



When the Civil War began in April 1861, Connecticut Irishmen organized their own regiment, the Ninth Connecticut Volunteer Infantry. Connecticut Irishmen also served on land and sea in every other Connecticut regiment and in regiments from other states. During the coming months, we will join historical groups from throughout the state to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the war. The sesquicentennial will begin on Saturday and Sunday April 16-17, 2011, with events, exhibits, re-enactors, and musicians gathering on the campus of Central Connecticut State University in New Britain. We will be there and we hope you will join us. More details will be posted here as they become available.