

Major Erskine Mason Camp

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Soldiers' Rest

Since Wednesday last, Capt. Camp, commanding Soldiers' Rest, has received 475 convalescents; 351 men returning under the President's proclamation; 61 recruits, 32 of whom are for Ohio regiments; 230 furloughed men, and 15 exchanged prisoners: and has shipped 184 to regiments in the field, and 1,100 to Convalescent camp.

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Appointment

Capt. E.M. Camp, of the 35th New York, has been appointed an Assistant Quartermaster, with his present rank, and placed in command of the Soldiers' Rest, a position for which he is eminently qualified, as is proven by his efficient administration of affairs there during the past five months.

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Local

Among the marriage licenses issued yesterday was one to Capt. Erskine M. Camp, U.S. Army and Mrs. Mary C. Waite, widow of the former well-known druggist, corner 7th and Louisiana ave., Capt. C. will be remembered as having charge of Soldiers Rest near the depot during the war.

Camp. On Thursday, December 28, 1876 at Camp Halleck, Nevada, Major Erskine Mason Camp, U.S.A. in the 47th year of his age.

Heitman:

Born New York, appointed from New York. Capt. 35th N.Y. Infantry, June 11, 1861; Capt. A.Q.M. Vols., May 19, 1863; Brvt. Maj. Vols., March 13, 1865 for faith and meritorious service; honorable muster out, July 31, 1866; 1st Lt., 40th Infantry, June 10, 1867. Unassigned April 20, 1869. Assigned to 12th Infantry, Jan. 1, 1871; Brevt. Capt., June 10, 1867 for gallant and meritorious service at the battle of Cedar Mountain, Va.; died Dec. 28, 1876.