

JOHN LINCOLN CLEM

1851

1937



Born August 13, 1851,
Newark Ohio. Became the
youngest United States
Army non-commissioned offi-
cer (Sergeant) on September
20, 1863, at age 12.

Upon his retirement on
August 13, 1915, Major
General Clem was the last
active duty Civil War sol-
dier to leave the United
States Army.

Major General Clem's final resting place can be viewed at:
www.arlingtoncemetery.net/jlclem.htm

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