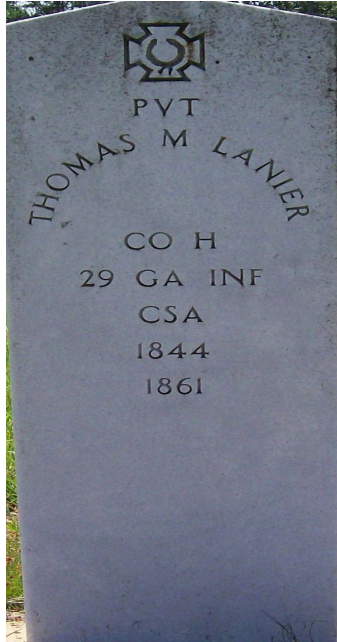


## **Timothy Lanier, Private Co. H 29<sup>th</sup> GA Infantry, C.S.**

- 1846 December 19: Timothy Lanier is born in Georgia to Thomas Murphy and Temperance Carlton Lanier.
- 1850 August 8: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Thomas County, GA showed three-year-old Timothy living with his parents and siblings. His father was a farmer.
- 1860 July 18: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Colquitt, GA showed fourteen-year-old Timothy Lanier is living with his parents and five siblings. His father was a farmer. The family owned one slave.
- 1861 October 1: Lanier and his brothers Gipson, Thomas, and John enlisted in the C.S. Army in Savannah, Georgia. They mustered into the 29<sup>th</sup> GA Infantry, Co. H. Timothy was fifteen. Brother, Hardy, mustered into Co. C, of the 3rd Regiment.
- December 8: Brother, Thomas, died at a hospital in Savannah of Typhoid Fever.
- 1864 June 22: Brother, Hardy, was killed in action in Petersburg, VA.
- November 30: Lanier and his brother, John, fought at the Battle of Franklin, John was killed in action. He was twenty-seven-years-old.
- December 17: Lanier was captured in Franklin, TN on Hood's retreat from Nashville
- 1865 January 5: Lanier died in Hospital No. 1 in Nashville, TN cause of death "Chronic Diarrhea."

Record Of Death and Internment: Name and number of person interred: Timothy Lanier No. 921, Number and Locality of the grave: 10982 Nashville City Cemetery, Regiment rank and company: Private Co, H, 29<sup>th</sup> GA (Reb), Residence before enlistment: Thomas Co, Georgia, Conjugal condition: single, Cause of death: Chronic Diarrhea, Age of deceased: eighteen.

Tempy Lanier, the boys mother, sent five of her six sons off to war. Only one son, Gipson, returned home. Memorials were put in the Murphy family cemetery for all four of her lost sons.



<sup>1</sup> Photo source/findagrave.com/user/Katherine Phinney Lyda