

HONORABLE MENTION

POST, PHILIP SIDNEY (1833-1895)

- Rank and organization:
Colonel, 59th Illinois
Infantry
- 59th IL Inf originally
designated as 9th Missouri
Infantry, but renamed as 59th
IL in March 1862, hence the
honorable mention
- Place and date: At Nashville,
Tenn., 15-16 December 1864
- Entered service at: Galesburg, Ill.
- Date of issue: 18 March 1893
- Buried Hope Cemetery, Galesburg, IL
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Citation: Led his brigade in an attack upon a strong position under a terrific fire of grape, canister, and musketry; was struck down by a grapeshot after he had reached the enemy's works.

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