate #42236, Widow's App #689500, certificate #484134)

Robert Towers, burial information, Utley Cemetery Burial Register, Keighley, York County, England

**Abraham Velie**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #679213, certificate #701702)

Abraham Velie, Register of Members 1876-1934, Bath Branch, Bath, New York, Historical Registers of National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, 1866-1938 (National Archives microfilm publication M1749, roll 2)

Abram Velie death certificate, State of New York

Images of Abraham Velie tombstone

**Minot S. Weed**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)

Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #539962, certificate #366905, Widow's App #1680981)

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Minot Weed obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 17 October 1930, p. 1

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### **George R. Welsh**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #406275, certificate #421812)  
George Reynolds Welsh, death certificate, State of Illinois  
Forest Home Cemetery map  
George R. Welsh obituary, *The Rockford Morning Star*, 17 May 1824  
George Welsh entries in Rockford, IL, city directories  
Marriage certificate, George R. Welsh to Martha G. Hughes, Wayne County Marriages  
Image of George R. Welsh (from Dale Niesen)

### **Charles Westfall**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #153594, certificate #111015, Widow's App #1235506)  
Charles Westfall obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 12 June 1925, p. 1  
Marriage record, Charles Westfall to Almeda Panches, Wayne County Marriages  
Marriage record, Charles Westfall to Viola Vilback, Wayne County Marriages

### **Orson Westfall**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #608198, certificate #736581, Widow's App #1162348, certificate #897634)  
Orson Westfall obituary, *Plymouth Mail*, 2 July 1920, p. 1

### **William H. Whallon**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #40567, certificate #25921, Widow's App #893032, certificate #649406)  
Woodlawn Cemetery map  
Marriage record, Wm. H. Whallon to Eliza Willmore, Ingham County (MI) Marriages

### **Alfred Willis**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
No pension

### **John Witherspoon**

Military Service Record (National Archives, RG 94: Co. A, 1<sup>st</sup> Michigan Infantry)  
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John Witherspoon, *Bookmark 10982-A-80*, Record Group 94: Records of the Adjutant General's Office (National Archives, Washington, DC).

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Military Pension (National Archives, RG 15: Invalid App #363, certificate #182684, Widow's App #437634, certificate #357220)  
Article about John Witherspoon's death, *Detroit Free Press*, 8 August 1887, p. 2  
John Witherspoon obituary, *Detroit Free Press*, 6 August 1887, p. 5  
John Witherspoon diary (copy—original at Burton Historical Library, Detroit)  
Image of John Witherspoon (from Dale Niesen)  
Letter from John Witherspoon to Michigan Adjutant General, 22 November 1866  
Letter from Colonel Morrow, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Regiment, recommending John Witherspoon for 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieutenant of Company B  
Letter from Colonel Morrow, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Regiment, recommending John Witherspoon for 1<sup>st</sup> Lieutenant of Company C  
Letter from Colonel Morrow, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Regiment, recommending John Witherspoon for Captain of Company C

## **Entry 2—Items Relating to Plymouth**

### **Box 1**

#### *Folder 1*

Township of Plymouth subscribers to pay bounties for Union soldiers raised in Plymouth Township, dated 12 December 1863

List of men who enlisted into the 1<sup>st</sup> Michigan Engineers and Mechanics from Plymouth  
Enlistees from Plymouth who became officers

#### *Folder 2—Newspaper Clippings*

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“Plymouth Volunteers,” *Detroit Free Press*, 25 April 1861, p. 1 (24MI 011)

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“Plymouth in the Civil War,” *Plymouth Mail*, 7 September 1917

“Faded Paper Shows Plymouth's Pledge to Aid Civil War Volunteers,” *Plymouth Mail*, 3 November 1939

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- “Great War Meeting at Plymouth—Three Thousand Dollars Subscribed for Bounties to Col. Morrow’s Regiment!—Forty-seven Men Enlist in one Company on the Invitation of the Colonel,” *Detroit Advertiser and Tribune*, 8 August 1862, p. 1 (24MI 001)
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- “The 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Full and Mustered into the U.S. Service,” *Detroit Advertiser and Tribune*, 16 August 1862, p. 1 (24MI 008)
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- “From the 24<sup>th</sup> Infantry,” unknown paper, no date, probably *Detroit Free Press*, July 1863 (24MI 022)
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- “From the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan,” unknown paper, no date, probably *Detroit Free Press*, July 1863 (24MI 027)
- “From the Twenty-fourth,” unknown paper, no date, probably *Detroit Free Press*, July 1863 (24MI 029)
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*The Reunion*, 13 December 1871 (24MI 005)

Twenty-fourth Michigan Infantry, Fifth Annual Reunion, 4 July 1873 (24MI 013)

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24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Regiment, “Roster of Names & P.O. Addresses of Soldiers Residing in Michigan in 1888 (Michigan State Archives 59-14, reel 684) (24MI 018)

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Menu from a regimental reunion (only part of original)

#### *Folder 3—Official Records*

Letter from Abner Doubleday about 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan, *Supplement to the Official Records of the Union and Confederate Armies*, Part I—Reports, Volume 5, Serial #5. (24MI 020)

Company C, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan, *Supplement to the Official Records of the Union and Confederate Armies*, Part II—Record of Events, Volume 31, Serial #43. (24MI 021)

Notes about C Company soldiers from Regimental Guard Report, Endorsement, and Miscellaneous Book, Book Records of Volunteer Union Organizations, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry (National Archives RG 94, E112-115, Volume 5 of 5) (24MI 006)

List of Officers Killed and Wounded, and Enlisted men killed in the 24<sup>th</sup> Regt Michigan Vols. From the 5<sup>th</sup> to the 19<sup>th</sup> of May 1864 (24MI 031)

Office Brevet Appointments, 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry (24MI 032)

Letter from Colonel Henry Morrow to Michigan Adjutant General, 24 December 1862 (24MI 033)

History of the 24<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 7 September 1865 (24MI 034)

24<sup>th</sup> Infantry (24MI 035)

History of the 24<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment, 1 November 1864 (24MI 036)

Letter from Seril Chilson to Michigan Adjutant General, 18 January 1864 (24MI 037)  
Colonel Morrow's recollections of the Battle of Gettysburg, 22 February 1864 (24MI 038)

*Folder 4—Flags*

Image of 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry Flag

Special Tribute from the State of Michigan to the Western Wayne Genealogical Society  
for adopting a flag carried by the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry during the Civil War.

“Rally Round the Flag”: The Original Civil War Flags of the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan Infantry  
Regiment

*Folder 5—Images*

“Departure for the War,” by G. White

“Attack on Fredericksburgh—Dec. 1862,” by Chappel

“Battle of Gettysburg,” by Chappel

“Battle of the Wilderness—Attach at Spottsylvania Court House,” by Chappel

24<sup>th</sup> Michigan monument at Gettysburg

24<sup>th</sup> Michigan reenactors in front of 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan monument at Gettysburg

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*Folder 6—Company I Descriptive Book*

*Folder 7--- Items relating to the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan*

“The Dead of the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan”

Poma, Joe, A Concise History of Company C: The Twenty-Fourth Michigan Infantry  
Regiment

**Entry 4—Books**

Curtis, A. M., *History of the Twenty-Fourth Michigan of the Iron Brigade, Known as the  
Detroit and Wayne County Regiment*

Smith, Donald L., *The Twenty-Fourth Michigan of the Iron Brigade  
The Civil War As It Was Fought By Soldiers of Plymouth, Michigan*

**Entry 5—Print**

*Map Case Drawer*

Thom, Robert, illustration (Michigan 24<sup>th</sup> at Gettysburg) for Michigan in the Civil War  
by F. Clever Bald

Company C, 24<sup>th</sup> Regiment, Michigan Volunteers

Pooler, Nelson, Company C, 24<sup>th</sup> Regiment, Michigan Volunteers

List of names of soldiers enlisted from Plymouth

Surviving Plymouth Civil War Veterans (1914 or 15)

Survivors of the 24<sup>th</sup> Michigan at Dedication of their monument at Gettysburg, 1889