Appolinaire Gillard, Corporal, Co H 25th TX Cavalry, C.S.

1850  August 31: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Liberty County, TX showed 8 year old Appolinaire living with his parents and siblings. His father John, Gillard was a farmer who owns 11 slaves.

1860  July 13: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Liberty County, TX showed Appolinaire, a farmer, living with a Lacour family. 12-year-old Azema Lacour would become his wife.

1862  March 17: Enlisted in the C.S. Army in Liberty County, TX.

May 11 to June 30: Company Muster Roll. Present.

June 10: Elected to 4th Corporal.

June 30 to April 30, 1863: Company Muster Roll. Present.

1863  May to December: Company Muster Rolls. Present.


November 30: Captured at the Battle of Franklin.

December 2: Appeared on a roll of Prisoners of War at Nashville, TN.

December 5: Arrived at Camp Douglas, Illinois via Louisville, KY.

December: Listed on a Regimental Return as Absent “In army Tenn.”

1865  May 4: Appeared on a list of Prisoners of War at Camp Douglas forwarded to New Orleans for exchange.

1867  August 12: Appeared on a voter registration list from Shiloh Church, Liberty County, TX.

1870  August 25: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Liberty County, TX showed Appo, a farmer, living with his wife and two young children.

1880  June 27: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Liberty County, TX showed Appo, a farmer, and Azima, his wife, living with their children.