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Our Photo Archive includes images of individuals of this unit.

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- Church, Nathan – CWDocColl, Box 22, Folder 22 (Company C, letter from 7 Oct 1861)
- Ely, Ralph - CWTIColl (Colonel's report on occupation of Petersburg)