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Sergt J. M. Dauley  
Co K 154<sup>th</sup> Regt. N. Y. V.  
Perryburg  
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JOHN M. ORWLEY  
CO K, 154<sup>th</sup> NYVI



DAWLEY, JOB B.—Age, 18 years. Enlisted, August 26, 1862, at Perrysburg, to serve three years; mustered in as private, Co. K, September 25, 1862; promoted corporal prior to October 31, 1864; captured, ~~February~~ <sup>March</sup> 24, 1865, near Goldsboro, N. C.; killed by the enemy, ~~March~~ <sup>March</sup> 25, 1865, near Kingston, N. C.



DAWLEY, JOHN M.—Age, 25 years. Enlisted, August 17, 1862, at Perrysburg, to serve three years; mustered in as corporal, Co. K, September 25, 1862; transferred to Twenty-first Company, Second Battalion, Veteran Reserve Corps, September 1, 1863; promoted sergeant, no date; mustered out with detachment, July 19, 1865, at Washington, D. C.

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9th A. C. He had two furloughs, one from Hanover C. H., rejoining his regiment at Harrison's Landing on July 4, 1862, and the other in November, 1863. He was on a special detail at Aqua Creek, and he was placed in charge of the cattle train during McClellan's Antietam campaign, where he done duty until fall, when his whole regiment was on special service from Warrenton Junction to Alexandria. He had served faithful enlistment and was discharged Sept. 11, 1864, at Albany, N. Y. On July 4, 1865, he was united in marriage to Christiana Badgero, daughter of John and Laura A. (Jowels) Badgero, at Dayton, N. Y. He is the father of two children, Mary, born December, 1866, and Grace E., born August, 1875. His father was a member of the 154th N. Y. V. I., and was discharged through disability and died in Illinois from the effects of his service. The wife's father was also in the service and died there from diseases contracted on the banks of the Rappahannock. Comrade Blair has held every office in the G. A. R. Post of Dayton, N. Y., except commander, which he has often refused. He is a carpenter by trade, also a member of the A. U. O. W. He has held several public offices, school trustee, township and school collector. He is spending the declining years of his useful life in Dayton, N. Y.

## CHARLES H. CROWELL.

David and Anna Crowell were living in Villenova, Chautauqua Co., N. Y., when a son was born to them on Aug. 27, 1840, whom they named Charles H. On December 1, 1861, he was united in marriage to Stella Robbins, daughter of Rolf and Sarah (Cole) Robbins. One child, Fred D., born Aug. 10, 1871, was given to their union. On the formation of Co. H, 100th N. Y. V. I., Comrade Crowell was among the boys to don the blue, entering the service in September, 1861, as a private. He was in the battle at South Mt., where his regiment was badly cut to pieces. He was confined in Rose Cottage hospital forty days, and from thence to Whitehouse Landing hospital, suffering from typhoid fever. Here he was furloughed and came home, where for a few weeks he enjoyed rest, returning to his duty at Washington. In November, 1862, he was given his honorable discharge. His brother, William Crowell, served in the 100th N. Y., and now lives at Charlotte's Centre, N. Y. The Wife's brother, George F. Robbins, was in the regular army for some time. Comrade Crowell has served as constable, deputy sheriff, and is serving in that capacity at present, also the truant officer for the public schools. He is in poor health, but with the help of others he conducts a livery business in his town, and is always active in G. A. R. affairs. He is a member of the post of Dayton, N. Y., and one of the truly respected citizens.

## JOHN M. DAWLEY,

The son of John R. and Zenoba (Buckley) Dawley, was born June 30, 1837, at Perrysburg, Cattaraugus Co., N. Y. He was farming and teaching music and school when he enlisted Aug. 12, 1862, in Co. K, 154th N. Y. Inf., which was assigned to 1st Brig., 2d Div., 11th and 20th A. C's. He was first Corp., and in May, 1863, was promoted to Sergt. Although never wounded, he was confined in hospital about five months at Washington, D. C., in 1864, caused by fever, resulting in general disability. Subsequently he was transferred to the veteran's relief corps, where he remained until discharged July 20, 1865, at Washington, D. C. He was never furloughed and was always with his regiment, taking part in all its battles until sent to the hospital. His brother, Job Dawley, was killed by Wheeler's Cavalry in North Carolina. Another brother, whose record will be found elsewhere in this book, comprises the three brothers who freely offered their lives for their country. Mrs. Dawley's father, Jonathan Rugg, and two sons were in the Civil war, one of whom was a surgeon of the 154th N. Y. Comrade Dawley is a member of G. A. R. Post No. 359, of Gowanda, N. Y., in which he is J. V. C. He is also a church member, and resides at Perrysburg, N. Y.

## RUSSELL C. DAWLEY

Is the son of John R. and Zenoba (Buckley) Dawley, and was born on Aug. 21, 1835, in Perrysburg, N. Y. He was united in marriage on Nov. 19, 1856, to Cornelia Kirkland, daughter of James and Pheobe (Dawley) Kirkland. Mrs. Dawley was born Nov. 28, 1834. Ten children are the graces of this union: Walter, Laura, Charles, Ida, John, Phoebe, Bertha, Emma, and Ella (twins) and Della F. When the war cloud settled over our fair land, our Comrade was engaged in farming, but he knew his duty and did it. On April 20, 1862, he donned the blue in the ranks of Co. K, 154th N. Y. V. I., as a private, but at Thoroughfare Gap was discharged through disability. He had gone forth in the spirit of a true soldier, but disease was the enemy which at last conquered him, and he was compelled to return to the quiet farm life again. Two of his brothers, John and Job, were to the front, the former in the 154th; the latter was killed at Richmond while out foraging. Mrs. Dawley had one brother, Myron Kirkland, in the 154th also. Comrade Dawley is a faithful member of Dayton Post, and is now spending the declining years of his well-spent life on a farm near that village.

## JAMES H. FAIRCHILD,

Was born July 28, 1841, in Rochester, N. Y.; his parents were John F. and Susan (Hoyt) Fairchilds. He was employed as a merchant in Belfast, N. Y., from where he enlisted Jan. 5, 1864, in Co. E, 93rd N. Y. I., 2d Brig., 3d Div., 2d A. C. At the battle of the Wilderness, May, 5, 1864, thirty-seven of his company fell in less than two hours; Spottsylvania was the next fight, followed by North Ann River, and our race to the Orange Plank Road will never be forgotten, as Gen. Hancock's corps in danger of being routed. The 93d was the first to enter the engagement; "Gen. Hancock commanded us to hold our position at all hazards, promising to send us reinforcements in twenty minutes. The rebel line soon reached beyond our flanks, exposing us to an enfilading fire and in less than an hour and a half our regiment had fallen. For an hour and a half the 93d endured this hell of fire; our ammunition was nearly exhausted, but not a man faltered. A detail was ordered to search the cartridge boxes of the dead and wounded for ammunition to be given to those in the line. 'Will the promised reinforcement never come?' was the question of life or death in every man's mind, while every moment the hail of shot and shell grew more intense. Another half hour and all would have been lost. When the advancing line of blue was hailed with shouts, 'The Red Diamonds,' were the talismanic words written upon their caps. This was our own brigade, led by our own Colonel Crocker, finally come to our rescue. Never were soldiers' hearts more united in purpose, to achieve victory more determined. Our Brig. commander, Gen. Hoys, was killed while forming his line, and Col. Crocker was placed in command, this was the cause of delay in sending reinforcements, but as night came on the victory was ours, though at terrible cost. April 19th the 93d was to join Gen. Burney's Division, who soon led us in the battle of the Wilder." On the very dark night of May 3, 1864, Comrade Fairchilds was on picket, when creeping stealthily toward him on hands and knees came a rebel deserter. Frequently such visitors came and were always received with ready gun and open arms; finally they came in squads and families, and details were made to take them to Washington. "Feb. 29, 1864, our Scout Hogan brought in 12 prisoners, he must have surrounded them or found them willing. May 5, 1864, our comrade, in Wilderness, was wounded in left thigh, and was sent to hospital at Washington, remaining four months, thence to Germantown, then to Alexandria, and finally to Fairfax Seminary, from which he was discharged June 10, 1865. After the war was over Miss Rosalia R. Petty, the daughter of Z. T. and Mary A. (Wadsworth) Petty, became his wife. Their children are Bruce T., Fred F., Lewis L., Mary A., Robert E., James W., Florence M. and Nellie S. Mr. Fairchilds is the genial miller, and Q. M. of G. A. R. Post, at Portville, N. Y.

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terrible confusion; many mules were drowned and several had legs  
broken, which furnished us with some nice mule steak, which was all  
we had left after giving all our rations to the starving "johnnies,"  
who had been fighting fifteen days on dry flour and corn. To get the  
mules out of the swamp took all day; the train was loaded and start-  
ed April 11, 1865, for Barkville Junction: as mules and wagons stuck  
in the mud, the mules were unhitched and wagons fired and left to  
burn." At the Grand Review his brother John made his appearance  
for the first time in 17 years; he was a member of the 6th Ct. V. I.  
After the review the captain was assigned to Gen. Logan's command  
in Kentucky, and six weeks after sent to Columbus, O., where he was  
mustered out Aug. 19, 1865. Dec. 20, 1866, Miss Nettie M. Hall, of  
Ridgeville, O., became his wife; she was born July 27, 1843, in Eaton,  
O. Five children were given them, Carrie H., Eva V., Clara M.,  
Frederick L. and Leonard H. Capt. Abbott was a member of Chase  
Post, Titusville, Pa., also of Olean post; he is employed by the Stan-  
dard Oil Company at Olean, N. Y.

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