Buckeyes in the Civil War
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Unidentified navy serviceman photographed by African American photographer James Bell, Cincinnati. Courtesy of the Dayton Metropolitan Library

W.H. Taylor’s 1866 Squirrels’ Discharge. Courtesy of the Logan County Historical Society

David Urbansky (1842-1897), a Jewish cabinet maker and merchant who lived in both Columbus and Piqua, Ohio, was one of only eighteen of Ohio’s 385,994 Union soldiers to receive the Medal of Honor, the nation’s highest military award, and one of six Jewish soldiers nationally to be awarded the medal in the Civil War. Courtesy of the Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives

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Tintype of unidentified Union Soldier from the Mahoning Valley, possibly a member of the Guth or Smith family. Courtesy of the Mahoning Valley Historical Society

Engish immigrant John Hoffeck (left) of the 5th Ohio and some of the 530 boys of Hudson, Ohio who served in the Civil War, circa 1863. Courtesy of the Hudson Library & Historical Society

Company C of the Hoffman Battalion (which becomes the 129th Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry) in formation outside of their barracks at the Johnson’s Island prisoner of war camp in Sandusky Bay, circa 1864. Courtesy of the Sandusky Library

John Randolph Hunt of Cincinnati, Adjutant in the 56th Ohio Regiment. Courtesy of the Samuel F. Hunt Papers, Archives & Rare Books Library, University of Cincinnati

William H.H. Avery Civil War veteran and Denison University student. Courtesy of the Denison University Archives

Lorin Andrews, 6th president of Kenyon College, was the first volunteer in the state of Ohio to answer the Union call. Courtesy of Kenyon College Special Collections

National Colors of the Black Brigade of Cincinnati. Courtesy of the Ohio Historical Society

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