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Civil War Unit: Nevada Troops

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During the Civil War, only two units from the state, the 1st Nevada Infantry Battalion and the 1st Nevada Cavalry Battalion, were mustered into federal service. A concise summary of the service of both units appears in the following:

Dyer, Frederick H. A Compendium of the War of the Rebellion. Vol. 2. Dayton, OH: Morningside, 1979. pp. 1345. E491.D992.

The following contain information on both battalions:

Klages, Jeff. "Battle Born!: Charles McDermit and the Nevada Territory Volunteers in the Civil War." Military Images Magazine (Sep/Oct 1993): pp. 27-29. Per.

Smith, Philip. "The Sagebrush Soldiers: Nevada's Volunteers in the Civil War." Nevada Historical Society Quarterly (Fall & Winter 1962): 87 p. E519.4.S64.