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The height of the American soldier was the subject of much study immediately following the war. Dr. Benj. A. Gould, in his report for the U. S. sanitary commission, made the height of the average American-born soldier 5 feet 8 1/4 inches. The men from Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maine and Missouri were slightly above the average. West Virginia soldiers averaged 5 feet 9 inches in height.

Dr. Baxter, from an examination of about 1,000,000 reports of examining surgeons throughout the loyal states, found the average to be somewhat lower. According to his investigations the Kentucky soldiers were the tallest—68.67 inches. West Virginia soldiers were 68 inches. Connecticut and Massachusetts furnished the soldiers of shortest stature.

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The 3d Vermont infantry averaged 5 feet 10 1-2 inches in height, and 161 pounds weight. The 3d Maine infantry averaged 170 pounds weight.
The tallest man of authentic record was Capt. Van Buskirk of the 27th Indiana regiment, who stood 82 1-2 inches in his stockings.
The shortest man, whose record is satisfactorily verified, was a member of the 192d Ohio, who at the time of enlistment was 24 years of age and 40 inches in height.

LAST UNION SURVIVOR
The last soldier in the war for the union will have passed away by 1945, according to the calculation of the government pension bureau, based on actuary mortality statistics. This will be 30 years hence, and 80 years after the close of the war.

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LAST EVENTS

Last Naval Engagement
Feb. 18, 1865—Capture of Fort Anderson, N. C.

Last Great Battle
April 2, 1865—Fall of Petersburg, Va.
Union losses: Killed 296, wounded 2565, missing 500. Total 3361.

Last of Richmond Siege
April 3, 1865—Confederates evacuated Richmond, their capital.

Last General Killed

Last Corps Engagement
April 7, 1865—Second army corps fought last battle at Farmville, Va.
Losses: Killed 29, wounded 141, missing 69. Total 239.

Last Infantry Volley
April 9, 1865—Twenty-fourth army corps cut off retreat of Lee at Clover Hill, near Appomattox, Va.

Last Infantry Assault
April 9, 1865—Parts of 13th and 16th army corps and the 68th U. S. colored troops captured Fort Blakely, Ala., with a bloody assault, losing 52 killed, 172 wounded, 224 total.

Last of Confederate Army

Assassination of Lincoln
April 14, 1865—Lincoln shot while in Ford’s theatre, Washington.

Death of Lincoln
April 15, 1865—Lincoln died at 7:30 A. M.

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MILITARY PRISONS

The largest confederate prison was at Andersonville, Ga., where 45,613 Union soldiers were imprisoned. The prison had its maximum number on Aug. 8, 1864, when the rolls showed the presence of 33,114. Death claimed 12,912, or 28 per cent. of the entire number. Every day the death roll averaged 30. The greatest number of deaths occurred on Aug. 23, 1864, when 127 yielded up their lives.

The largest military prison in the North was at Elmira where 11,916 prisoners were confined in an open pen or stockade. The death list reached 2994, about 25 per cent. In March, 1865, the greatest mortality occurred—495—or 16.5 per cent. of all the deaths. All except 6 of the dead were buried in a field which was afterward plowed up and planted with wheat, and now neither summer nor winter shows a sign of where 3000 hapless confederates were laid away.

The 1st Maine cavalry sustained the greatest loss of any cavalry regiment in the army—174 men dead from battle wounds and 344 from disease—a total death roll of 518.

The 1st Maine heavy artillery suffered the greatest loss of any regimental organization in any arm of the service. From wounds 423 died and from disease 260, a total death roll of 683.

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FIRST EVENTS

First State to Secede
Dec. 20, 1860—South Carolina legislature passed ordinance of secession.

First Overt Act
Dec. 27, 1860—Castle Pinckney seized by South Carolina troops.

First Company for Civil War

First Hostile Shot
Jan. 9, 1861—Steamer Star of the West, with provisions and reinforcements for Fort Sumter, fired upon and driven back.

First Confederate Convention
Feb. 4, 1861—Representatives of eight southern states met at Montgomery, Alabama.

First Confederate Government
Feb. 9, 1861—Confederate government formed with Jefferson Davis as President.

First Accidental Shot
March 7, 1861—Accidental discharge of a gun at Ft. Moultrie hit Fort Sumter. An apology offered for the act.

First Shot at Sumter
April 12, 1861—Edmund Ruffin of Virginia, 75 years old, a secession advocate, given privilege of firing first shot at Sumter, at 4:30 a.m.

First Man Injured
April 12, 1861—Sergt. Thomas Kirwan, Co. E., 1st U. S. artillery, injured in the face at Sumter.

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AWFUL CONFEDERATE LOSSES

The 26th North Carolina at Gettysburg went into action with about 800 effective men. They lost 86 killed, 502 wounded, 120 missing, most of whom were killed or wounded; total 708, or 88.5 per cent. There were only 216 men left for duty after the first day. On the third day the regiment could muster only 80 men. One company (Capt. Tuttle's) which went into action with three officers and 84 men, lost all the officers and 83 men in killed and wounded.

Co. C, 11th North Carolina, lost 2 officers killed and 34 out of 38 killed or wounded at Gettysburg. The captain and the four remaining men participated in the charge on the 3rd day, when the flagbearer was shot and the captain brought out the flag himself.

At Fair Oaks, the 6th Alabama, comprising 632 officers and men engaged, lost 91 killed, 277 wounded, 5 missing; total 373, or 59 per cent. At the same battle the 4th North Carolina lost 77 killed, 286 wounded, 6 missing; a total of 369 out of 678 engaged, or 54.7 per cent.

At Gaines Mill, the 1st South Carolina Rifles charged a battery and lost 81 killed, 234 wounded, and 4 missing, a total of 319 out of 537 engaged, a loss of 59.4 per cent.

At Stone River, Tenn., the 8th Tennessee lost 41 killed and 265 wounded, a total of 306 out of 444 engaged, a loss of 68.9 per cent.
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Nearly 300,000 of those who wore the blue are buried in national cemeteries, and almost half of these are counted among the unknown dead. In 1880 there were graves of 158, 203 known union soldiers, and 142, 868 graves of unknown soldiers in 79 different national cemeteries. It was at the cemetery on the field of Gettysburg, on Nov. 19, 1863, where 3560 union soldiers were buried, that Lincoln delivered that address of only 266 words, in utterance brief, but in power mighty, and as a classic immortal.

NATIVITY OF SOLDIERS

Per cent.  Totals

Native born .......... 75,002, 144,349
Native born .......... 8.75 250,174
Germany ............ 7.50 214,435
Ireland ............. 2.50 71,478
England ............. 2.50 71,478
British America ...... 3.75 107,218
Other countries ...... .75 100.00 2,859,132

First Volunteers Killed
April 19, 1861—Killed in Baltimore assault: Addison O. Whitney and Luther C. Ladd of Lowell, Sumner H. Needham of Lawrence, and Charles A. Taylor, residence unknown, all of the 6th Massachusetts regiment.

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Again, if the plug had bunged the horse at his barrel-hole and slaked his pull with the thirst; or, if the plug had bunged his pull with the slake and horsey barrel with the bung-hole; or, if the slake had pulled the plug out of his horse-hole, and bunged his thirst with the barrel; or, bunged the horse in his plug, and barreled his thirst with the slake-hole; or, if the barrel had plugged the horse and bunged him in his thirst; then there would have been something remarkable in the item.

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AGES OF SOLDIERS

The most complete report on the ages of enlisted soldiers in the Union army was made by Dr. Benjamin Aptorp Gould for the U. S. sanitary commission, and this covered enlistments for 1,012,273 men, or a little more than one-third of the whole number of enlistments. This report showed that the average age of the Union soldier at enlistment was 25 years 4 months. Thirteen per cent. were 18 years of age and under, nearly 30 per cent. were 21 and under, 59 per cent. were 25 and under, and 76 per cent. under 30.

Only about 1 per cent. were below the legal age limit, and about one-half of 1 per cent. were above the legal age limit.

Gettysburg was the greatest battle of the war. Antietam was the bloodiest. The Confederates assembled their largest army—94,138 effective men—at the seven days' battle, and Lee never afterward led its like. Grant led the largest Union army, comprising 118,769 effective men, at the Wilderness.

There were 112 battles in which one side or the other lost over 500 in killed or wounded. There were 1882 general engagements, battles, skirmishes, etc., in which at least one regiment participated.

The 5th New Hampshire infantry sustained the greatest loss of any infantry regiment—295 from battle wounds and 178 from disease—a total death list of 473.

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They averaged in height 5 feet 7 3-4 inches, the Kentuckians leading with an average height of 5 feet 8 3-4 inches. Connecticut soldiers were of the lowest stature—5 feet 6 1-2 inches. Out of 1,000,000 recorded measurements 3,613 were over 6 feet 3 inches, and among them were some over 7 feet. Selections from the whole army would have given regiments of tall men surpassing the famous giant guards of Frederick the Great.

The "old" Vermont brigade lost more men killed in action than any other brigade in the army—1172 from wounds and 1372 from disease, a total of 2544.
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|                     | 49,565   | 942,311| 991,876|
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