Simms Edward
Co. D, 2 South Carolina Inf.
(2 Palmetto Regiment.)
Consol'd about Apr. 9, '65, with 20 S. C. Inf. and Blanchard's S. C. Res. and paroled as 2 S. C. Inf.

(Confederate.)

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Number of medical cards herein: 2
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Bookmark:
See also Pickslongs Co. S. C. Res.
Company Muster-in Roll

Of the organization named above. Roll dated

Company is No.

Richmond, Va., May 23, 1861.

Muster-in to date

May 23, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When

Apr. 8, 1861.

Where

Demity A. Co.

By whom

Capt. J. S. Richardson.

Period

12 months.

No. of miles to place of rendezvous 136

Note: "My company was organized on the 7th day of January, 1861, at Sumter, S. C., under the Act of the General Assembly of the said State, to raise an Armed Military force, passed Dec., 1860.

Were called into service on the 8th April, 1861.

* * * J. S. Richardson, Jr.,

Capt. Sumter Volunteers."

Remarks:

*This company subsequently became Company D 21 (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry.

The regiment was called into State service about April 8, 1861, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate service May 23, 1861, and reorganized for the war in May, 1862.

About April 8, 1862, the 21 (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 8th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and by a part of Blanchard's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 6th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was mustered at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1862.

Book mark:

[Signature]

Copies
E. P. Seine

Capt. J. S. Richardson's Co. (Sumter Vols.), 2 (Palmetto) Reg't South Carolina Volunteers *

Age 22 years.

Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for Date June 30, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:
When Apr. 5, 1861
Where Sumter, S. C.
By whom Capt. Richardson
Period 12 Mos.

No. of miles to place of rendezvous 136

Remarks:

*This company subsequently became Company D, 3d (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry. The regiment was called into State service about April 8, 1861. It was mustered into the Confederate States service May 28, 1861, and reorganized for the war in May, 1862. About April 9, 1863, the 3d (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 50th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and became the 50th Regiment, South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1865.

Book mark:

J. W. Boyd
Capt. J. S. Richardson's Company, 2 (Palmetto) Regiment, South Carolina Volunteers.

Appears on Company Muster Roll of the organization named above, for Apr. 24 to June 5, 1861.

Enlisted:
When: April 1861
Where: Sumter, S. C.
By whom: Capt. Richardson
Period: 12 mos.
Last paid: Never paid
To what time: 1861
Present or absent: Present

Remarks:

*This company subsequently became Company D, 5th (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry. The regiment was called into State service about April 9, 1861, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate States service May 22, 1861, and re-organized for the war in May.

About April 9, 1861, the 5th (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 9th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Blanchard's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 5th Regiment, South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 2, 1865.

Book mark: J. A. Boyd
Edward Simms
2nd Co. F, 2nd Reg't South Carolina Inf.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for Dated Feb 7, 1862

Enlisted:
When April 17, 1861
Where Charleston
By whom Capt Alston
Period 1 year
Last paid Dec
By whom Kemper
To what time Nov 1, 1861

Present or absent Present

Remarks:
Enlistment extended for 2 yrs. Dec 25, 1861

*This regiment was called into State service about April 9, 1861, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate States service May 25, 1861, and reorganized for the war in May, 1862.

About April 9, 1863, the 5th (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 35th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Huncan's South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 5th Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was mustered at Greensboro, N. C., May 8, 1865.

Book mark:

D. W. Blazer
Copyist.
E. Simms
Co. K, 2 Reg't South Carolina Inf.

Appears on
Company Muster Roll
of the organization named above,
for
Jan 1 - Feb 10, 1862
Dated May 5, 1862
Enlisted:
When
May 9, 1862
Where
Charleston, S.C.
By whom
Capt. Peck
Period
1 year
Last paid:
By whom
Capt. Peck
To what time
Dec 31, 1862
Present or absent
Present

Remarks:

*Most of the original members of this company joined the
Brooks Artillery under Captain A. Burdel Kehl, which subse-
quently became Captain Pitch's Company South Carolina
Artillery.

The regiment was called into State service about April 9,
1862, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate
States service May 29, 1862, and re-organized for the war in May,
1862.

About April 9, 1862, the 94th (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina
Infantry was disestablished with the 85th Regiment South Carolina
Infantry and a part of Hichens' 87th South Carolina Reserve and
Infantry and the (Navy) 78th Regiment South Carolina Reserve
Infantry, which

Book mark:

(Signature)
Copyist.
Edward Simmers

2nd Co. 2 Reg't South Carolina Inf.*

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

of the organization named above,

for

Del. 21 to May 30, 1862.

Dated April 30, 1862

Enlisted:

When

April 1861

Where

Charleston, S.C.

By whom

Capt. Richardson

Period

1 Year

Last paid:

By whom

To what time

186

Present or absent

Absent

Remarks:

At Richmond in

Capt. Beatty's Artillery Co. Re enlisted

*This regiment was called into State service about April 9, 1861, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate States service May 29, 1861, and re-organized for the war in May, 1862.

About April 9, 1862, the 2nd (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 20th Regiment South Carolina Infantry. This regiment, with the 21st Regiment, formed the (New) 23rd Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was mustered at Greensboro, N. C., May 4, 1862.

Book mark:

T. W. Blazer

Copyist.
(Confederate.)

2
(Palmetto.)

S. C.

L. P. Sims

Rt. Co. D. 2 (Palmetto) Reg't South Carolina Infantry.*

Appears on Regimental Return of the organization named above,

for the month of , 1861.

Commissioned officers present and absent:

Station

Remarks:

Alterations since last return among the enlisted men:

Date Aug 25, 1861.

Place Flint Hill


Enlisted men on Extra or Daily Duty:

Absent enlisted men accounted for:

*This regiment was called into State service about April 9, 1861, for twelve months. It was mustered into the Confederate States service May 21, 1861, and re-organized for the war in May, 1863.

About April 9, 1863, the 26 (Palmetto) Regiment South Carolina Infantry was consolidated with the 89th Regiment South Carolina Infantry and a part of Blanchard’s South Carolina Reserves and formed the (New) 26 Regiment South Carolina Infantry, which was paroled at Greensboro, N.C., May 2, 1865.

[Signature]

(A. Brody)

[Signature]
Appears on a Register of Payments to Discharged Soldiers.

Date of discharge: 8 May, 1862
Date of payment: 8 May, 1862
By whom: J. S. Green
Remarks: 

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W. H. Davis
Copyst.
Mrs. F. W. Brookner  
P. O. Box 83  
Port Royal, South Carolina

Dear Mrs. Brookner:

Reference is made to your letter of recent date, herewith returned.

The records show that Edward Simms, name also found as  
E. R. Simms, a private of Company D, 2d Regiment South Carolina  
Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted 8 April 1861 at  
Sumter, South Carolina, aged 22 years. The company muster roll  
for 28 February to 30 May 1862 shows him absent "At Richmond in  
Capt Rhetts Artillery Co. As enlisted."

He reenlisted 26 January 1862 at Charleston, South Carolina,  
as a private of Captain A. B. Rhetts Company, which subsequently  
became Captain Pickling's Company (Brooks Light Artillery), South  
Carolina Artillery, Confederate States Army. The company muster  
roll for January and February 1865, latest on file, shows him  
absent, on furlough, a corporal. No later record of him has been  
found.

This collection of records is by no means complete, and  
failure to find the entire record of Confederate military service  
does not indicate necessarily that an individual did not serve at  
some period not covered by the records.

Sincerely yours,

WM. E. HERDIN  
Major General, USA  
The Adjutant General

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