Out Of The Past

(Reprinted from Tuckerton Beacon, May 26, 1904)

LOYALTY OF LITTLE EGG HARBOR IN THE WAR OF THE REBELLION

(Following furnished by Dr. T. T. Price)

One hundred and thirty five men entered the military service of the United States between the years 1861 and 1865 from Little Egg Harbor and Bass River. This was one man out of every 2 6/10 men of the probable number of men liable to do military duty at that time; which number was 350.

The entire population of the township of Little Egg Harbor; which in 1861 included Bass River; was 2376. One man out of every 7 of population is liable for military service. One hundred and thirty one volunteers. Fifty were drafted in 3 drafts in 1864 and 1865. Only four drafted men were held for service. All the others furnished substitutes or were exempt by disability.

Volunteers from the Township of Little Egg Harbor; including present Township of Bass River; from April 1861 to close the War.

3rd REGIMENT Charles Gaskill. 4th REGIMENT

> James H. Nugent, Charles Pharo, Thomas Miller, John H. Austin, John O. Mathis and David W. Adams.

5th REGIMENT

Chas. D. Seaman and Geo. Walker.

9th REGIMENT

Nicholas Parker, James Morris, Timothy Parker and Samuel Watson.

10th REGIMENT

William Gifford and John Kel-

ev.

Eben. Adair, Joshua Bennett, Michael Bird, John R. Bennett, Richard Curl, William Gale, Saml. Hendrickson, Geo. W. Jones, William Morey, Lewis L. Parker, Elijah Patten, Samuel A. Smith, Jas. R. Truax, Richd. Johnson, Jesse Adams, Musgrove Allen, Charles H. Adair, Lawrence Bird, Josiah M. Cranmer, Thomas Driscoll, Oliver Gale, Charles Gauntt, Micajah H. Homan, John McClain, Reuben Morey, Lemuel Pharo, William Rose, Robert Rutter, Henry B. Seaman, William Spencer, Charles W. White, Wm. R. Algore, Bloomfield Algore, John A. Gale, Wm. F. Rossell, Wm. H. Monroe, John Jones, Alfred Prince, Josephus Allen, L.C. Butterfield, Jesse Bird, Edward Bird, William Curl, John A. Gale, Job Timothy C. Jones, Charles J. Mott, Joshua Parker, Geo. W. Patten, Ridgway Rossell, Benj. B. Seaman, Jos. W. Walton, Charles Johnson, Adams, Jeremiah William Gaskill Jr., William H. Berry, Samuel Bird, John L. Curl James R. Gale, James R. Gaskill, John Grant Bengal Mathis, Ensign Miller, James Pharo, Jacob Ri'ey, Curtis Samuel S. Rutter, Sol. Shords, Isaiah R. Walton, William R. Gaskill, Josephus F. Allen, Edward Driscall, James H. Debow, Charles W. Williams, Alonzo Horner, John William Prince. McClain, and Enoch Adams. 12th REGIMENT

12th REGIMENT

Nathan Parker and Peter Brewer.

N.Y. ARTILLERY Zadock Jones.

2nd N. JERSEY CAVALRY

Walter Bartlett, Enoch Parker, Christopher Knowles, Theodora Parker and Joseph Wisham.

IN OTHER REGIMENTS

J.T. Falkinburg and Chalkley Berry.

34th REGIMENT

Benjamin Stratton.

U.S. NAVY

J. Theo. Ridgway, Eayre O. Willits, George Falkinburg, and Saml. Simpson Downs.

NINE MONTHS MEN

Wm. J. Parmentier, Maj. 23rd Regt., S.W. Downs, Liet., G.W. Arbuckle, Lieut., Benjamin Leeds, Caleb Mathis, William Truax, Reuben Soper, George Pharo, George Bragg, William Gaskill, August Gale, Jesse Peterson, Charles Adair, James Bird. Samuel Gale, John Curl, J.H. Cgburn, L.C. Butterfield, William S. Allen, William Berry, Ben Parker, Joseph Wisham, Reuben Gaskill, Thomas Driscall, Frank Lawrence, Lafayette Taylor, Thomas Andrews, Patrick Farley, Amos Gale, and Troyford Ogburn.

Many of the nine months' men enlisted in the 10th and other Regiments after their term of nine months had expired.

The following men were drafted and were held for service: Manluff Reynolds, Solomon Headley, Edward Miller and Andrew Loveland.

Theophilus T. Price, M.D., enlisted for three months as volunteer surgeon in summer of 1863, after the battle of Gettysburg, and was assigned to duty at Chestnut Hill Military Hospital.