JAMES A EVERE'I'T



James A Everett enlisted in the Union Army on 16 December 1861. He served with the Seventh Maine Infantry, Company F during the Civil War. The Seventh Maine Infantry was organized on 21 August 1861 and left for Baltimore MD on 23 August 1861. The unit encamped and remained until 25 October 1861.

During the Peninsular Campaign the Seventh saw action in Yorktown VA (5 April - 4 May 1862), Williamsburg VA (4 May 1862), Mechanicsville VA (26 June 1862), Gaines Mill VA (27-28 June 1862), and White Oak Swamp VA (30 June 1862). On 14 August 1862, the Seventh joined General Pope's forces at Centerville and retreated with them to Washington.

The Seventh was also engaged in the Antietam Campaign, including Crampton's Gap MD (14 September 1862), South Mountain MD (14 September 1862) and Antietam MD (17 September 1862) Out of 15 officers and 166 enlisted, the Seventh lost in killed, wounded or missing 11 officers and 100 enlisted during the campaign. J. A. Everett was among the wounded.

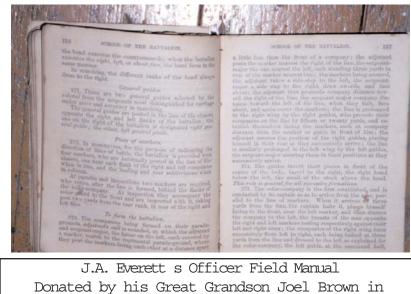
After regrouping and spending some time recruiting to fill their diminished ranks the Seventh was involved in the battle of Fredericksburg VA and also spent time in the Gettysburg Campaign (2-3 June 1863).

Everett was discharged from the Seventh on 15 February 1864 and then served in the First Veteran Volunteers. When James A Everett left the service he had risen to the rank of Colonel.

Everett died 8 March, 1919.

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Everett s Headstone at Lone Cedar Cemetery Outside of Sherburn MN

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