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# ANCESTORS AND "UNCLES" OF (DAVID) JAY WEBBER WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

## *Ancestors:*

**MORGAN DENEGAR (1840-1908), Corporal, Company B, 20th Regiment, New York State Militia (80th Regiment, New York Infantry).** Enlisted 30 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 22 October. Wounded at Gettysburg 1 July 1863 (contusion). Reenlisted 1 January 1864. Promoted Corporal 1 January 1865. Reduced to Private 21 August. Deserted 18 December. Discharged (under the provisions of an amnesty law) 23 August 1901, to date 18 December 1865.

Morgan Denegar, father of Adeline Denegar, mother of Catherine Margaret Howard, mother of Joy Ann Balint, mother of (David) Jay Webber

**GEORGE ELLIS (1818-1888), Company E, 86th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 18 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 25 September. Captured at 2nd Bull Run 30 August 1862. Paroled. Inactive until 29 December 1864. Returned to duty 23 January 1865. Discharged 20 May.

George Ellis, father of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON ELLIS (1844-1920), Company K, 109th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 10 June or 11 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 27 August. Deserted 19 January 1863. Returned to duty 26 March. Deserted again. Arrested and taken into custody 28 January 1864. Escaped. Surrendered 18 April. Escaped again 20 April.

William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**DAVID HOWARD (1815-1885), Company I, 150th Regiment, New York Infantry; 81st Company, 2nd Battalion, United States Veteran Reserve Corps.** Enlisted 1 September 1862. Deserted 18 September (before muster-in). Joined unit as Private 31 January 1863. Transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps 5 March 1864. Discharged for disability 17 October.

David Howard, father of Lafayette Howard, father of Franklin Elmer Howard, father of Catherine Margaret Howard, mother of Joy Ann Balint, mother of (David) Jay Webber

**LAFAYETTE HOWARD (1842-1911), Company E, 15th Regiment, New York Engineers (New).** Enlisted 14 January 1864. Mustered in as Private 23 January. Mustered out 13 June 1865.

Lafayette Howard, father of Franklin Elmer Howard, father of Catherine Margaret Howard, mother of Joy Ann Balint, mother of (David) Jay Webber

## *"Uncles":*

**HIRAM W. CARPENTER (1833-1903), Saddler, Company F, 11th Regiment, Pennsylvania Cavalry (108th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers).** Enlisted 21 August 1861. Mustered in as Saddler 27 August. Reenlisted 1864. Mustered out 12 August 1865.

Hiram W. Carpenter, brother of Morgan O. Carpenter, father of Emron Osborne Carpenter, father of Clayton Enoch Carpenter, father of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**ABRAHAM DECATUR (1817-1862), Company A, 107th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 22 July 1862. Mustered in as Private 13 August. Died of disease at Bolivar Heights, West Virginia, 13 October.

Abraham Decatur, brother of Ralph Decatur, father of Ralph Elton DeCator, father of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**(SAMUEL) OLIVER DECATUR (1847-1914), Company H, 5th Regiment, New York Cavalry.** Enlisted 30 December 1863 or 1 January 1864. Mustered in as Private. Discharged for being underage 29 April. (After his Civil War service he enlisted in the Regular Army 17 August 1872; was mustered in as Private, Company E, 22nd Regiment, U.S. Infantry; and was discharged 19 July 1877.)

(Samuel) Oliver Decatur, brother of Ralph Elton DeCator, father of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**WILLIAM HENRY DECATUR (1818-1882), Company B, 109th Regiment, New York Infantry; Company A, 51st Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 13 December 1863. Mustered in as Private 19 December. Transferred to Company A, 51st Regiment, 31 May or 1 June 1865. Mustered out 25 July.

William Henry Decatur, brother of Ralph Decatur, father of Ralph Elton DeCator, father of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**(PHILIP) HORACE DENEGAR (1835-1894), Company G, 128th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 21 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 2 September. Discharged for disability 1 September 1863.

(Philip) Horace Denegar, brother of Morgan Denegar, father of Adeline Denegar, mother of Catherine Margaret Howard, mother of Joy Ann Balint, mother of (David) Jay Webber

**GEORGE ELLIS (1846-1925), Company I, 111th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted as a substitute 24 August 1864. Mustered in as Private 26 August. Mustered out 4 June 1865.

George Ellis, brother of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**JOHN CHARLES ELLIS (1838-1900), Company K, 109th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 12 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 18 August. Deserted 19 January 1863. Returned to duty 26 March 1863. Deserted again.

John Charles Ellis, brother of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**SILAS HOWARD (1816-1892), Company I, 150th Regiment, New York Infantry; 63rd Company, 2nd Battalion, United States Veteran Reserve Corps.** Enlisted 1 September 1862. Mustered in as Private 11 October. Transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps 23 March 1864. Discharged for disability 19 September.

Silas Howard, brother of David Howard, father of Lafayette Howard, father of Franklin Elmer Howard, father of Catherine Margaret Howard, mother of Joy Ann Balint, mother of (David) Jay Webber

**(ROBERT) JAMES MASTIN (1814-1877), Company E, 141st Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry.** Enlisted 16 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 25 August. Mustered out 28 May 1865.

(Robert) James Mastin, brother of Lucinda Mastin, mother of Alvana Osborne, mother of Emron Osborne Carpenter, father of Clayton Enoch Carpenter, father of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**ANDREW SEYMOUR PETERSON NICHOLS (1836-1907), Artificer, Company I, 50th Regiment, New York Engineers.** Enlisted and mustered in as Private 8 February 1864. Promoted Artificer 1 May. Mustered out 13 June 1865.

Andrew Seymour Peterson Nichols, brother of Freeloove Nichols, mother of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**OLIVER L. CLARK NICHOLS (1820-1868), Private, Company B, 37th Regiment, Pennsylvania Militia.** Enlisted 30 June 1863. Mustered in as Private 1 July. Mustered out 4 August.

Oliver L. Clark Nichols, brother of Freelove Nichols, mother of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**WILLIAM AVERY NICHOLS (1825-1909), Private, Company F, 148th Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry; Company G, 53rd Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry.** Enlisted and mustered in as Private 29 February 1864. Transferred to Company G, 53rd Regiment, 1 June 1865. "Absent sick" when company G was mustered out 30 June. (William's son Jacob Ezra Nichols served with him, as a Private, in Company F, 148th Regiment, and in Company G, 53th Regiment. Jacob enlisted as a substitute and was mustered in 18 October 1863, and was transferred and discharged 1 June 1865.)

William Avery Nichols, brother of Freelove Nichols, mother of William Henry Harrison Ellis, father of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**JOHN WILLIAM PIERCE (1839-1920), Corporal, Company K, 26th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 14 May 1861. Mustered in as Private 21 May. Promoted 3rd Corporal 31 July. Promoted 2nd Corporal. Promoted 1st Corporal 20 December. Reduced to Private 1862. Captured at 2nd Bull Run 30 August 1862. Paroled 8 November. Exchanged. Wounded at Fredericksburg 13 December ("a wound...injuring first and second fingers of left hand, taking off the end of the first finger and crippling the second"). Mustered out 24 May 1863.

John William Pierce, brother of Mary Elizabeth Pierce, mother of Jennie Martha Ellis, mother of (Rose) Lorena DeCator, mother of Laura Lucille Carpenter, mother of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**ALFRED RORAPAUGH (1842-1881), Company G, 185th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 5 September 1864. Mustered in as Private 19 September. Mustered out 30 May 1865.

Alfred Rorapaugh, brother of Wrexavilla Rorapaugh, mother of Alice L. Meacham, mother of Rexa Lorie Wavle, mother of Donald Milton Webber, father of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**BUELL RORAPAUGH (1844-1873), Company C, 157th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 11 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 20 August. Wounded at Gettysburg 1 July 1863 ("Loss of the right arm at the lower 1/3, the result of a gunshot wound"). Absent from duty, with leave, beginning 26 December. Discharged for disability 24 March 1864. ("During target practice shooting held on November 29, 1862, he proved to be the best shot in the company.") (The 1896 obituary of Buell's mother, Lorinda [Hawley] Rorapaugh, states that when "a shell shattered" Buell's right arm at the battle of Gettysburg, "rendering amputation necessary, he was sent to the hospital at Washington, and word came that he must die, as gangrene had developed. This mother, naturally timid, unused to traveling sought the nation's capitol, had an interview with President Lincoln and Secretary Stanton, secured his discharge, and with a mother's love and tenderness watched over and nursed him back to health again.")

Buell Rorapaugh, brother of Wrexavilla Rorapaugh, mother of Alice L. Meacham, mother of Rexa Lorie Wavle, mother of Donald Milton Webber, father of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

**JAMES FORD TOTMAN (1817-1886), Company K, 157th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 22 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 19 September. Discharged for disability 23 December. (James's son George B. Totman served with him in the 157th Regiment as a Private in Company C. George enlisted 6 August 1862, was mustered in 19 September, and was mustered out 10 July 1865.)

James Ford Totman, brother of Nancy Philena Totman, mother of Milton A. Wavle, father of Rexa Lorie Wavle, mother of Donald Milton Webber, father of David Milton Webber, father of (David) Jay Webber

## ANCESTOR AND “UNCLES” OF CAROL RUTH WIMBLE WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

### *Ancestor:*

**CHAUNCEY BREWER CROCKER (1838-1924), Company C, 4th Regiment, Vermont Infantry; Company G, 2nd Regiment, United States Veteran Reserve Corps.** Drafted 1863. Mustered in as Private 17 July. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House 12 May 1864 (“Wound of 2nd joint of index finger & loss of two joints of second finger of right hand”). Transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps 1864. Discharged for disability 13 June 1865.

Chauncey Brewer Crocker, father of Cora Ella Crocker, mother of Mertie Belle Whitney, mother of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

### *“Uncles”:*

**DAVID CROCKER (1829-1864), Company D, 5th Regiment, Vermont Infantry.** Enlisted 5 January 1864. Mustered in as Private 15 January. Captured at the Wilderness 5 May. Confined as a prisoner of war at Andersonville. Died there of disease 23 July.

David Crocker, brother of Chauncey Brewer Crocker, father of Cora Ella Crocker, mother of Mertie Belle Whitney, mother of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

**(NOAH) DYER CROCKER (1799-1894), Company D, 98th Regiment, New York Infantry; Company F, 10th Regiment, New Jersey Infantry.** Enlisted in Company D, 98th New York, 25 December 1861. Mustered in as Private 5 February 1862. Discharged for disability (“chronic rheumatism”) 11 January 1863. Enlisted as a Private in Company F, 10th New Jersey. (Dyer’s son Joseph Crocker served with him in the 98th Regiment as a Private in Company D. Joseph enlisted 18 October 1861, was mustered in 13 December, reenlisted 1 January 1864, and was killed in action at Drewry’s Bluff 14 May. Another son of Dyer, Marshall B. Crocker, served in several different units during and after the Civil War. He enlisted 8 October 1861 as a Private in Company E, 60th Regiment, New York Infantry, and was mustered in on 30 October. He was “dropped” from the rolls of that regiment 30 September 1863. But before this, on 30 October 1862, he had enlisted as a Private in the 164th Regiment, New York Infantry, and was mustered in the same day. Then, on 28 January 1863, he enlisted as a Private in the 5th Regiment, United States Artillery. He was discharged from that unit for disability 27 February. Marshall Crocker then enlisted on 6 May as a Sergeant in Company F, 16th Regiment, New York Cavalry, and was mustered in on 13 August. He was reduced to Private 20 September; was promoted to Corporal 1 January 1865; was transferred 17 August to Company B, 3rd Provisional Regiment, New York Cavalry; and was mustered out 21 September. In later years Marshall B. Crocker served in the Regular Army. He enlisted as a Corporal 27 April 1866, and was mustered into Company A, 4th Regiment, United States Infantry. He was discharged 27 April 1869. He then served in Company I, 2nd Regiment, United States Cavalry. And on 4 June 1874 he enlisted as a Corporal in Company C, 9th Regiment, United States Infantry. He was discharged from this unit 4 June 1877, but continued to serve, with the rank of Sergeant, in the recruiting office at Minneapolis.)

(Noah) Dyer Crocker, brother of James Lathrop Crocker, father of Chauncey Brewer Crocker, father of Cora Ella Crocker, mother of Mertie Belle Whitney, mother of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

**MATTHEW HENRY QUINN (1835-1864), Company F, 10th Regiment, Vermont Infantry.** Enlisted 29 December 1863. Mustered in as Private 4 January. Killed in action at Cold Harbor 3 June 1864.

Matthew Henry Quinn, brother of Catherine Coney Quinn, mother of Wellington Wimble, father of Ralph Burton Wimble, father of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

**JUDSON A. ROBINSON (1843-1863), Company H, 9th Regiment, Vermont Infantry.** Enlisted 3 June 1862. Mustered in as Private 9 July. Surrendered (with regiment) at Harper’s Ferry 15 September.

Paroled 16 September. Exchanged 10 January 1863. Died of disease at Camp Douglas in Chicago, Illinois, 14 March.

Judson A. Robinson, brother of Artelisa Adelia Robinson, mother of Cora Ella Crocker, mother of Mertie Belle Whitney, mother of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

**JESSE WIMBLE (1840-1929), Company D, 2nd Regiment, New York Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 17 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 15 October. Wounded at Spotsylvania Court House 19 May 1864. Mustered out 22 September.

Jesse Wimble, brother of Thomas Burton Wimble, father of Wellington Wimble, father of Ralph Burton Wimble, father of Robert Whitney Wimble, father of Carol Ruth Wimble

# ANCESTOR AND “UNCLES” OF JOHN RAYMOND WILDE WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

## *Ancestor:*

**GEORGE CLARKE RIDLER (1842-1921), Company I, 1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 24 January 1865. Mustered in as Private 1 February. Mustered out 27 September. (Before his Civil War service, during the Sioux Uprising of 1862, he served as a civilian scout for Colonel Henry Hastings Sibley, commander of the Minnesota State Militia.)

George Clarke Ridler, father of (Edith) Louisa Ridler, mother of Raymond Stuart Farrell, father of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

## *“Uncles”:*

**CHARLES MAHLON BLAKER (1847-1911), Company I, 1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 6 February 1865. Mustered in as Private 11 February. Mustered out 27 September.

Charles Mahlon Blaker, brother of Almira Jane Blaker, mother of (Edith) Louisa Ridler, mother of Raymond Stuart Farrell, father of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

**HENRY C. BLAKER (1843-1920), Corporal, Company H, 11th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.** Enlisted 3 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 18 October. Reenlisted 1864. Promoted Corporal. Wounded at Fort Blakely 9 April 1865. Mustered out 22 July.

Henry C. Blaker, brother of Almira Jane Blaker, mother of (Edith) Louisa Ridler, mother of Raymond Stuart Farrell, father of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

**WILLIAM H. BLAKER (1845-1926), Company D, 10th Regiment, Minnesota Infantry.** Enlisted 1864. Mustered in as Private 27 February. Mustered out 19 August 1865.

William H. Blaker, brother of Almira Jane Blaker, mother of (Edith) Louisa Ridler, mother of Raymond Stuart Farrell, father of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

**HARLOW LEANDER MATTESON (1840-1936), Company A, 125th Regiment, New York Infantry.** Enlisted 23 July 1862. Mustered in as Private 27 August. Surrendered (with regiment) at Harper’s Ferry 15 September. Paroled 16 September. Exchanged 22 November. Discharged for disability 4 January 1863.

Harlow Leander Matteson, brother of Clark Kendrick Mattison, father of John Clark Mattison, father of Mary Pemelia Mattison, mother of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

**EDWARD PAYSON TAYLOR (1832-1874), Captain, Company D, 2nd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (African Descent) / 54th Regiment, United States Colored Infantry; Assistant Quartermaster (Captain), 7th Army Corps; Assistant Quartermaster (Captain), Army Post at Mobile, Alabama.** Commissioned 10 December 1863 as Captain, Company D, 2nd Regiment, Arkansas Infantry (African Descent). Regimental designation changed 11 March 1864 to 54th Regiment, United States Colored Infantry. Commissioned 8 March 1865 as Assistant Quartermaster of Volunteers, with rank of Captain, and assigned to the 7th Corps (Department of Arkansas). Reassigned as Post Quartermaster at Mobile, Alabama. Mustered out 8 December.

Edward Payson Taylor, brother of (Timothy) Dwight Taylor, father of Catharine Elizabeth Taylor, mother of Mary Pemelia Mattison, mother of Kathryn Louise Farrell, mother of John Raymond Wilde

## ANCESTOR AND “UNCLE” OF JAMES JOHN KRAUSE WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

### *Ancestor:*

**AUGUST C. SIEVERT (1825-1865), Company I, 17th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.** Drafted 1864. Designated for 14th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry, and mustered in as Private 3 October. Not assigned to that regiment, however, but assigned instead to Company I, 17th Regiment. Mustered out 14 July 1865. Died of disease contracted while in service, at his home in Charlestown, Wisconsin, 6 October.

August C. Sievert, father of George Carl Sievert, father of Alwine Mathilda Sievert, mother of Dolores Mathilda Braun, mother of James John Krause

### *“Uncle”:*

**HENRY PLATT (1829-1899), 2nd Lieutenant, Company A, 8th Regiment, Minnesota State Militia; Captain, Company I, 4th Regiment, Minnesota Infantry.** Appointed 2nd Lieutenant, Company A, 8th Regiment, when that regiment was organized 6 July 1861. Enrolled 14 October as 1st Lieutenant, Company I, 4th Regiment. Commissioned as such 23 December. Promoted Captain 25 November 1862. Wounded at Vicksburg 22 May 1863 (wounded in hand). Resigned commission 11 August.

Henry Platt, brother of Dorothea Platt, mother of (Nancy) Mathilda Schroeder, mother of Alwine Mathilda Sievert, mother of Dolores Mathilda Braun, mother of James John Krause



## **“UNCLES” OF PAULA CHRISTINE JOHNSON WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR**

### ***“Uncles”:***

#### **JAMES CALDWELL (1806-1888), Captain, Company D, 2nd Regiment, Ohio Cavalry.**

Enrolled 14 August 1861 as Captain, Company D. Commissioned as such 4 September. Resigned 15 May 1862. Re-commissioned 20 September as Captain, Company D. Discharged 15 February 1863. (James's sons Howard James Caldwell and Oscar A. Caldwell served with him in Company D as Privates. Howard enlisted 17 August 1861, and was discharged for disability 15 February 1863. Oscar enlisted 26 September 1862, was captured at Knoxville 3 November 1863, remained a prisoner of war for 16 months, and was mustered out 20 June 1865. Another son of James, Charles S. Caldwell, enlisted 15 February 1864 as a Private in Company D, 23rd Regiment, Ohio Infantry, and was discharged 15 May 1865.)

James Caldwell, brother of Jane Caldwell, mother of Eliza Jane Louisa Hoover, mother of John Hoover Lewis, father of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

#### **FREDERICK STEWART COWLES (1840-1862), Company G, 23rd Regiment, Wisconsin**

**Infantry.** Enlisted 12 August 1862. Mustered in as Private 30 August. Died of disease at Memphis, Tennessee, 17 December.

Frederick Stewart Cowles, brother of John Theodore Cowles, father of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

#### **MORRIS M. COWLES (1843-1895), Companies B and A, 16th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.**

Enlisted 31 October 1861. Mustered in as Private. Transferred to Company A, same regiment. Discharged for disability 15 January 1863.

Morris M. Cowles, brother of John Theodore Cowles, father of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**HIRAM DOANE (1806-1863), Chaplain, 47th Regiment, Illinois Infantry.** Enrolled 1 November 1862 as Chaplain, 47th Regiment. Commissioned as such 24 April 1863. Died of disease on the hospital ship *Nashville* near Vicksburg, Mississippi, 22 July. (According to the Report for 1863 of the Army Committee of the Y.M.C.A. of Peoria, Illinois, “But few men were so admirably adapted for this glorious work as Mr. Doane. Faithful, persevering, deeply sympathizing with the suffering, kind to all, and always on the watch to do something for his Lord and Master, he was a model chaplain. Through all the battles and siege of Vicksburg, he was always with his regiment. Where the fight was most bloody and the carnage most awful, there was always to be found this most faithful man of God, caring for the wounded, and as far as in his power relieving suffering. But few men have the power which he possessed, of drawing others toward them, and gaining the confidence and affection of those among whom he was thrown. It required no summons from the commander to bring out an audience for his services in the camp. The sound of his voice, as he stood in the midst of the encampment, was enough. The boys clustered around, eager for the words of him who lived as he taught.” Before his formal commissioning as an Army chaplain he had also served under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. as a civilian chaplain in the military hospitals of Nashville, Tennessee.)

Hiram Doane, brother of Deborah Amelia Doane, mother of John Theodore Cowles, father of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**JOHN MILTON HOOVER (1842-1916), Company E, 10th Regiment, Minnesota Infantry.** Enlisted 4 October 1862. Mustered in as Private. Mustered out 31 May 1865.

John Milton Hoover, brother of Eliza Jane Louisa Hoover, mother of John Hoover Lewis, father of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**ELIJAH E. WALROD (1843-1929), Corporal, Company G, 23rd Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry; Drummer, Company M, 1st Regiment, Wisconsin Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 9 August 1862. Mustered in as Corporal 30 August. Discharged 10 August 1863. Enlisted 21 August 1864 in Company M, 1st Regiment, Wisconsin Heavy Artillery. Mustered in as Drummer. Mustered out 26 June 1865.

Elijah E. Walrod, brother of Mary Jane Walrod, mother of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**JACOB WASHINGTON WALROD (1830-1920), Company E, 1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 20 December 1864. Mustered in as Private 24 February 1865. Mustered out 27 September.

Jacob Washington Walrod, brother of Mary Jane Walrod, mother of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**JONATHAN F. WALROD (1839-1927), Corporal, Company A, 7th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry; Corporal, Company F, 24th Regiment, United States Veteran Reserve Corps.** Enlisted 15 July 1861. Mustered in as Corporal 2 September. Wounded at Gettysburg 1 July 1863 (wounded in wrist). Transferred to Veteran Reserve Corps 20 April 1864. Discharged.

Jonathan F. Walrod, brother of Mary Jane Walrod, mother of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

**MICHAEL WALROD (1836-1927), Corporal, Company D, 16th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry; Corporal, Company E, 1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery.** Enlisted 21 October 1861. Mustered in as Corporal 31 January 1862. Discharged 21 June. Enlisted in Company E, 1st Regiment, Minnesota Heavy Artillery, 31 December 1864. Mustered in as Corporal 3 February 1865. Discharged 10 August.

Michael Walrod, brother of Mary Jane Walrod, mother of Jessie Adelle Cowles, mother of Donald Hoover Lewis, father of Marilyn Ruth Lewis, mother of Paula Christine Johnson

## **“UNCLES” OF PHILIP MARK LEYRER WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR**

### ***“Uncles”:***

**GUSTAVUS E. HENNIG (1842-1897), Corporal, Companies G, C, and A, 9th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.** Enlisted 13 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 26 October. Promoted Corporal. Reenlisted. Transferred 1 January 1864 to Company C, same regiment. Transferred 15 December to Company A, same regiment. Mustered out 30 January 1866.

Gustavus E. Hennig, half-brother of Margaret Hennig, mother of Walter August Seidensticker, father of Leah Seidensticker, mother of Philip Mark Leyrer

**HERMAN HENNIG (1845-1927), 2nd Independent Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery.** Enlisted 4 January 1864. Mustered in as Private. Mustered out 10 July 1865.

Herman Hennig, half-brother of Margaret Hennig, mother of Walter August Seidensticker, father of Leah Seidensticker, mother of Philip Mark Leyrer

# ANCESTOR AND "UNCLES" OF BETH ELLEN WESSEL WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

## *Ancestor:*

**JAMES DUNLAP (1842-1892), 3rd Independent Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery; 8th Independent Battery, Wisconsin Light Artillery.** Enlisted 1 or 2 September 1861. Mustered in as Private 10 October. Reenlisted 10 January 1864. Transferred to 8th Independent Battery January 1865. Mustered out 3 July.

James Dunlap, father of William Pitt Dunlap, father of Alvina Margaret Dunlap, mother of Lucille Dorothy Ellen Carmichael, mother of Beth Ellen Wessel

## *"Uncles":*

**AUGUSTUS EUGENE DUNLAP (1847-1910), Company B, 47th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.** Enlisted 28 January 1865. Mustered in as Private 27 February. Mustered out 4 September.

Augustus Eugene Dunlap, brother of James Dunlap, father of William Pitt Dunlap, father of Alvina Margaret Dunlap, mother of Lucille Dorothy Ellen Carmichael, mother of Beth Ellen Wessel

**ADAM JOHN MCGOWAN (1844-1932), Company I, 1st Regiment, Wisconsin Cavalry.** Enlisted 29 March 1864. Mustered in as Private. Mustered out 19 July 1865.

Adam John McGowan, brother of Margaret Ellen McGowan, mother of William Pitt Dunlap, father of Alvina Margaret Dunlap, mother of Lucille Dorothy Ellen Carmichael, mother of Beth Ellen Wessel

**ROBERT JAMES ORR MCGOWAN (1839-1907), Musician/Fifer, Company G, 5th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry; 33rd Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry; Captain, Company B, 47th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry.** Enlisted 5 May 1861. Mustered in as Musician 12 July. Redesignated as Fifer. Discharged for disability. Enlisted 27 February 1864 as an unassigned recruit for the 33rd Regiment, but discharged before muster-in so he could accept a commission as Captain of Company B, 47th Regiment. Enrolled as such 24 February 1865. Discharged 4 September 1865.

Robert James Orr McGowan, brother of Margaret Ellen McGowan, mother of William Pitt Dunlap, father of Alvina Margaret Dunlap, mother of Lucille Dorothy Ellen Carmichael, mother of Beth Ellen Wessel

**FRIEDRICH HEINRICH LUDWIG NOLTE (1820-1899), 1st Regiment, Missouri Infantry, United States Reserve Corps; Battery A, 1st Regiment, Missouri Artillery, United States Reserve Corps / 2nd Regiment, Missouri Light Artillery.** Enlisted 1861. Mustered in as Private 7 May. Mustered out 20 August. Enlisted in Battery A, 1st Regiment, Missouri Artillery, 1 October. Mustered in as Private 11 October. Regimental designation changed 20 November to 2nd Regiment, Missouri Light Artillery. Discharged for disability 31 January or 1 February 1862.

Friedrich Heinrich Ludwig Nolte, brother of Carl Henrich Philip Ludwig Nolte; father of Carl Fredrick Conrad Nolte; father of Amanda Lisette Emilie Nolte; mother of Howard L. Wessel; father of Beth Ellen Wessel

# ANCESTORS AND “UNCLES” OF ERIK JOHN SOULE WHO SERVED IN THE CIVIL WAR

## *Ancestors:*

**(BENJAMIN) FRANKLIN SHAW (1842-1918), Company K, 25th Regiment, Maine Infantry.** Enlisted and mustered in as Musician 29 September 1862. Promoted to Private. Mustered out 10 July 1863.

(Benjamin) Franklin Shaw, father of Lizzy Allen Shaw, mother of (Walter) Juddson Soule, father of Robert Wesley Soule, father of Erik John Soule

**ARA JAMES SOULE (1838-1916), Wagoner, a company of the “Curtis Horse” cavalry regiment / Company K, 5th Regiment, Iowa Cavalry / Company C, Brackett’s Battalion, Minnesota Cavalry.** Enlisted and mustered in as Private 24 November 1861. Company assigned to independent “Curtis Horse” cavalry regiment; company and regiment then redesignated as Company K, 5th Regiment, Iowa Cavalry. Reenlisted 31 January 1863. Promoted Wagoner. Company detached from 5th Iowa Cavalry and redesignated as Company C, Brackett’s Battalion, Minnesota Cavalry, 24 February 1864. Mustered out 24 May 1866.

Ara James Soule, father of Oscar Albertus Soule, father of (Walter) Juddson Soule, father of Robert Wesley Soule, father of Erik John Soule

## *“Uncles”:*

**BRADFORD LUFKIN (1838-1884), Corporal, Company I, 6th Regiment, Maine Infantry.** Enlisted 1861. Mustered in as Corporal 15 July. Reduced to Private 1862. Discharged 27 October.

Bradford Lufkin, brother of Anna Tileston Lufkin, mother of Lizzy Allen Shaw, mother of (Walter) Juddson Soule, father of Robert Wesley Soule, father of Erik John Soule

**IRISON BRIGGS PETTINGILL (1839-1863), Company I, 23rd Regiment, Maine Infantry.** Enlisted 1862. Mustered in as Private 29 September. Died of disease in Lock, Maryland, 21 March 1863.

Irison Briggs Pettingill, brother of Lydia Pettingill, mother of Prudence Ann Briggs, mother of Oscar Albertus Soule, son of (Walter) Juddson Soule, father of Robert Wesley Soule, father of Erik John Soule

**REUEL WILLIAMS SOULE (1840-1908), Sergeant, Company D, 28th Regiment, Maine Infantry.** Enlisted 13 October 1862. Mustered in as Private 18 October. Promoted to Sergeant November 1862. Mustered out 31 August 1863.

Reuel Williams Soule, brother of Ara James Soule, father of Oscar Albertus Soule, father of (Walter) Juddson Soule, father of Robert Wesley Soule, father of Erik John Soule

## **Participants in the Battle of Gettysburg, 1-3 July 1863**

Morgan Denegar, Company B, 20th Regiment, New York State Militia (80th Regiment, New York Infantry) (wounded on first day)

David Howard, Company I, 150th Regiment, New York Infantry (“I was in the fight faithfully till it was over with.”)

Silas Howard, Company I, 150th Regiment, New York Infantry

(Robert) James Mastin, Company E, 141st Regiment, Pennsylvania Infantry

Buell Rorapough, Company C, 157th Regiment, New York Infantry (wounded on first day)

Corporal Jonathan F. Walrod, Company A, 7th Regiment, Wisconsin Infantry (wounded on first day)

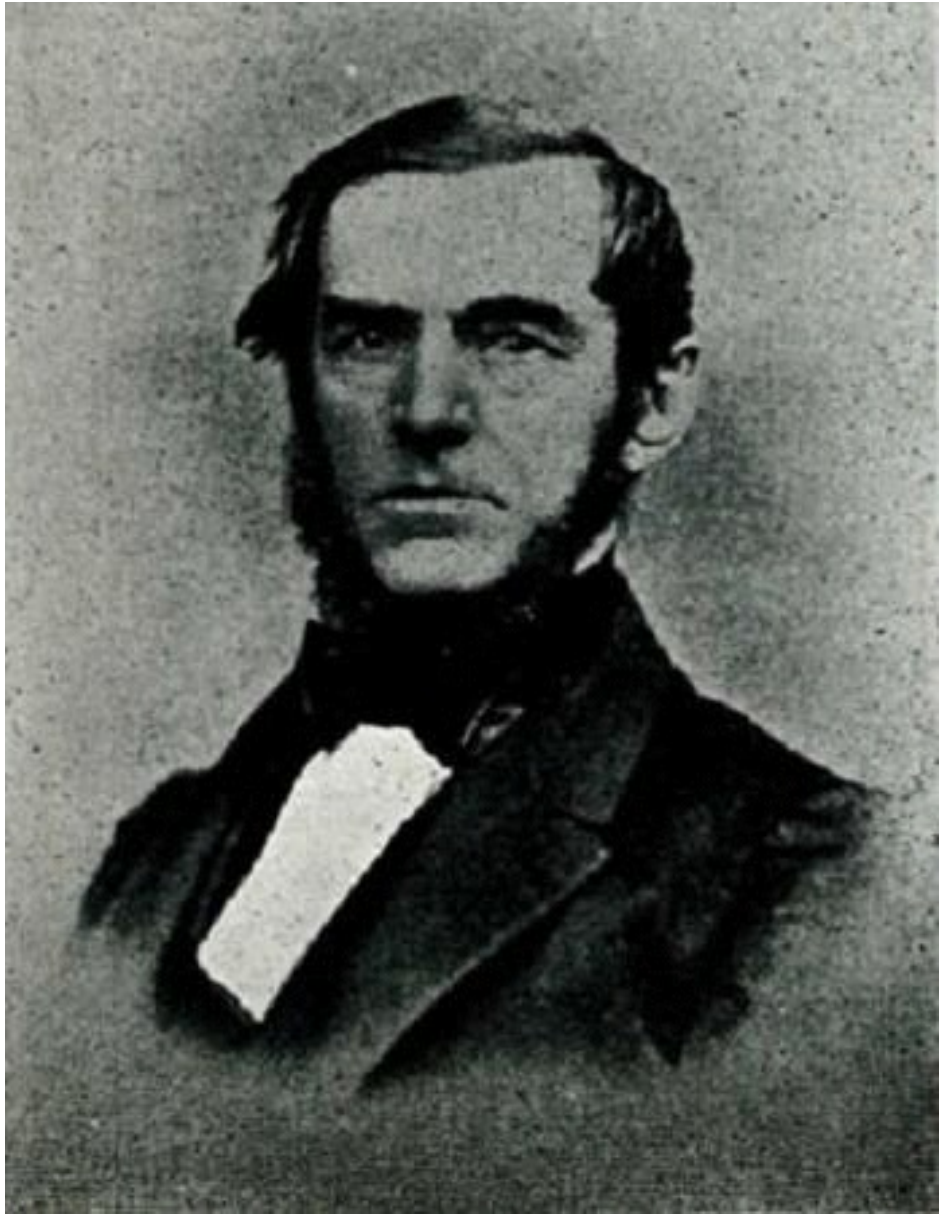


Chauncey Brewer Crocker with his wife Artelisa Adelia (Robinson) Crocker and their daughter Cora Ella Crocker (taken just before the beginning of Chauncey's military service)

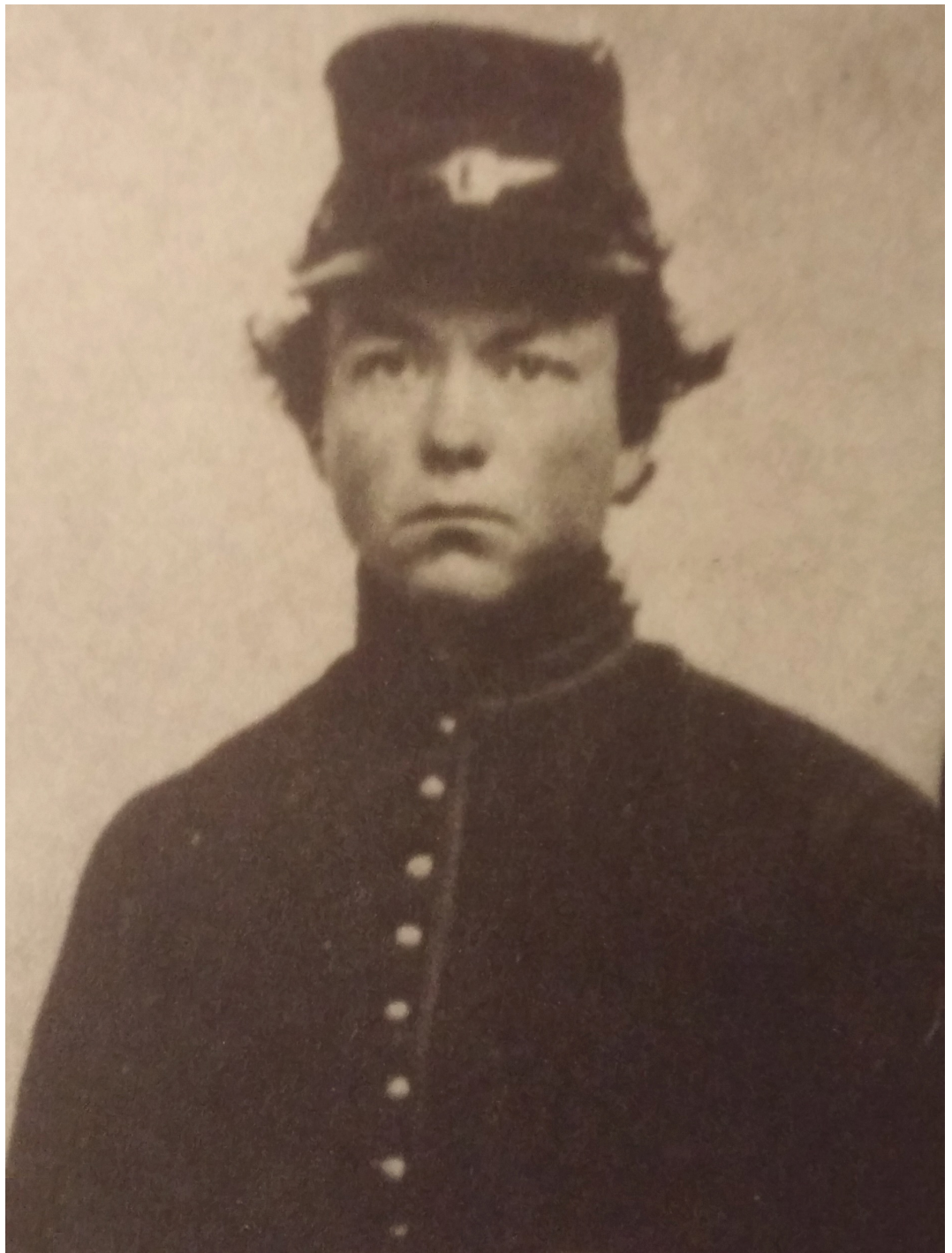


Morris M. Cowles





Hiram Doane

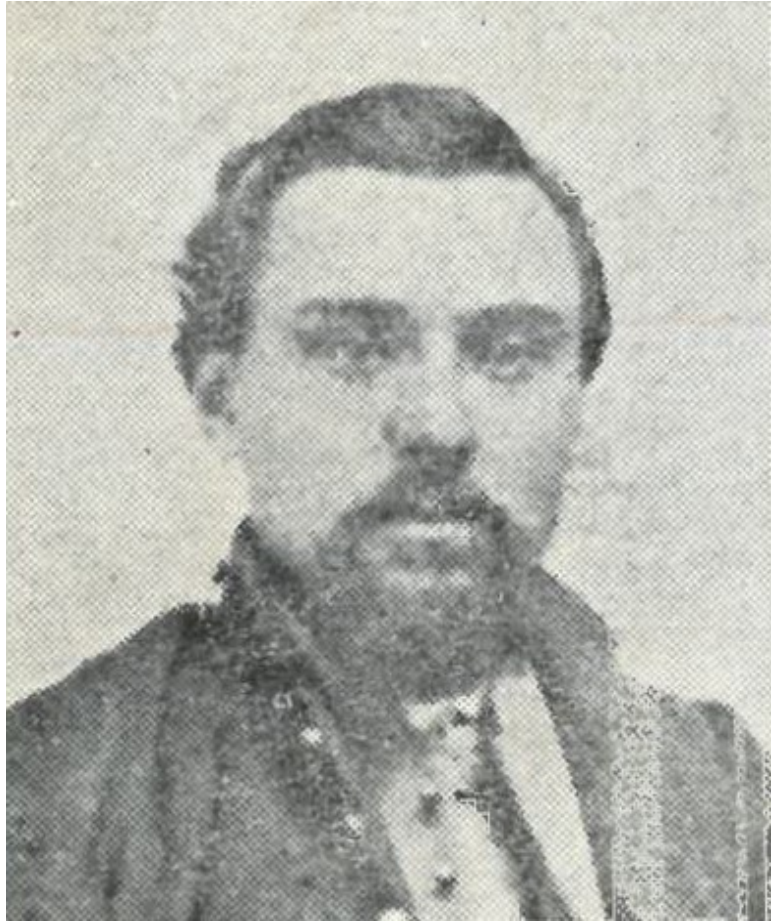


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