

## African-Americans at the Battle of Pilot Knob

Last Name	First Name	Comments	Source	Confirmed	
			All Sources Peterson Collection Unless Otherwise Indicated		
Allen	Jim				TOTAL
Barlett	Wash	Slave of Dr. Barlett shot the day before the battle by Rebs while on his way to the Fort	Geraldine Smith's "Civil War Times" page 106	1	15
Blanks	George				
Blanks	John/James				
Brickey	Frank				
Britton (Britten)	Dave				
Brown	Alfred				
Bryan (Bryant)	Sam				
Burten	Jim				
Buster	Jim				
Casey	Ed				
Casey	Joe				
Casey	Marshal				
Clay	John				
Clemmons	George	Killed near Caledonia by Shelby's Men	Peterson Collection: Willis Cole letter 7-8-1904	1	
Cole	Willis		Peterson Collection, 40th & 41st Anniversary Book, photo on file	1	
Collins	Edmond				
Coran	Green				
Cunningham	John				
Curman	Daniel				
Dickens	Lewis				
Ellis	James		Peterson & 40th Anniversary Book transcribed by St Fran Co Hist Soc	1	
Evans	Albert				
Farmer	Dan				
Farmer	Watts				
Farrar (Farm)	James	Wounded in fort in loins PM 27th Died 28th, AKA Captain Jim in Peterson Book. Farrar was hid by Dr. Carpenter and local legend records this as being beneath a concealed trap door in the parsonage section of Immanuel Lutheran Church. Willis Cole letter of 8-3-1904 names him as Farrow.	Peterson Collection, Peterson book & 3rd Reunion Book	1	
Flynn	Bob	Killed in fort	Peterson Collection & 3rd Reunion Book	1	
Gabriel	Charles				

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Hogins	Frank	Hill's 7th AR Cav (Cabell's Brigade) Co A from Pope Co AR: Proof of Service shows as "colored" and served from 1862 to 1865, but probably since servant of Reese Hogins only when Hogins joined. Carried Reese for miles after battle of PK until both captured. Frank released and returned to unit. Service record states "as valuable to the Confederate cause as much as any enlisted soldier."	Original Source: Confederate Pension Applications and Compiled Service Records (Black Southerners in the Confederate Armies)	1
Hunt	James			
Johneast	G.			
Johneast	Jim			
Kelley	Anthony		Peterson Collection: Specifically named in Cole letter 7-8-1903	1
Kelley	Wesley		Peterson Collection: Specifically named in Cole letter 7-8-1904	1
Kennedy	John "Armstrong"			
Knight	John			
Lax	Solomon	62nd Missouri Colored Volunteers (Brother Moses was also in that unit)	Several Sources, photo on file	1
Martin	John	Reportedly killed in fort	Randall Cox and Dorothy Reese record him as being killed in the fort in various historical society books. Possibly correct as it is reported that 4 African-Americans were killed and one wounded near the cannon and only 3 are currently listed.	
Martin	Lewis	Major Wilson's Valet	Peterson Papers Confirm as being here, rode off on Wilson's horse and was knocked off by Lt Milks who took the horse during the retreat from Webster (Milks letter to Wilkinson 9-8-1903)	1
Maze	David			
Murphy	Moses			
Russell	Bevely	Killed in fort, one account names as Edward Russell	Peterson Collection & 3rd Reunion Book, TP Russell's book footnote page 129 states that Aunt Maria "Russell," a former slave of Alexander Russell from Bellevue Valley, had a husband who died during the battle of Pilot Knob.	1
Sanders	Billy			
Scotland (Scoffland)	Henry			
Scotland (Scoffland)	Tolbert			
Scotland (Scoffland)	Willis			
Seagle (Sigel)	Harrison			
Sebastion	Jack			

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Sebastion	Willis			
Shelton	Lewis			
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Sitzi	John			
Solomon	Tobey			
Stones	Lawson			
Tennessee	John 'Jake'			
Thurston	Charles	In charge of all blacks at Fort	Ewing's Official Report	1
Tonsells (Townsend)	Anderson			
Treitze	Henry			
Unknown	Tom	"Worked for Mr. Delano"	Could be Tom Shelton, but unknown for sure. In Rev. David Wilson's account	1
Valle	Henry	First Black in Iron Co Married After War	40th Anniversary Book transcribed by St Fran Co Hist Soc & Peterson Book	1
Valle	Tim			
Velarr	Botcort			
Warren	Jesse			
Washington	Caliph			
Washington	Henry			
White	Ellis 'Alexander'			
Wyatt (White)	Ruben			

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