

January 19, 1999

The following is the record of Ariel Wellman during the Civil War, as written on a document in my possession. I am not sure where it came from, and as you can see there is no way of telling the author.

This is to Certify that
ARIEL WELLMAN

Enlisted July 10, 1862 from Cattaraugus County, New York and was mustered into the United States service at Jamestown, NY Sep 24, 62 as a private for three years in Company B 154th Regiment, NY Vol Infantry under Captain Simeon V. Pool and Colonels A G Rice, P W Jones. The regiment was assigned to the 11th Corps Army of the Potomac and the Cumberland to April 1864. Then 2nd Brigade 2nd Div 20th Cor Army of the Cumberland. We participated in the following engagements. Battle of Chancellorsville Va May 4, 63. Gettysburg Va. July 3. 63. Moved to Bridgeport Ala. Sep 24, 63. Battle of Wauhatchie, Tenn Oct 28-29. 63. Duty in Lookout Valley till May, 1864. Engaged at Rockfaced Ridge, Tenn, may 5 to 9, 1864. Was wounded here MAY 8, 64 gun shot in left ear and head. Confined to Nashville Tenn Hospital. Regt engaged in battle of Resaca May 13-16. 64, Cassville May 19 to 22, Dallas or New Hope Church May 25 to June 4 Kenesaw Pine Knob, Galgatha and Culp Farm June 9 to 30. Peachtreecreek July 20, 64. Seige of Alanta July 22 to Aug 64. HONORABLY DISCHARGED Aug 18, 64 to accept Promotion as 1st Lieut of Company D, 42nd Regiment USC Vol Infantry under Captain P G Cramer and Colonel Jos R Putnam. The Regiment was stationed at Chattanooga, Tenn, attached to the Department of the Cumberland and engaged in Guard and Garrison Duty at Chattanooga, Tenn in the Dist of East Tenn and Dep. of the Cumberland and Department of Georgia and rendered efficient service. He was promoted to Captain Aug 30, 1865. Finally HONORABLY DISCHARGED Jany 31, 1866 at Huntsville, Ala. By reason S.O. #8 Dec of Ala, Mobile Jan 13, 66. Member of J.M. Brown Post No. 285 GAR Dept of New York at Jamestown, N.Y.

Presented by Comrade Wellman to his wife Amanda and daughter Lulah E. Apligis. (sp ?)
Member of U. V. S. Camp No. 95, Jamestown, NY.

The document is hand written and a little difficult to read in some cases.

Dear Mr. Dunkleman;

This is the only information that I can find regarding Ariel Wellman.

Yours truly



Donn W. Hewes