



Archibald or Arch for short, died at the age of 77.



Archibald was 23 years old when he was enlisted for the Civil War (union)

He joined January 9, 1862 in Detroit.

“Sir Arch. D McLeod has *PASSED AWAY!!*”

Around the age of 77, Archie D McLeod passed away. His death certificate indicates that he had passed on November 27, 1895. He had passed away in North Carolina, USA. He had died through a sun stroke.



Archibald died during the War, He suffered from sunstroke. Archibald is buried in the Romeo Cemetery.

What was his Rank?

McLeod's Enlistment Rank was: Private which is the lowest enlisted military rank. Which is representing a soldier in training or an entry - level position focused on carrying out orders.



He was from Prince Edward Island, He later moved to Michigan.



Did he have a family?

He had a wife her name is missing, While specific names of all his children are not found, he lived in a community with several other McLeod/McLoud families , who may have been his sons or nephews.

Arch traveled to multiple location throughout his time being enlisted.

Some of the major military battles he participated in were,

- The battle at Gettysburg, PA
- The battle at Chancellorsville, VA
- The battle at Yorktown, VA



How did he serve? Infantry? Farrier? Cavalry? what does that mean?

He served as a private In Company A of the Ninth Michigan volunteer Infantry during the early years of the American Civil War. In military terms, the infantry refers to the soldiers who fight on foot.

Archibald (Arch) was a blacksmith prior to being enlisted and he worked in Romeo Michigan. This job still exists to this day!



- Arch's father also served (in separate regiments)
- He was an Irish immigrant pioneer
- His marker at Romeo Cemetery clearly identifies him as a Corporal (a noncommissioned officer rank in the army or marines-just below sergeant).

