

## National GAR Records Program - Historical Summary of Grand Army of the Republic (GAR) Posts by State

## NEW HAMPSHIRE

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<b>PLEASE NOTE: The GAR Post History section is a work in progress (begun 2013). More data will be added at a future date.</b>											
000		(Department)	N/A	N/A	NH			Org. 10 December 1867	Ended 1945	Provisional Department organized 10 December 1867; Permanent Department organized 30 April 1868 with 12 Posts. The Department came to an end with the passing of Department Commander Frank E. Amadon in 1945.	Beath, 1889; Carnahan, 1893; National Encampment Proceedings, 1945
001		Storer	Portsmouth	Rockingham	NH	Rear ADM George Washington Storer (1789-1864), buried Proprietors Burying Ground, Portsmouth.		Org. 6 Nov. 1867; Chart'd 8 Nov. 1867; Re-org. 27 June 1878	Sur. June 1874	Ten charter members. Originally organized under a charter issued by the Department of Massachusetts.	Beath, 1889; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
002		E. E. Sturtevant	Concord	Merrimack	NH	MAJ Edward E. Sturtevant (1826-1862), 5th NH Inf., KIA at Fredericksburg, VA, on 13 Dec. 1862. Resident of Concord, local hero.		Org. 1868		The Post was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	Lyford, 1903, History of Concord; The National Memorial Day, 1869
003		Louis Bell	Manchester	Hillsborough	NH	COL Louis Bell (1836-1865), 4th NH Inf., died at Fort Fisher, NC, on 16 Jan. 1865, from wounds received there on 15 Jan. 1865. Buried Chester Village Cem., Chester.					
004		John Sedgwick	Keene	Cheshire	NH	MG John Sedgwick (1813-1864), famous Civil War leader, KIA Spotsylvania Co., VA, 9 May 1864.				The Post was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
005		COL Putnam	Hopkinton	Merrimack	NH	COL Haldimand Sumner Putnam (1835-1863), 7th NH Inf., KIA at Fort Wagner, SC, on 18 July 1863.		Org. 7 July 1882		About fifteen charter members. Associated with Col. Putnam Corps, No. 25, WRC.	Lord, 1890, Life and Times in Hopkinton
006		Aaron F. Stevens	Peterborough	Hillsborough	NH	COL (Bvt. BG) Aaron Fletcher Stevens (1819-1887), 13th NH Inf. Member of John G. Foster Post, No. 7. Died 10 May 1887 in Nashua, NH.				The Post (known then as Post No. 6) was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
007		John G. Foster	Nashua	Hillsborough	NH	BG (Bvt MG) John Gray Foster (1823-1874), famous Civil War leader, Regular Army. Died 2 Sept. 1874 in Nashua.				The Post (known then as Post No. 7) was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
008		Littlefield	Great Falls (Somersworth)	Strafford	NH	CPT Joshua F. Littlefield (c.1829-1862), Co. F & B, 2nd NH Inf., died in Washington, D.C., on 17 Sept. 1862, from wounds received at 2nd Bull Run, VA, on 29 Aug. 1862.		Org. Mar. 1868			C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
009		Post No. 9	Francetown	Hillsborough	NH	No namesake. Known only by its number.				The Post was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
009		W. S. Hancock	Alstead	Cheshire	NH	BG Winfield Scott Hancock (1824-1886), famous Civil War and Mexican War leader.	Alstead Hotel (bef. 1891), Town Hall (1891-)	Org. 15 June 1886	Sur. Oct. 1919	About thirty original members.	C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
010		Fred Smyth	Newport	Sullivan	NH	(presumably) Frederick Smyth (1819-1899), Governor of NH at the end of the Civil War. Smyth would have been living when the Post was named.					
011		Oliver W. Lull	Milford	Hillsborough	NH	LTC Oliver Woodbury Lull (1826-1863), 8th NH Inf., KIA at Port Hudson, LA, on 27 May 1863. Buried Elm Street Cem., Milford.					

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012		MAJ Jarvis	Claremont	Sullivan	NH	MAJ Charles Jarvis (1821-1863), 9th VT Inf., died at New Berne, NC, on 1 Dec. 1863, from wounds received on the same date. Buried Weathersfield Bow Cem., Weathersfield, VT.	Post Hall, Oscar J. Brown's wood block	Org. 7 July 1868; Re-org. 29 June 1880	Dis. May 1872	The Post hall burned on 27 May 1887, destroying all records, library, furniture and other property. A larger hall was built on site of the previous one, and the third story was used as the meeting room. Associated with Major Jarvis Corps, WRC.	Waite, 1895, History of the town of Claremont; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
013		James B. Perry	Lebanon	Grafton	NH	CPT James B. Perry (1834-1862), Co. C, 5th NH Inf., KIA at Fredericksburg, VA, on 13 Dec. 1862. Resident of Lebanon, local hero. Buried School Street Cem., Lebanon.				The Post (known then as Post No. 13) was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
014		Phil Sheridan	Hinsdale	Cheshire	NH	MG Philip Henry Sheridan (1831-1888), famous Civil War leader.				The Post was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
015		Harvey Holt	South Lyndeborough	Hillsborough	NH	Pvt Harvey Holt (1840-1861), Co. I, 2nd NH Inf., KIA by exploding shell (friendly fire) at Bull Run, VA, on 21 July 1861. Resident of Lyndeborough, local hero. Buried South Cem., Lyndeborough. First NH soldier killed in the war.					
016		COL E. E. Cross	Lancaster	Coös	NH	COL Edward Ephraim Cross (c.1830-1863), 5th NH Inf., died 3 July 1863, from wounds received at Gettysburg, PA, on 2 July 1863.		Chart'd 16 Jan. 1869; Re-chart'd 1 Nov. 1879		The Post disbanded a few years after being first chartered. It was reorganized in 1879.	C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
017		Charles W. Sawyer	Dover	Strafford	NH	MAJ Charles W. Sawyer (c.1843-1864), 4th NH Inf., died at Concord, NH, on 22 June 1864, from wounds received at Drewry's Bluff, VA, on 16 May 1864.	National Block, Central Ave. (1891)	Org. 17 May 1869; Re-org. 15 May 1883		Ten charter members.	National Tribune, 21 June 1883; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
018		George A. Gay	Newmarket	Rockingham	NH	2LT George Adams Gay (1841-1862), Co. D, 5th NH Inf., KIA at Antietam, MD, on 17 Sept. 1862, credited with saving his company from slaughter. Resident of Newmarket, local hero. Buried Mount Auburn Cem., Cambridge, MA.					
019		E. N. Taft	Winchester	Cheshire	NH	PVT Edward Nathan Taft (1833-1862), Co. A, 2nd NH Inf., KIA at Williamsburg, VA, on 5 May 1862. Buried at Nelson Cem., Nelson, Cheshire County.					
020		Marston	Washington	Sullivan	NH			Org. 23 Dec. 1867	Renamed 16 Feb. 1871	Eleven charter members.	History of Washington, New Hampshire, 1886
020		Hamilton	Washington	Sullivan	NH	CPL Hamilton Wilkins (c.1843-1862), Co. A, 8th NH Inf., died of disease at Carrollton, LA, on 15 Dec. 1862. Resident of Washington, local hero. Buried Chalmette National Cem., Chalmett, LA.		Renamed 16 Feb. 1871; Re-org. 28 May 1884	Became independent 22 Jan. 1876	Twelve charter members (1884). "22 January 1876, the Post then numbering twenty-three members, severed itself from the State department by reason of an unjust tax levied on them by the state department. The Post continued as an independent organization until May 28, 1884, when it reorganized as Hamilton Post No. 20, G.A.R. department of New Hampshire..."	History of Washington, New Hampshire, 1886
021		John A. Logan	Seabrook	Rockingham	NH	MG John Alexander Logan (1826-1886), famous Civil War leader.		Org. 10 May 1883		Associated with John A. Logan Corps, No. 26, WRC.	National Tribune, 2 June 1887
022		Post No. 22	Berlin	Coös	NH	No namesake. Known only by its number.				The Post (known then as Post No. 22) was in existence by May 1869, when it observed Memorial Day.	The National Memorial Day, 1869
022		Sampson	Rochester	Strafford	NH	1LT John C. Sampson (? -1864), Landsman, US Navy. Later Co. H, B and E, 9th NH Inf., rising from SGT to 1LT. KIA at Petersburg, VA, on 30 July 1864.		Org. 1 Feb. 1870; Must'd 25 Feb. 1870	Dis. 2 Nov. 1928		C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW

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023		COL Emery	Lisbon	Grafton	NH	LTC Harvey Webster Emery (1827-1862), 5th WI Inf., died of disease at Lisbon on 13 Oct. 1862 with his aged mother at his side, after being brought to the home in which he was born from 2nd Bull Run, VA. Buried in Grove Hill Cem., Lisbon.					
024		Carleton (Carlton)	Farmington	Strafford	NH	CPT Ralph Carlton (c.1829-1862), Co. I, 3rd NH Inf., died at Secessionville, SC, on 16 June 1862, from shell wounds received there on the same date. Resident of Farmington, local hero.		Org. 24 May 1882		This Post reportedly replaced one which had form in Farmington shortly after the Civil War.	The Town Register Farmington, Milton, Wakefield, Middleton, Brookfield, 1907-08; Scales, 1914, History of Strafford County
025		Pierce / Senator Grimes	Hillsborough Bridge	Hillsborough	NH	1) Franklin Pierce (1804-1869), 14th President of the United States, native of Hillsborough; 2) Hon. James Wilson Grimes (1816-1872), 3rd Governor of IA, and US Senator representing IA in the Civil War, native of Hillsborough.		Org. 12 June 1878		The original namesake was President Franklin Pierce. The Post name was changed on 24 Aug. 1881 to honor Senator James W. Grimes.	This History of Hillsborough, 1921
026		Moses N. Collins	Exeter	Rockingham	NH	LTC Moses N. Collins (c.1820-1864), 11th NH Inf., KIA at Wilderness, VA, on 6 May 1864.	GAR Hall, Court St.	Org. 28 June 1878			C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
027		Herman Shedd	Greenville	Hillsborough	NH	CPL Herman Shedd (c.1839-1862), Co. G, 2nd NH Inf., KIA at Fair Oaks, VA, on 25 June 1862. Resident of Hillsborough County, local hero.		Org. 28 June 1878			History of Hillsborough County, 1885
028		Lincoln	Charlestown	Sullivan	NH	Abraham Lincoln (1809-1865), 16th President of the United States.					
029		Reynolds	Hillsborough Bridge	Hillsborough	NH			Org. 5 Oct. 1876		"A dozen stalwart veterans signed the charter." This Post preceded Pierce Post, No. 25.	This History of Hillsborough, 1921
029		Willard K. Cobb	Pittsfield	Merrimack	NH	SGT Willard K. Cobb (c.1844-1864), Co. E, 4th NH Inf., KIA at New Market Heights, VA, on 29 Sept. 1864. Resident of Pittsfield, NH, local hero.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
030		John H. Worcester	Hollis	Hillsborough	NH	1LT John Howard Worcester (c.1839-1863), Co. H, 7th NH Inf., died aboard the steamer "Cosmopolitan" on 26 July 1863, from wounds received at Fort Wagner, SC, on 18 July 1863. Native of Hollis, local hero. Buried South Cem., Hollis.		Org. 1 Apr. 1875		Twenty-six charter members. According to the Hollis Historical Society, the upstairs of the firehouse was leased to the Post beginning in 1892. The veterans and firemen had a special bond, and would join forces to commemorate Memorial Day each year.	Worcester, 1879, History of the Town of Hollis
031		William I. Brown	Penacook	Merrimack	NH	MAJ William I. Brown (c.1840-1865), 18th NH Inf., KIA at Fort Stedman, VA, on 25 Mar. 1865.	GAR Hall, Sanders Block, Main St.	Org. May 1875 (or 1877)			Lyford, 1903, History of Concord; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
032		Prescott Jones	Potter Place	Merrimack	NH	2LT Prescott Jones (c.1840-1863), Co. E, 16th NH Inf., died of disease at Carrollton, LA, on 11 Jan. 1863. Buried Pine Hill Cem., Wilmot Flat.					
033		Henry C. Little	Hampstead	Rockingham	NH	SGT Henry Curtis Little (1838-1865), Co. E, 11th NH Inf., died of disease at Hampstead on 3 Apr. 1865, after being paroled as a POW. Buried Hampstead Center Cem.					
033		Charles F. Smith	Tilton / Soldiers Home	Belknap	NH						

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034		GEN H. L. Patten	Kingston	Rockingham	NH	MAJ (Bvt. BG) Henry Lyman Patten (1836-1864), 20th MA Inf., died at Philadelphia, PA, on 10 Sept. 1864, from severe wounds received at Deep Bottom Run, VA, on 14 Aug. 1864. Native of Kingston, local hero.			Sur. 1899		Dept. Proceedings, 1900
035		O. W. Keyes	Ashland	Grafton	NH	CPT Orlando W. Keyes (1832-1863), Co. E, 12th NH Inf., KIA at Chancellorsville, VA, on 3 May 1863.					
036		Darius A. Drake	Lakeport	Belknap	NH	SGT Darius A. Drake (c.1840-1863), Co. D, 4th NH Inf., died at Morris Island, SC, on 22 August 1863, from wounds received there on the same date. Buried Beaufort National Cem., Beaufort, SC.				The Post hall was destroyed by fire in late 1889 (Source: National Tribune, 5 Dec. 1889).	
037		John L. Perley, Jr.	Laconia	Belknap	NH	2LT John Langdon Perley, Jr. (1839-1862), Co. M, 1st RI Cav., died of disease at Catlett's Station, VA, on 9 Sept. 1862 (headstone shows date as 9 June). Buried in Union Cem., Laconia.					
038		George F. Sweatt	Franklin Falls	Merrimack	NH	PVT George F. Sweatt (1842-1862), Co. F, 5th NH Inf., died at Sharpsburg, MD, on 7 Oct. 1862, from wounds received at Antietam, MD, on 17 Sept. 1862. Resident of Franklin, local hero. Buried at Franklin Cem.					
039		George W. Gordon	Suncook	Merrimack	NH	CPT George W. Gordon (c.1834-1864), Co. I, 2nd NH Inf., KIA at Cold Harbor, VA, on 3 June 1864.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
039		Francis D. Green	Berlin Falls	Coös	NH	CPL Francis D. Green (1837-1862), Co. B, 5th NH Inf., KIA at Fredericksburg, VA, on 13 Dec. 1862. Resident of Berlin, local hero.	GAR Hall, Gilbert block	Org. (re-org. ?) 17 May 1888		Twenty-five charter members. The Post hall burned in 1892, resulting in the loss of all the contents. Fortunately, the Post's records were kept at the home of Post Adjutant Jesse Tuttle, and were preserved.	Davis, 1897, Traditions and Recollections of Berlin
040		Nelson	Bristol	Grafton	NH	Albert & Dan Nelson, brothers from Bristol who lost their lives at Chancellorsville.		Org. 8 Aug. 1878		Twenty charter members.	History of the Town of Bristol, vol.1, 1904
041		Wesley B. Knight	Londonderry	Rockingham	NH	SGT Wesley B. Knight (1834-1864), Co. K, 4th NH Inf., died a POW of disease at Florence, SC, on 20 Oct. 1864. Resident of Londonderry, local hero. Buried Beaufort National Cem., Beaufort, SC.	Derry Depot; Town Hall, Londonderry	Org. 6 Mar 1879; Re-org. 17 June 1887	Sur. 9 Apr. 1887	Seventeen charter members (1879), eighteen charter members (1887). The Post divided its meetings between North Londonderry, Derry Depot and Town Hall in Londonderry in the early years. The Post experienced a territorial dispute with nearby Upton Post, No. 45, in 1886, resulting in the surrender of its charter in 1887. It soon reorganized and became what is believed to be the only Post in the Department with a "roving charter," allowing it to meet in either of two towns. Associated with Wesley B. Knight Corps, WRC.	National Tribune, 19 May 1887; Willey's Book of Nutfield, 1895
042		Justus B. Penniman	Plymouth	Grafton	NH	PVT Justus Baldwin Penniman (1844-1863), Co. B, 15th NH Inf., died at New Orleans, LA, on 16 June 1863, from severe leg wounds received at Port Hudson, LA, on 27 May 1863. Resident of Plymouth, local hero. Buried Turnpike Cem., Plymouth.					
043		Charles H. Phelps	Amherst	Hillsborough	NH	SGT Charles H. Phelps (1842-1863), Co. I, 5th NH Inf., died of wounds at Gettysburg, PA, on 4 July 1863, from wounds received there on 2 July 1863. Resident of Amherst, local hero. Buried Meadow View Cem., Amherst.					

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044		Davis	West Concord	Merrimack	NH			Org. 30 July 1879			Lyford, 1903, History of Concord
045		George E. Upton	Derry	Rockingham	NH	1LT George E. Upton (c.1831-1864), Co. F, 6th NH Inf., died 31 July 1864, from wounds received at Petersburg, VA, on 30 July 1864.		Chart'd 4 Sept 1879		Fifteen charter members. Associated with G. E. Upton Corps, WRC.	Hazlett, 1915, istory of Rockingham County; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCVW
046		Stark Fellows	Weare	Hillsborough	NH	COL Stark Fellows (1840-1864), 2nd USCT Inf. (formerly 1LT, Co. D, 14th NH Inf, made up mostly of Weare men), died of disease at Key West, FL, on 23 May 1864. Buried Barrancas National Cem., Pensacola, FL.					
047		Custer	Conway	Carroll	NH	MG George Armstrong Custer (1839-1876). KIA at Little Bighorn, MT, on 25 June 1876. Famous Civil War (and Indian Wars) leader.					
048		Marshall Sanders	Littleton	Grafton	NH	CPT Marshall Sanders (c.1843-1866), Co. D, 13th NH Inf., died at Littleton on 4 Apr. 1866.		Org. 25 Oct 1879			Supplement to the White Mountain Republic Journal, 24 Dec. 1897
049		M. H. Savage	Alton	Belknap	NH	CPT Moses Henry Savage (c.1829-1863), Co. A, 12th NH Inf., KIA at Chancellorsville, VA, on 3 May 1863.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCVW
050		Natt Westgate	North Haverhill	Grafton	NH	PVT Nathaniel "Natt" W. Westgate (1846-1865), Co. I, 1st NH Cav., died a POW at Danville, VA, on 7 Jan. 1865. Buried Danville National Cem., Danville, VA.					
051		Joe Hooker	Fremont / Raymond	Rockingham	NH	MG Joseph Hooker (1814-1879), famous Civil War leader.					
052		ADM Farragut	Enfield	Grafton	NH	ADM David Glasgow Farragut (1801-1870), famous Civil War leader and former Commandant of Mare Island Naval Shipyard.					
053		Phil Kearney	East Canaan	Grafton	NH	MG Philip Kearny, Jr. (1815-1862), KIA at Chantilly, VA, on 1 Sept. 1862. Famous Civil War leader.		Re-org. 24 Aug. 1883			National Tribune, 6 Sept. 1883
053		Jonas Nutting	New Ipswich	Hillsborough	NH	1LT Jonas Nutting (1806-1873), Co. K, 6th NH Inf., previously CPT in local militia. Died in New Ipswich on 20 June 1873, buried Smithville Cem., New Ipswich.					
054		George S. Cram	Meredith Village	Belknap	NH	2LT George S. Cram (1826-1863), Co. I, 12th NH Inf., KIA at Chancellorsville, VA, on 3 May 1863. Native of Meredith, local hero.		Chart'd 26 June 1880		Sixteen charter members. Associated with George S. Cram Corps, No. 1, WRC, and William S. Leach Camp, No. 3, SV.	History of Merrimack and Belknap Counties, 1885
055		Almon B. White	Whitefield	Coös	NH	CPL Almon B. White (c.1834-1864), Co. I, 3rd NH Inf., died at Philadelphia, PA, on 26 June 1864, from wounds received at Drewry's Bluff, VA, on 13 May 1864.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCVW
056		L. D. Gove	Hanover	Grafton	NH	CPT Lorenzo Dow Gove (1816-1862), Co. I, 1st RI Cav., died 1 Nov. 1862, from wounds received at Mountville, VA, on 31 Oct. 1862. Resident of Hanover, local hero.					
057		Carlos Fletcher	Colebrook	Coös	NH	PVT Carlos R. Fletcher (c.1837-1864), Co. H, 13 NH Inf., KIA at Fort Harrison, VA, on 29 Sept. 1864. Resident of Colebrook, local hero.					

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058		Robert Campbell	Sutton	Merrimack	NH	2LT Robert M. Campbell (1833-1864), Co. I, 1st NH Cav., KIA in a skirmish at White Oak Swamp, VA, on 13 June 1864. His body was never recovered. Resident of Sutton, local hero.					Worthen, 1890, The History of Sutton
059		John E. Willis	Gorham	Coös	NH	2LT John E. Willis (1827-1877), Co. E, 14th NH Inf. Sheriff in Coös County, killed on the railroad 20 Jan. 1877. Buried Evans Cem., Gorham.		Org. 28 Dec. 1880		Twenty charter members.	Merrill, 1888, History of Coös County
060		Gilman E. Sleeper	Salem	Rockingham	NH	LTC Gilman E. Sleeper (1831-1864), 4th NH Inf., discharged for disability on 27 Nov. 1863, died at Salem, NH, on 22 Aug. 1864. Buried Pine Grove Cem., Salem.					
061		James R. Newell	Wolfeboro	Carroll	NH	MAJ James R. Newell (1839-1880), 8th NH Inf. He died 1 Mar. 1880 in Wolfeboro.					Stanyan, 1892, A History of the Eighth Regiment of New Hampshire Volunteers
062		Adams K. Tilton	Tilton	Belknap	NH	CPT Adams K. Tilton (c.1833-1864), Co. I, 6th NH Inf., KIA at Poplar Springs Church, VA, on 30 Sept. 1864.	Knights of Honor Roll Hall; Town Hall; Hall on Hill's Block (1882)	Org. 6 Oct. 1881		Twelve charter members.	C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
063		William H. Bryant	Cornish Flat	Sullivan	NH	1LT William H. Bryant (c.1840-1883), Co. H, 14th NH Inf.		Org. 21 June 1887	Dis. 1919		C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW; John H Dryfhout (via email)
064		CPT Charles Stinson	Goffstown	Hillsborough	NH	CPT Charles Stinson (1800-1878), of Goffstown, formerly of Dunbarton. Captain of a local militia unit, part of the "Goffstown Muster." Respected member of the community.		Chart'd 28 July 1882		Twelve charter members.	National Tribune, 1 Nov. 1883
065		Merrill	West Stewartstown	Coös	NH			Org. 27 Feb. 1883	Sur. 1900	Eighteen charter members. Surrendered its charter with thirteen members.	National Tribune, 22 Mar. 1883; Dept. Proceedings, 1901
066		George H. Hoyt	Gossville (Epsom)	Merrimack	NH	PVT George H. Hoyt (c.1843-1865), Co. H, 4th NH Inf., died a POW at Salisbury, NC, on 9 Jan. 1865.	Town Hall (until 1883); GAR Hall (dedicated 20 Sept. 1883)	Org. 14 Mar. 1883		Thirty-four charter members.	National Tribune, 17 May 1883; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
067		Austin Goodell	Monroe	Grafton	NH	CPL Austin Goodell (1831-1864), Co. I, 3rd VT Inf., KIA at Charles Town, WV, on 21 Aug. 1864. Local hero (from the neighboring town of Barnet, VT).		Org. 21 Mar. 1883		Fifteen charter members.	National Tribune, 17 May 1883
068		Moulton S. Webster	Center Sandwich	Carroll	NH	1LT Moulton S. Webster (c.1824-1864), Co. B, 14th NH Inf., died at Sandwich, NH, on 5 Nov. 1864, from wounds received at Opequan, VA, on 19 Sept. 1864.		Org. 28 Mar. 1883	Sur. 1901	Twenty-five charter members.	National Tribune, 17 May 1883; Dept. Proceedings, 1902; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
069		Charles H. Hoitt	Northwood	Rockingham	NH	2LT Charles Henry Hoitt (1841-1864), Co. G, 10th NH Inf., died 29 June 1864 from wounds received at Drewry's Bluff, VA, on 14 May 1864. Buried East Northwood Cem., local hero.	Masonic Hall (1885), third story.	Org. 2 May 1883		Twenty-eight charter members. Also listed as Charles H. Hoyt Post. The meeting room of the Post is located on the 3rd floor of the Masonic Hall at 158 1st New Hampshire Turnpike, in Northwood. It is preserved in its original state, complete with four murals of Civil War battle scenes and camp life on the walls. Update: The building in which the Post meeting hall was located was destroyed by a 5-alarm fire on 28 Sept. 2019.	National Tribune, 17 May 1883
070		Jere E. Chadwick	Deerfield Center	Rockingham	NH	1LT Jere E. Chadwick (1829 - 1883), Co. D, 15th NH Inf. Native of Deerfield. Buried Old Center Cem., Deerfield.		Org. 13 June 1883		Associated with J. E. Chadwick Corps, No. 70, WRC.	National Tribune, 6 Sept. 1883
071		Abiel A. Livermore	Wilton	Hillsborough	NH	CPL Abiel Abott Livermore (1828-1863), Co. B, 8th NH Inf., died of disease at Port Hudson, LA, on 3 July 1863. Native of Wilton, local hero. Buried in South Yard Cem., Wilton.		Org. 6 Sept. 1883			National Tribune, 11 Oct. 1883

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072		Natt Head	Fitzwilliam	Cheshire	NH	Nathaniel "Nat" Head (1828-1883), chief of staff to the governor of New Hampshire during the Civil War, appointed Adjutant-General in 1864. Was later governor. His efforts to assist soldiers returning from the war earned him the nickname, "the soldier's friend."					
073		Thomas L. Ambrose	Centre Ossipee	Carroll	NH	Rev. Thomas L. Ambrose (1820-1864), Chaplain, 12th NH Inf., died at Fort Monroe, VA, on 19 Aug. 1864, from wounds received at Petersburg, VA, 24 July 1864.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
074		Bell	Chester	Rockingham	NH	COL Louis Bell (1836-1865), 4th NH Inf., died at Fort Fisher, NC, on 16 Jan. 1865, from wounds received there on 15 Jan. 1865. Native of Chester, local hero. Buried Chester Village Cem.					
075		C. D. Hall	Rumney	Grafton	NH	PVT Charles D. Hall (1843-1864), Co. I, 4th NH Inf., KIA near Petersburg, VA, on 2 July 1864. Resident of Rumney, local hero.		Org. 2 April 1884			National Tribune, 24 Apr. 1884
076		Frederick M. Edgell	Orfordville	Grafton	NH	MAJ Frederick M. Edgell (1829-1877), 1st NH Heavy Art. He died at Georgetown MA, on 21 June 1877.		Must'd 28 Apr. 1884		Twenty-three charter members.	National Tribune, 15 May 1884
077		Robert R. Thompson	North Stratford	Coös	NH	1LT Robert Richard Thompson (1822-1864), Co. D, 13th NH Inf., died at Fort Harrison, VA, on 29 Sept. 1864, from wounds received at Drewry's Bluff, VA, on 16 May 1864. Resident of Stratford, local hero.		Org. 6 May 1884	Sur. 1901	Twenty-two charter members.	National Tribune, 12 June 1884; Dept. Proceedings, 1902
078		Perkins	Hampton	Rockingham	NH	Named in honor of 9 men by that name from Hampton who served in the Civil War, 3 of whom died in service.		Org. and Must'd 12 May 1884		Twenty-five charter members. Associated with Perkins Corps, No. 46, WRC.	National Tribune, 24 May 1884; Dow, Joseph, 1893, History of the Town of Hampton
079		David B. Dudley	Candia Village	Rockingham	NH	1SGT David B. Dudley (c.1838-1862), Co. K, 1st MN Inf., died at Frederick City, MD, on 6 Oct. 1862, from wounds received at Antietam, MD, on 17 Sept. 1862. Native of Candia.		Org. 1886			C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
080		Albert M. Perkins	Epping	Rockingham	NH	CPT Albert M. Perkins (1842-1865), Co. K, 2nd NH Inf.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
081		George Bowers	Warren	Grafton	NH	MAJ George Bowers (1817-1884), 13th NH Inf. (as LTC), 10th VRC Inf. (as MAJ). Commander of the GAR Dept. of NH, 1879-80. GAR Jr. Vice Commander-in-Chief, 1880.					
082		Lyman Locke	Strafford	Strafford	NH	CPT Lyman Locke (c.1821-1876), Co. G, 8th NH Inf.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
083		James S. Thornton	Merrimack	Hillsborough	NH	CAPT James Shepard Thornton (1826-1875), U.S. Navy. Career naval officer and native of Merrimack. Civil War service: U.S.S. Bainbridge (1861), U.S.S. Hartford (1861-1862, as XO), U.S.S. Winona (1862, as LCDR), U.S.S. Kearsarge (1862-1864, as XO), U.S.S. Losco (1865).		Org. Jan. 1885		Twenty-five charter members.	History of Hillsborough County, New Hampshire, 1885

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No.	Alt. No.	Post Name	Location	County	Dept.	Post Namesake	Meeting Place(s)	Organized	Last Mentioned	Notes	Source(s)
084		Pingree	Salisbury	Merrimack	NH	The namesake is no doubt in reference to the Pingree family of Salisbury. Two Pingree brothers, Samuel E. (1832-1922) and Stephen M. (1835-1892), who were natives of Salisbury, served with distinction during the Civil War. Both were living at the time the post organized.		Org. Jan. 1885	Sur. 27 Oct. 1896	Sixteen charter members.	Dearborn, John J., 1890, The History of Salisbury, New Hampshire; Dept. Proceedings, 1897
085		Anthony Colby	New London	Merrimack	NH	Anthony Colby (1792-1873), New Hampshire politician (including one term as governor) and veteran of the War of 1812. Native of New London. Buried Old Main Street Cem., New London.	Currier's Hall; Grange Hall (1896)	Org 15 Sept. 1885		Twenty-one charter members.	Lord, Edward O., 1899, A History of the Town of New London, Merrimack County, New Hampshire, 1779-1899
086		Henry H. Stevens	Stoddard / Marlow	Cheshire	NH	PVT Henry H. Stevens (1841-1864), Co. A, 18th NH Inf., died of disease in Ft. Schuyler Military Hospital, New York, NY, on 3 Oct. 1864. Native of Stoddard, local hero. Buried Robb Cem., Stoddard.					
087		Ephraim Weston	Antrim	Hillsborough	NH	CPT Ephraim Weston (1823-1861), Co. G, 2nd NH Inf. Died 9 Dec. 1861 of "lung fever" at nearby Hancock, NH. Native of Antrim, local hero.		Org. Dec. 1885		Twenty-two charter members.	Hayward, 1889, The History of Hancock, New Hampshire, 1764-1889
088		George B. McClellan	Jaffrey	Cheshire	NH	MG George Brinton McClellan (1826-1885), famous Civil War leader.		Org. 22 Jan. 1886		Nineteen charter members.	National Tribune, 25 Feb. 1886
089		Eli Wentworth	Milton	Strafford	NH	QMS Eli Wentworth (c.1820-1863), 6th NH Inf., died of disease at Snyder's Bluff, MS, on 18 July 1863.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
090		Walter Harriman	Danville	Rockingham	NH	COL (Bvt. BG) Walter Harriman (1817-1884), 11th NH Inf. Famous NH politician, and governor after the war.					
091		Grant	Center-Bartlett	Carroll	NH						
092		Thomas H. Huse	Barnstead Center	Belknap	NH	1LT Thomas H. Huse (1812-1881), Co. G, 15th NH Inf.					C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW
093		J. H. Allen	Wakefield	Carroll	NH	PVT Joseph H. Allen (c.1833-1864), Co. G, 3rd NH Inf., KIA at Drewry's Bluff, VA, on 14 May 1864. Resident of Wakefield, local hero.					
094		CPT Joseph Freschl	Manchester	Hillsborough	NH	CPT Joseph Preschl (1821-1890), Co. I, 7th NH Inf. Died 25 Jan. 1890 in Manchester, NH.					
095		LT Clark Stevens	Groveton	Coös	NH	2LT Clark Stevens (c.1838-1896), Co. I, 1st NH Heavy Art.		Org. 1901			Dept. Proceedings, 1902; C. W. Canney Camp #5, SUVCW

List of Abbreviations: Org. = Organized Chart'd = Chartered Must'd = Mustered In Dis. = Disbanded Sur. = Surrendered Charter

For sources of Post names, refer to the SUVCW GAR Records Catalog Edited by Dean Enderlin, SUVCW National GAR Records Officer, 30 June 2013

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