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Rank	Surname	First Name	AKA	Wife/Widow	Place of Birth	Soldier's Birth Date	Place of Death	Solder's Date of Death	Company	Service Record	Pension Record	Remarks
Pvt.	Aiken	George		Mary Ann Unknown	Port Royal Island, SC	1824	Hilton Head, SC	Unknown	G	x	None	Enlisted on April 29, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 40; 5'7 1/2" tall; occupation - laborer. In Beaufort Hospital from Dec 21, 1864 till Jun 16, 1865 when discharged from service in Beaufort, SC for disability. Freedman Bank #3584. Application filed on Oct 21, 1869. At the time of the application he had 2 children: Lizzie(12) and Elsie(5). His father was named Judge, mother Hagar; brothers: Ned, Moses, Sameul, Friday Allbright; sisters: Betty, Jane
Pvt.	Aiken	Joseph		Jane	Bluffton, SC	1834	Unknown	Unknown	G	x	None	Enlisted on Apr 16, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 30; 5' 8" tall; occupation - laborer. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC. Joseph was born in Gaston's Bluff, May River, Bluffton, SC. He married a woman named Jane Unknown and they had the following children: Harry, Peter, Martha and Katy. His father's name was Moses and his mother was Abby. His brother was Monday Butler; sisters were Mary Ann Stuart and Patty Brown. Freedmen Bank file #3359. At the time of filing with the Freedmen Bank (Mar 20, 1869) he had 4 children: Harry (15), Peter(13), Martha(1), and Katy(3).
Pvt.	Brown	Jacob		Unknown	Hilton Head, SC	1839	Unknown	Unknown	G	x	None	Enlisted on Apr 16, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 25; 5' 6" tall; occupation - laborer; discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC.
Pvt.	Green	Abraham	Green, Abram	Rosa Hamilton	Unknown	1834	Hilton Head, SC	Jun 5, 1884	G	x	x	Enlisted on April 18, 1864 at the age of 30 on Hilton Head, SC. AWOL on August 17, 1864 on Hilton Head, SC and rejoined the unit on Oct 1, 1864. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865. At the time of his death he had 3 children under the age of 16 who were cared for by his wife - Glasgo Green b. Dec 25, 1875, Martha Green b. Apr 13, 1877 and Abraham Green b. May 7, 1884. They also had a son named William Green b. July 20, 1879 who died on Hilton Head, SC on Sept 9, 1884 and Benjamin Green b. Dec 30, 1873. Abraham and Rosa were married in 1858. Abraham's wife Rosa later remarried a Frank Riley on Dec 12, 1887. Rosa died in Hilton Head, SC on July 5, 1924.
Pvt.	Green	Adam		Unknown	SC	1838	Unknown	Unknown	G	x	None	Enlisted on Feb 23, 1865 in Beaufort, SC at the age of 27; 5' 9" tall; occupation - laborer. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC. Service was credited to Clifton Park, Saratoga County, New York.

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Pvt.	Green	Mingo	Green, Christopher	1st wife Diana Simmon; 2nd wife Mary	Hilton Head, SC	1843	Unknown	May 25, 1903	G	x	x	Enlisted on Apr 13, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 21; occupation - laborer. He states, "My nursing place was Possum Point." Suffered amputation of lower half of left arm due to accidental gun shot fracture on Apr 1, 1865. Mingo stated in his Invalid Pension application "....that while on guard duty in Beaufort Island that guns belonging to the guard fell down in the guard house and one of the guns was discharged, the ball from which went through his left hand. He said the guns were not securely shackled, which was the reason of their falling down. He declared he was about six feet from the gun when it discharged." Discharged on June 5, 1865 from the Beaufort Hospital due to disability. Married at Mitchellville in Hilton Head, SC to Mary Green. Controversy over widow's pension application. It appears that his second marriage was not a legal one since his first wife was still alive and had never been divorced.
Pvt.	Jones	Cesar	See Kirk, Cesar									See Kirk, Cesar
Pvt.	Kirk	Cesar	See Jones, Cesar	1st wife Maria; 2nd wife Lavinia Hamilton	Bluffton, SC	1819	Hilton Head, SC	Dec 11, 1903	G	x	x	Enlisted Apr 20, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 45; 5' 10" tall; occupation - laborer. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC. Slave name Kirk; bought by Dr. John Kirk of Bluffton from Miss Telfarrio. Father was Sam Jones - Joe Pope his master. His mother was Maltsey Jones and she also was owned by Dr John Kirk. His family name was Jones; his military name was Kirk based on his owner at the time of his enlistment. Cesar was married to Lavinia Hamilton on Dec 27, 1873 in Hilton Head, SC by Rev Munchison. His first wife Maria Kirk died in Hilton Head, SC in 1873. He had 5 children with his first wife William was the oldest and Richard was the youngest. and no children from his second marriage. Cesar died leaving \$250 dollars and 108 acres of land valued at \$395 to his wife Lavinia. Lavinia died on July 10, 1904. Granddaughter Georgianna Barnwell filed a pension claim on Nov 11, 1957, but was denied on the basis that there was no law under which a grandchild of a Civil War veteran could be paid benefits.
Pvt.	Riley	Joseph		1st wife Sarah Cummings; 2nd wife Emma Robinson	Beaufort, SC	1846	Hilton Head, SC	Mar 23, 1914	G	x	x	Enlisted on Apr 21, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 18; 5' 2" tall; occupation - laborer. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC. Joseph is buried in Hilton Head, SC in the Pinefield Cemetery (1200 Broad Pointe Drive); grave location Row 3; headstone currently exist. His first wife Sarah died in Hilton Head, SC in 1896. His wife Emma was born in 1854 in Charleston, SC and died on Nov 28, 1924. They were married on Jan 16, 1897 in Hilton Head, SC by Rev A. P. Hamilton. Joseph's two wives were sisters.

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Cpl.	White	Richard		Amelia Howard	Hilton Head, SC	1840	Hilton Head, SC	Feb 14, 1894	G	x	x	Enlisted Apr 23, 1864 in Hilton Head, SC at the age of 24; 5' 4 1/2" tall; occupation - Laborer. Discharged on Aug 12, 1865 in Hilton Head, SC. Enrolled as Pvt.; appointed Cpl. on Jun 1, 1864. Accidental discharge of musket while removing the bayonet four months after enlistment which caused loss of first joint of little finger on right hand. The accident happened at the camp of Gen. Littlefield at Spanish Wells. Married to Amelia Howard at Hilton Head, SC on Oct. 1866 by the Rev. A. Murchison. Amelia was born a slave of Milton Stewart, a planter living in Beaufort, SC around 1846. Her father was Moses Howard and her mother was Nancy Howard, both slaves of Milton Stewart. Richard was a slave of Miss Stoney of Hilton Head. Amelia's master, Milton Stewart, married Miss Stoney and Amelia came to Hilton Head with her master when he married, about a year before the war she married Richard. Their master married them according to slave customs; then after the war they were married by Rev. Murchison. They had 4 children before the war. Their daughter married Ben Green. The Green's lived with Amelia after Richard's death. Amelia was a local Gullah leader. Richard died at Stoney Place, Hilton Head, SC on Feb 14, 1894 at the age of 74 and is buried in the Amelia White cemetery on Hilton Head Island.
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