

HEADQUARTERS

E.D. BAKER

POST NO. 80.

DEPARTMENT

OF IOWA.



GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH OF

Comrade Enos Thayer

Who was born the twenty-sixth day of October A.D. 1838 in
Richmond County of _____ State of Indiana

I entered the service July 12th 1861 at Muncie Indiana as private of Co. E. 19th Indiana Infantry and served as private throughout three years. Was discharged the 28th day of July, 1864 at close of my term of service at Petersburg Virginia.

My first engagement being at Gannesville. Other engagements in which I participated were at Second Bull Run, South Mountain, Antietam, Fredericksburg, Fih-hugh Crossing, Chancellorsville, Mine Run, Battles of the Wilderness, First and Second Gettysburg, Spottsylvania, North Anna, Cold Harbor, and Petersburg. Was twice slightly wounded, once above the eye at Second Wilderness, and once in the stomach at Gettysburg. Was in a hospital at West Phila., Pa. for a short time. I was taken prisoner at Gettysburg. Was a prisoner for three days.

My most intimate friends during the war, were Moses Saley, Frank Ethel, Bob Patterson, John Russil, Ike Witternise.

I deem the most important event of my service was fighting for three years fro my country.

Dies Aug 18, 1910- age 71-10-22 of Bright's Disease

Buried in Storm Lake Cemetery -Div. D- 2nd Add- Lot 233

I certify that Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date Nov 16 1905 Signed Emos Thayer

We certify that Comrade _____ Joined _____

Post No. _____ Department of _____ 18 _____

Held Offices of _____

Adjutant.

Commander.