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Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park
Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia

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Mrs. Edithe Nasca

Dear Mrs. Nasca:

The information we have on James D. Quillian adds but little to what you seem to know already. In the Annual Report of the Adjutant-General of the State of New York for the Year 1904, Serial No. 39, page 1194, there is a paragraph concerning his record. It is quoted below:

"Age, 26 years. Enlisted, August 29, 1862, of Westfield, to serve three years. Mustered in as private, Co. E, (154th N. Y.), September 24, 1862; wounded in action, July 1, 1863 at Gettysburg, Pa., again June 15, 1864, at Pine Knob, Ga.; died of his wounds, July 8, 1864, at Nashville, Tenn."

As you may already know, the 154th New York Infantry fought in Colonel Adolphus Buschbeck's brigade, Adolph von Steinwehr's division, General Oliver Howard's Eleventh Corps. Colonel Patrick H. Jones commanded the regiment during the operations around Chattanooga.

The brigade was attached to Sherman's troops on Nov. 24, before the opening of fighting along Missionary Ridge. However, the 154th New York was on detached service at Boyce's Station on Chickamauga Creek at the time of the battle and took no active part.

If we can help further, please let us know.

Very truly yours,

Chas. S. Dunn
Superintendent