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RECEIPT FOR PROPERTY

PROPERTY NO.	NAME OF ARTICLE	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	COST
	Transfer to [unclear] [unclear]	1			
	County Sheet	1			
	ADJUTANT GEN'L'S Death certificate	1			
	Photo of William Ballard	1			
	(All These Items are photocopies - No originals)				

It is understood that I am personally responsible for the property listed above and that if any of same is lost, stolen, damaged or destroyed through my neglect or carelessness pay-roll deduction will be made to cover the value thereof. In case of breakage, the broken tool or other property shall be returned and credit given me for full value of same.

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NEW ALBANY IN 47150



Co. F, 38 Indiana Infantry.

*Ballard, William*

84

Private *Corporal*

CARD NUMBERS.

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CASUALTY SHEET

No. \_\_\_\_\_

*William Ballard*

*Private* of Company *K*

*38* Regiment of *Ind Inf*

State Volunteers.

NATURE OF CASUALTY.

*Death Dec 3, 1862*

*207*



B 38 Ind.

William Ballard

Corps Co. Co., 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Age 37 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Mr. Washington, June 1, 1865

Muster-out to date

186

Aug. 31, 1861.

Clothing account:

35 Last settled Aug 31, 1862 drawn since \$ 11.100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money ad'vd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100.100

Remarks: Killed in battle

of Stone River, Tenn.

on Dec. 31, 1862

Final statement

given

Book mark:

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B 38 Ind.

William Ballard

Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Returns as follows:

24, 1861 Co. K, 38 Reg't Ind. Inf.

Cherry Point, N. C.

Mar. 31, 1862, Co. K, 38 Reg't Ind. Inf.

Killed at

Murfreesboro.

Aug. 31, 1862

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money ad'vd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100.100

Remarks: Killed in battle

of Stone River, Tenn.

on Dec. 31, 1862

Final statement

given

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Spec. K, 38 Reg't Ind. Inf.

Ballard & Williams

1 Enclosures.

Bed Cards

Burial Records

Furloughs or L. of A.

Med. Certificates

C. M. Charges

Descriptive Lists

Discharge Certificates

Enlistment Papers

Other papers relating to —

Admission to Hosp'l

Furlough or L. of A.

Med. Examination

Misc. Information

Pay or Clothing

Death or Effects

Desertion

Rank

Transfer to Hosp'l

Transfer to V. R. C.

Duty

Transportation



Ind.

38

*B.*

*Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.*

*William Ballard,*

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *30 April to 31 Aug, 1862.*

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ *100* for

Due Gov't \$ *100* for

Remarks:

Book mark:

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*Shaw*

Ind.

38

*B.*

*Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.*

*William Ballard,*

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Sept. 1862.*

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ *100* for

Due Gov't \$ *100* for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Copyist.

(878)

*Shaw*

Ind.

38

*B.*

*Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.*

*William Ballard,*

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *May, 1862.*

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ *100* for

Due Gov't \$ *100* for

Remarks:

*Wid in battle  
at Stone River, Dec.  
31, 1862, firing shot.  
must given.*

Book mark:

Copyist.

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*Shaw*



B. 38 Ind.

William Ballard,  
Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *with Dec. 31* 1861

Present or absent *Not listed.*

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

*William Ballard*  
(858) Copyist.

B. 38 Ind.

William Ballard,  
Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Jan 7 Feb.* 1862

Present or absent *Present.*

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

*William Ballard*  
(858) Copyist.

B. 38 Ind.

William Ballard,  
Company Co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Mar. 7 April* 1862

Present or absent *Present.*

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

*William Ballard*  
(868) Copyist.



38 | Ind.

William Ballard

co. K, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Descriptive Book

of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 34 years; height 5 feet 9 inches.

Complexion *Bronzy*

Eyes *Str Blue*; hair *Red*

Where born *Ray Co. Tenn*

Occupation *Shoemaker's farmer*

ENLISTMENT.

When *Oct 24*, 1861

Where *Allen Inst*

By whom *Capt Beaman*; term *3 yrs*

Remarks:

*Mustered Oct 24/61*

*Co. P. 38 Reg't Ind. Inf.*

*Was in the line of duty at Stone River*

*Special Muster - large scar forming*

*over a right angle in forehead -*

*Co. A. 38 Reg't Ind. Inf.*

*James*

(3884)

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38 | Ind.

William Ballard

Capt. Sexton's Co., 38 Reg't Ind. Inf't

Appears on

Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

*Nov Albany, Ind. Oct. 18, 1861.*

When *Oct 27*, 1861

Where *Camp Merrin, Ky.*

Period *During the war*

Bounty paid \$ *100*; due \$ *100*

Remarks:

\* *No action by certificate of*

*Mustering Officer.*

† This organization subsequently became Co. K, 38 Reg't Ind. Inf't

\* Muster-in roll shows enrollment and muster-in of the com-

pany as of same date, except men enrolled subsequent to date of

muster-in of company. See enrollment on subsequent card or cards.

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*Ballard*

38 | Ind.

William Ballard

Co. A, 38 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *20 Aug to 31 Oct. 1861.*

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When *Oct 27*, 1861

Where *Camp Merrin*

Period *3* years.

Present or absent *Not stated.*

Stoppage, \$ *100* for

Due Gov't, \$ *100* for

Remarks:

\* See enrollment on card from muster-in roll.

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*Ballard*



CASUALTY SHEET

Name: *William Ballard*  
 Rank: *Sergeant*  
 Arm: *Infantry*  
 State: *Pa.*  
 Company: *R*  
 Regiment: *38<sup>th</sup>*  
 Nature of Casualty: *Death*

CAUSE OF CASUALTY—(Name of Disease, etc.)  
*Killed in Battle*

DEGREE OF DISABILITY

BY WHOM CERTIFIED

*John R. ...*

DATE OF DISCHARGE, DEATH, &c.

*Dec 31 1912*

PLACE OF DISCHARGE, DEATH, &c.

*John R. ...*

BY WHOM DISCHARGED

FROM WHAT SOURCE THIS INFORMATION WAS

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*Tracy Reg. of ...*

REMARKS

*Presenting ...*

*1016 ...*

*Some place*

Clerk.

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Helen S. Morrison

STATE OF INDIANA  
COMMISSION ON PUBLIC RECORDS  
For the Director

Witness my hand and official seal.

Company K, 38th Regiment Indiana Volunteers  
of Wm. Ballard  
This Certificate is given as official evidence of enlistment, service and death of

December 31, 1862. [promoted] Corp.

Ray Co., Tenn. ocp'n: shoemaker Killed at Stone River

age: 34 eyes: blue hair: sandy height: 5'9" complexion: sandy

Col. Scribner, United States Army

years by Mustering Officer

three (3)

18 61 for the term of

October

day of

Service of the United States at

Camp Nevin, Ky.

on the 27th

and that he was duly mustered into the Military

the 27th

day of

October

18 61 by

Capt. Sexton

enlisted as private of Company K, 38th Regiment Indiana Volunteers at Camp Nevin, Ky. on joined for duty and was



in this office show that  
His Certifies that the official records of public safety in the State of Indiana on file

INDIANAPOLIS

April 8

1986

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

Executive Department Indiana





## THIRTY-EIGHTH INDIANA REGIMENT

Baldwin G. H.

"The Thirty-Eighth Regiment was organized and mustered into service for three years, at New Albany, on the 18th of September, 1861, and the 21st of the same month started for Elizabethtown, Kentucky. The winter was passed in camp at Camp Nevin, on Nolin's Fork of Bar river, and at Camp Wood on Green river, near Munfordsville. In February, 1862, it moved with Buell's army in its campaign against Bowling Green and Nashville, reaching the latter place on the 6th of March. On the 5th it moved to Franklin, and from thence to Columbia, and thence to Shelbyville, remaining there until the 11th of May. During its stay in this vicinity made frequent and rapid marches to intercept Morgan's cavalry. On the 13th of May the Regiment had a skirmish with the enemy near Rogersville. On the 29th of May it moved toward Chattanooga and arrived opposite the place on the 7th of June, after which it returned to Shelbyville and moved to Stevenson. It then moved to Decherd, where it remained from the 17th of August until Bragg crossed the Tennessee river, when the regiment fell back to Nashville, and from there marched, with Buell's army, Louisville.

The regiment engaged in the campaign through Kentucky, and took part in the battle of Perryville, losing twenty-seven killed, one hundred and twenty-three wounded and seven prisoners. Returning from this campaign, the regiment reached Bowling Green on the 2d of November, where it was placed in the First Division of the Fourteenth Army Corps. Early in the following month it moved to Nashville, and from there to the vicinity of Murfreesboro, where, on the 31st of December, 1862, and 1st and 2d of January, 1863, participated in the battle of Stone River, losing fourteen killed and eighty-two wounded. After the battle the regiment went into camp at Murfreesboro and remained there until the campaign against Chattanooga was commenced. During its stay there it marched out to Hoover's Gap and took part in a severe skirmish, losing one killed and fifteen wounded.

Moving with it corps to Chattanooga, it was engaged on the 19th and 20th of September in the battle of Chickamauga, losing nine killed, fifty-nine wounded and forty-two missing—making a total loss of one hundred and twenty-two. Returning to Chattanooga the regiment remained inactive until the 2d and 25th of November, when it took part in the engagements at Lookout Mountain and Mission Ridge. The following winter was passed at Rossville, Georgia, and Chattanooga. While at the former place the regiment enlisted on the 28th of December, 1863, and, on the 3d of January, 1864, started home on Veteran furlough, reaching Indianapolis on the 9th, with three hundred and sixty men and officers.

On the 26th of February the regiment returned to Chattanooga, and moved to Tynes' Station in March and Graysville, Georgia, in April. (The 7th of May it marched with Sherman's army in the campaign against Atlanta, engaging in all the skirmishes and battles, including the engagement at Jonesboro, in which the Thirty-Eighth carried the rebel works in a charge. In this charge, the color-bearer being killed as he planted the colors inside the works, First Lieutenant Joseph W. Redding seized the colors and carried them throughout the day. In the Atlanta campaign the regiment lost one hundred and three killed, wounded and missing.

On the 4th of October it marched in pursuit of Hood's retreating army as far as Gaylesville, Alabama, and then returned to Atlanta, from whence it marched, in November, with the Army of Georgia in its campaign through Georgia. After the occupation of Savannah, the regiment remained there until the 6th of February, when it again moved, passing through the Carolinas to Goldsboro, taking part in all the battles and skirmishes worth of note during the campaign, among which was the battle of Bentonville. From Goldsboro it proceeded to Raleigh, and, after Johnson's surrender, marched, via Richmond and Alexandria, to Washington—a distance of one hundred and ninety-two miles—making the entire distance in six days, an average of thirty-two miles a day. From Washington the regiment was transferred to Louisville, Kentucky, and after remaining at that place for some time was, on the 15th of July, 1865, mustered out of service. Leaving for home, it reached Indianapolis on the 18th of July, with about six hundred men and officers, and on the same day was present at a public reception given to over three thousand returned soldiers in the Capitol grounds, and was addressed by Gov. Morton and others. In a few days after the regiment was finally discharged from service."