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SC 1375

**SAMUEL T. STALLARD  
CIVIL WAR PAPERS, 1861–1864**

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**COLLECTION INFORMATION**

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**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

**Samuel T. Stallard** (1841-1911) was born in Bloomington, Ind., son of the Rev. Jacob M. Stallard, a Methodist divine. He was attending Danville Academy when the Civil War broke out. He enlisted in Company A, 15th Indiana Volunteers. The regiment served first in western Virginia, then in Tennessee at Murfreesboro and Missionary Ridge. Stallard was severely wounded in the latter battle. The regiment was discharged at Chattanooga in June 1864.

Stallard became an attorney, practicing in West Lafayette. He married Mary Littleton and they had three children.

## **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

This collection, filling one folder, contains Xerox copies of the military record of Samuel T. Stallard and of an edited, typed transcript of his account of his company's record in the Civil War. The account is better put together than many, with some humorous touches, particularly about mountainous western Virginia, where "Algebra was supposed to be a Northern Abolition town," and where "the restraint of shoes would have had no injurious effect on the beauty of [the] enormous feet" of the "beautiful barefooted mountain maidens."

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