



# Champlain Valley National Heritage Partnership



## 2014 CVNHP Commemoration Grant

### Clinton County Civil War Record, 1861-1865 (Digital Exhibit)

#### Project Summary

The CCHA created a digital exhibit that highlights the impact of the Civil War on Clinton County, New York. Resources from the CCHA’s collections (photographs, letters, swords, uniforms etc.) were digitized and utilized for the exhibit. The digital exhibit is available to Museum visitors and accessed on site with a touchscreen display and online for researchers worldwide. The engaging, interactive exhibit allows users to access the large number of collections objects the CCHA houses that would otherwise be inaccessible to the public (without arranging a private viewing).

The CCHA Civil War Committee spent roughly 1,500 hours compiling data from the county’s town clerk records, the Civil War Adjutant General’s List, Clinton County newspapers, Hurd’s History of Clinton and Franklin Counties, and information submitted by the public to develop a comprehensive list of Civil War soldiers in Clinton County. The final version of the research was published in a two-volume, 500+ page set. The book is organized by towns and regiments, with soldier names listed in alphabetical order. The book also includes a 34-page index and burial locations in Clinton County for over 1,200 Civil War soldiers. Over 5,200 Civil War veterans who were either buried or enlisted in Clinton County were included in the final publication: “Clinton County Civil War Record: 1861-1865.”

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CCHA Civil War Committee Chair Geri Favreau and Town of Saranac Historian Jan Couture with copies of the 500-page “Clinton County Civil War Record: 1861-1865.”

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