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Confederate Veteran Personal File

Name: Maltby, W. J.

Cemetery	Cem. No	City	County	State
<u>Belle Plains</u>	<u>676</u>	<u>.</u>	<u>Callahan.</u>	<u>TX</u>

Born: 12/17/29

Died: 6/27/08

Age 1861: 32

Antebellum:

Service Record:

Capt Co G 17 TX Inf.

Post-bellum:

VA Marker

WILLIAM JEFF MALTBY
CAPT CO G 17 TEXAS INF
CONFEDERATE STATES ARMY
DEC 17 1829 JUN 27 1908



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WILLIAM JEFF MALTBY

(DECEMBER 7, 1829 - JUNE 27, 1908)

A NATIVE OF ILLINOIS, WILLIAM JEFF MALTBY GAINED FAME AS A FRONTIERSMAN, VETERAN OF THE MEXICAN WAR AND AMERICAN CIVIL WAR AND TEXAS RANGER. MALTBY BEGAN HIS TEXAS EXPLOITS ABOUT 1850, BUILDING FRONTIER FORTS FOR THE U. S. ARMY, HE RETIRED TO CALLAHAN COUNTY IN 1878 AND DEVELOPED A NURSERY THAT EARNED HIM NATIONAL RECOGNITION AS A FINE HORTICULTURIST. MALTBY CO-AUTHORED A PARTIAL AUTOBIOGRAPHY, PUBLISHED IN 1906, CALLED "CAPTAIN JEFF".

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