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Our Photo Archive includes images of individuals of this unit.

The following personal papers are in the Institute's Manuscript Archive:

- Colby, Carlos W. - BilbyColl (Enlisted man's memoir of military service, 1862-65)
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- Eddington, W. R. - HCWRTCcoll (Enlisted man's memoirs, 1842-1934)
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