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Resolutions of Co. E, 154th Regiment.

At a meeting of Co. E, 154th Reg. N.Y. Vols., held at camp, Jan. 1, 1864, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

*Whereas*, By the will of our Heavenly Father, 1st Lieut. I. T. Jenkins, 1st Serg. D. S. Connoly, and Privates Wm. J. Osterhout, and Oscar M. Taylor, all formerly members of our company, and taken prisoners at Gettysburg, Pa. July 1, 1863, have since died of disease contracted in Rebel hands, and while yet remaining unexchanged, therefore

*Resolved*, 1. That, with deep sorrow, we have from time to time received the sad announcements of the deaths of our beloved friends and faithful companions in arms.

2. That, in the departure of these, our highly esteemed associates, we have lost brave soldiers and truly noble men.

3. That we sincerely sympathize with the families, friends and relatives of the deceased, and pray that they may be comforted by the Great Comforter of All.

4. That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to each of the families of the deceased; and also to the *Fredonia Censor*, *Fredonia Advertiser*, and *Westfield Republican*, with a request for publication.

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C. L. Barnhart, 1st Sgt.