

CW/VFM-83: John Sedgewick

Documents Urging the Erection of a Monument to John Sedgewick

Member of the veteran association of Shaler's Brigade, Sixth Army Corps, recording their feelings of a lack of a monument to their corps commander, Maj. Gen. John Sedgewick. As of August 1906, Major-General John Sedgewick did not have a monument at Gettysburg. Shaler's Brigade (65th, 67th, and 122nd New York; 23rd and 82nd Pennsylvania) of the Sixth Army Corps wrote a petition to the state legislature of Connecticut to have this rectified on August 10, 1906. Shaler's Brigade was the one group within the Sixth Army Corps that was not held in reserve at Gettysburg.

Signatures on the documents include:

Alexander Shaler	3 rd Brigade Commander
Martin Conelly	23 rd PA
Sherwood Smith	23 rd PA
Joseph C. Doyle	82 nd PA
Hiram Ebard	82 nd PA
Henry Hollworth	23 rd PA
James K. Millman	23 rd PA
John G. Johnston	23 rd PA
John G. Morris	82 nd PA
James Colgan	23 rd PA
Thomas Hays	61 st & 23 rd PA
William Finely	23 rd PA
Charles F. Huber	23 rd PA
Chas E. Smallwood	23 rd & 82 nd PA
Charles Bonsall	124 th PA?
John Brown	82 nd PA
James W. Masland	23 rd PA
Robert Boyd	23 rd PA
James McGinnis	23 rd PA
John C. Stretch	82 nd PA
John C. Young	64 th NY
Louis G. Elvert	82 nd PA
George Flemming	23 rd PA
John Boyd	23 rd PA
George Peifer	23 rd PA

Gottlieb Staiger 23rd PA
John Henderson 82nd PA?
W. D. Sloan 23rd PA
William H. Bantom 23rd PA (82nd PA?)
William J. Farran 23rd PA

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