

Consolidation with the 114th OVI

Ohio in the War: her statement, generals, and soldiers, Volume 2, by Whitelaw Reid, The Robert Clarke Co, 1895 pp.617 On the **25th of November an order was issued from the headquarters of Nineteenth Army Corps for a permanent consolidation of the One Hundred and Twentieth with the One Hundred and Fourteenth Ohio**, and carried into effect the next day, the One Hundred and Twentieth forming five companies of the new organization. Lieutenant-Colonel Kelly, of the One Hundred and Fourteenth Ohio, was made Colonel, and Major McKinley, of the One Hundred and Twentieth, Lieutenant-Colonel of the consolidated regiment. The following named officers of the One Hundred and Twentieth, rendered supernumerary by the consolidation, were honorably discharged: Lieutenant-Colonel Slocum, Captains Au, Harvey, Taylor, and Jones, and Lieutenants Van Osteren [sic] and Hughes. This ended the career of the One Hundred and Twentieth as a regimental organization. It entered the service in 1862 with nine hundred and forty-nine officers and men. **About one hundred and fifty recruits joined it in 1864, and when merged into the One Hundred and Fourteenth Ohio, on the 27th day of November, 1864, but four hundred and forty of the whole number remained. Up to this time the aggregate number of killed in action, died of wounds and disease, and discharged because of disability, was six hundred.**

"After this disaster the remnant of the regiment retreated with Banks' forces to Morganza, La., where it was consolidated with the 114th Ohio Infantry. On consolidation the following officers of the 120th were honorably discharged: Lieutenant-Colonel Slocum, Captains Au, Harvey, Taylor and Jones, and Lieutenants Van Ostern and Hughes. [From the History of Wayne County, Ohio by Ben Douglas, c. 1878]

This ended the career of the 120th as a regimental organization. It was a good regiment, but was overwhelmed with a series of disasters." [From the History of Wayne County, Ohio by Ben Douglas, c. 1878]

Consolidation with the 114th OVI took place **26 Nov 1864**.

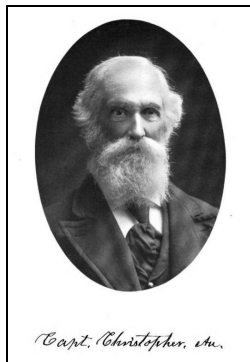
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"The 120th O.V.I. In our yesterdays issue we briefly referred to the fact that **the tattered and war worn colors of the noble 120th, were presented to the State by Lieut Col Slocum.**

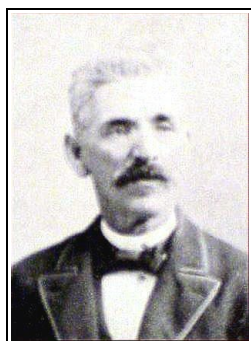
The history of this gallant regiment is a peculiar one, and contains material for volumes of future history. In December, 1862 it took an important part under the command of Col French, in the battle of Chickasaw Bayou near Vicksburg, drawing the first fire of the enemy and nobly sustaining the reputation of the sons of Ohio in coolness and bravery under a galling fire. For two days, the 120th was detailed to support the 9th Michigan and 1st Wisconsin Batteries, during which time it lost heavily. On the 11th of January, 1863, it was the first to charge the rebel fortifications at Arkansas Post, and was the first regiment to plant its colors on that stronghold.

"Having the advance in Grants campaign through Mississippi, it took part in every battle, and on each occasion covered itself with glory. Lieut Co Spiegel succeeded Col French in command, after the battle of Arkansas Post, and remained in that position with marked ability until severely wounded by a shell at Jackson Miss, on the 12th of July, 1863, when Lieut Co Slocum assumed command. In ascending Red River in May, 1864, the boat on which the 120th embarked was fired into by the enemy, and suffered terribly in[?] killed and wounded, - 23 men and officers being the loss on that occasion. Here Co Spiegel was killed, after which Lieut Col Slocum assumed command, and by getting the boat worked over to the opposite shore, succeeded in saving 155[?] men with their guns. By dint of terrible marching through an enemy's country, this b**ly of brave men finally reached the federal lines and were safely quartered among friends. After its terrible experience by land and water the glorious 120th found itself reduced to less than 100 men, when it was consolidated with the 114th O V I. Our word for it, that wherever the brave boys of the old 120th may be found, there will be a record for bravery which would cause the veins of an Alexander to thrill with envy!"

A Centennial Biographical History of Richland County, Ohio, by A. J. Baughman, 1901: Christopher Au, Company I, 120th OVI



"When the 120th Regiment was consolidated with another regiment, Christopher was assigned to one Company and his "boys" to another company. Christopher opposed this separation and he mustered out and returned home. Even though he was offered a colonelcy in a new organization, he turned it down. During his time with the 120th he had one month's furlough at home, but otherwise was on duty the whole time with his regiment."



"Mr. Arehart took part in the fighting at Graham's plantation [near Alexandria, LA], May 5 to May 7, 1864; at [Avoyelle's Prairie] Prairie Bayou, May 14 to 16; at [Bayou de Glaize May 18] De Glaize, May 16, 1864; [Transfer to 114th OH] in the siege of Mobile, March 26 to April 8, 1865; and in the warfare at Fort Blakely, April 2 to 9, 1865. July 24 following he was transferred to Company E, Forty-eighth Regiment, Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and was discharged from the service at Houston, Texas, October 4, 1865.." [Corporal Arehart, Co B 120th A Centennial Biographical History of Richland Co OH, by A. J. Baughman, 1901, pp 512 - 514]

[History of Pickaway County Ohio, and Representative Citizens, Aaron R. Van Cleaf, 1906.]

Page 236 "On November 21, 1864, the regiment [the 114th Ohio] was ordered from Morganza, to which point it had proceeded from Alexandria, to the **mouth of the White River, Arkansas, and at this place was consolidated with the 120th Ohio**. On December 6th the regiment was ordered to Morganza [LA]. On January 8, 1865, it moved to **Kenna, Alabama**, and on the 24th moved to **Barrancas, Florida**, [Pensacola] where it remained up to [May] 1865, when it was sent with other forces to Texas."

From the Roster book and other sources, **Transferred 27 Nov 1864 to 114th OVI** and some **later to 48th OVI:**

114th mustered out 31 July 1865

[236 on my list of transfers to the 114th Ohio. Those marked with # mustered out of the 114th and did not transfer to the 48th OH.]

Field n Staff 3

#John S. Petty, Adjutant, mustered out with regiment 31 July 1865 [See letter below]

#John F. McKinley, Major, promoted to Lt. Col. 28 Dec 1864. mustered out with regiment 31 July 1865

#John C. Gill, Asst. Surg., promoted to Surgeon 31 May 1865, mustered out with regiment

Co A 17

Joseph P. Rummel, Capt., K 114th **while POW [at Camp Ford TX]**, paroled 27 May 1865, mustered out 29 June 1865 at Camp Chase, OH.

John F. Lawrence, Sergt, H 114th, appointed Sergt, 1 Jan 1865, to F 48th 24 July 1865, mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Albert Hughes, Corporal, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865, mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Robert L. McKee, Corporal, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Daniel Buchwalter, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Andrew Budd, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

John Gardner, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 discharged 14 Oct 1865

George E. Good, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 discharged 14 Oct 1865
Isaac Haines, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 discharged 17 Oct 1865
Israel Hileman, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Sep 1865
Amos Hurst, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Israel H. Shreve, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William D. Shurtz, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Henry Snure, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Peter Sparr, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Stauffer, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Lawrence B. Winkler, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co B 27

Capt. Henry H. Eberhart, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Simmons, 1st Sergt. E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Mathias Harter, Sergt. E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Erastus B. Wilson, Corporal, E 114th, appointed Sergt.; to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Columbus Arehart, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George W. Likes, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George H. Wilson, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Lewis O. Hull, Musician, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Martin I. Baughmen, E 114th, mustered out 23 May 1865 at New Orleans, LA
#Melanchthon Culler, E 114th, mustered out 10 June 1865 at New Orleans, LA
Henry Dissinger, E 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Tillman J. Featherlf, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Jacob Goon, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Daniel Harter, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Thomas W. Kithcart, E 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
William McClellan, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Elliott H. Miller, E 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Solomon S. Morrison, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Peterson, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Elias Shenabarger, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
David L. Snoddy, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
John Stewart, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Charles C. Ward, E 114th, to 142d Co. 2d Battalion, Veteran Reserve Corps, 7 Jan 1865.
#James V. Wilson, E 114th, mustered out 16 June 1865 at Mound City IL
Walter M. Wilson, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
George W. Wyant, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Henry Wyant, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866

Co C 22

John M. Crabb, 1st Sergt, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Crawford Byers, Sergt, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Ciphers, Corporal, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Reading, Musician, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Jared Sigler, Musician, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William S. Anderson, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John L. Beard, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Eli Bell, H 114th, mustered out 1 Aug 1865 at Galveston, TX
William Buzzard, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Joseph Byerly, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Daniel Henny, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 Transferred to Co C 14 Oct 1865
#William Kincaid, H 114th, mustered out 19 June 1865 at New Orleans, LA
Wilson McCreary, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out
William Morris, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 Transferred to Company B 14 Oct 1865

Freeman K. Rush, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Marion Sigler, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Daniel Stauffer, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Henry Stover, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Thomas C. Tawney, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Jackson Weatherbee, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Simon Whitamire, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Elijah P. Yarnell, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866

Co D 20

#Benjamin F. Miller, Capt., G 114th, mustered out 31 July 1865.
#Benjamin Gaut, Sergt., E 114th, mustered out 24 July at Galveston TX
James W. Johnson, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John A. Willouer, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
David Barnhart, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Hezekiah Bishop, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Peter Eckart, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Everett, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Jacob H. First, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John C Keister, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Francis Kidd, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Charles O. Lawrence, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Lininger/Leininger, E 114th, to E 48th, 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John McConaghey, E 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Neal McDougal. E 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
William Shanklin, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Tolbert Straus, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George M. Winkler, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Winkler, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John Woolf, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co E 33

#Robert P. Wallace, 2d Lieut., D 114th, promoted 1st Lieut. 21 Mar '64, mustered out 29 June 1865
Wesley W. Spear, Capt., H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865.
#Henry G. Foster, 2d Lieut., Sergt. H 114th, promoted 2d Lieut 28 Dec 1864, mustered out 31 Jly 1865.
#Lewis Funalman, Sergt, H 114th, mustered out 27 Nov 1864
William H. Jones, Sergt, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Dulin, Corporal, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Samuel G. Anderson, Corporal, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Thomas M. Alexander, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Edward Bensinger, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
#Simon M. Bott, H 114th, mustered out 5 June 1865 at New Orleans, LA
Enos Brown, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Thomas J. Burns, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Matthew W. Case, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James Dunlap, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Samuel Gault, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 discharged 14 Oct 1865
George W. Hight, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Hough, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Wilson Hutchinson, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George W. Kime, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Joshua W. Long, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#William M. McKee, H 114th, mustered out 6 June 1865 at Mobile AL
Philip Miller, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Wesley D. Miller, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Gideon Musser, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Daniel Painter, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
David Painter, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John E. Rider, H 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 discharged 16 Mar 1866
William Rittenhouse, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Adam Rumbaugh, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 no further info
Augustus Schwartz, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George Smith, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William B. Stanley, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George S. Unkel, H 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co F 37

Elias Fraunfelter, Captain, D 114th **while POW [Camp Ford TX] mustered out 31 July 1865.**,
#Joseph P. Van Nest, D 114th, , promoted 2nd Lieut 28 Dec 1864, mustered out 29 July 1865
David Pollock, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Cyrus Plank, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865. mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George Reckard, Corporal, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Morris D. Plank, Corporal, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Marion B. Snyder, Musician, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#William W. Brown, D 114th mustered out 30 June 1865 at Camp Chase OH
#Jonathan Holmes, D 114th , mustered out 3 July 1865 at Camp Chase OH
#Benjamin Myers, Sergt, E 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865
Richard Barr, E 114th, **wounded 9 Apr 1865 Ft. Blakeley, AL**, trans to E 48th 24 July 1865
mustered out 3 Oct 1865.
Solon A. Bevins, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 16 Mar 1866
Henry Delancey, E 114th , to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
John M. Dorlan, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Frederick Elser, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Jacob Fisher, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Michael France, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Andrew Fredline, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
#David B. Funk, E 114th, to F 114th, mustered out with 114th 31 July 1865
Aaron Hilliard, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Solomon Houser, E 114th, discharged 25 May 1865 disability
William J. Jackson, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Isaac Judd, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Andrew B. Keith, E 114th, discharged 16 May 1865 disability
Hiram McCarty, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Daniel Mohler, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Jacob W. Myers, E 114th, [no other info listed]
William Myers, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Uriah Nolen, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
#Henry Over, E 114th, mustered out 17 June 1865 at Fort Gaines, AL
John Palmer, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James Reckard, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Peter P. Rickel, E 114th, [no other info listed]
Philip Snyder, E 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
#Henry Stauffer, E 114th, no other info listed
Frederick Wagoner, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Rankin E. Welch, E 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co G 24

Francis Story, D 114th, to D 48th OVI 24 July 1865 mustered out 25 Oct 1865 [was transferred to
D 48th 24 July 1865 , discharged 9 May 1866 at Galveston TX]
James R. Pollock, 1st Lieut. E 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

#Enoch H. Wilford, G 114th, mustered out 11 Aug 1865 at camp Chase OH
 #Thomas M. Harris, Sergt, K 114th, promoted to 2d Lieut. 28 Dec 1864, mustered out with company
 Abraham Harshey, 1st Sergt, K 114th, promoted to Commissary Sergt 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 13 Oct 1865
 Harvey Galehouse, Sergt, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865 [Had escaped from Camp Ford]
 #Richard Stock, Corporal, K 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865 at Galveston TX
 George Jackson, Corporal, K 114th, to Co B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 13 Oct 1865
 William Cuddy, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865 [Had escaped from Camp Ford]
 Thomas J. Dague, to K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 #Jacob Detrick, K 114th, mustered out 5 June 1865 at New Orleans, LA
 John Detrick, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Samuel Garber, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Alfred C. Grow, K 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 10 May 1866 [See below]
 Patrick Hart, K 114th, to C 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
 Miniah Hyatt, K 114th, to C 48th 24 July 1865 [no further info]
 John Jones, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Harmon D. Lane, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Patrick McGee, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Henry McGlenn, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Joseph Marshall, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Frederick Nauman, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 John Tobbin, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Edward Waltz, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865



Alfred Grow

Private Alfred Grow, like many others had been in another regiment before joining the 120th. He had been in Co H of the 1st PA Light Artillery from which he was discharged for disability. In Dec 1863 he moved to Doylestown, Wayne County OH and in January 1864 he joined the 120th OVI. [Photo from descendant Susan Bennet Dyson.]

Co H 27

#Isaac Mylar, Sergt., to E 114th, promoted 2d Lieut 28 Dec 1864, mustered out 24 July 1865
 John M. Baer, 1st Lieut., K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 #Daniel Gallagher, Sergt, K 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865 at Galveston TX
 #Robert W. Bell, Corporal, K 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865 at Galveston TX
 #Gustav Miller, Corporal, K 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865 at Galveston TX
 William P. Myers, Corporal, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Moses Andrews, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 John Bair, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Joseph U. Bricker, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 George A. Flaharty, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Andrew Griner, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 Horace A. Harbaugh, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
 David L. Hoff, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Uriah Leru, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Andrew Manhart, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Simon Miller, K 114th, mustered out 8 June 1865 at Greenville, LA
William Miller, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
#Menno S. Myers, K 114th, mustered out 28 June 1865 at Camp Chase, OH
#Tobias B. Myers, K 114th, mustered out 28 June 1865 at Camp Chase, OH
John J. Plank, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Theodore S. Risser, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Joseph Slagle, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Stone, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Merrick A. Stoner, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Charles Weant, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Charles White, K 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Feb 1866
Jeremiah Willaman, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co I 12

#William B. Milliken, 1st Lieut., G 114th, mustered out 31 July 1865
#John Baughman, Corporal, K 114th, mustered out 24 July 1865 at Galveston, TX
Benjamin P. Brandt, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James S. Edwards, K 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
David Hanavious, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James C. Holland, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Benjamin Payne, K 114th, to C 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 7 May 1866[**The only man of color in the 120th.**]
William F. Richey, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James M. Wallace, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
Alfred Wilson, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James H. Woods, K 114th, to 88th Company 2d Battalion, Veteran Reserve Corps 27 Mar 1865; detached at Medical director's office 5 Apr 1866. No further record found. [was also in Company 43, 2d Battalion, Veteran Reserve Corps]
Peter Yochin/Yokum, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865

Co K 14

#William Cockburn, 1st Sergt, G 114th, promoted 2d Lieut. 28 Dec 1864, mustered out 7 July 1865.
Shannon Clements, Sergt, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
James L. McClure, Sergt, K 114th, to F 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
George P. Cline, K 114th, to B 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
#Martin Cockran, K 114th, mustered out 10 June 1865 at New Orleans, LA
Michael Kauffman, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
William Koerber, K 114th, to C 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
Solomon Lightcap, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 [No further info]
George Parcher, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 21 Oct 1865
William S. Rickey, K 114th, to C 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 23 Oct 1865
Alfred N. Shaw, K 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 **died of disease 9 Sept 1865. [died at Houston TX and buried at Victoria, TX. Most were moved to Alexandria LA, but Alfred is not listed there.]**
Charles Shott/Schott, K 114th, to E 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 14 Oct 1865
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Hubert [Hubbard] D. Stevens, K 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866
James Wilson, K 114th, to D 48th 24 July 1865 mustered out 9 May 1866

The transfer to the 114th OVI took place the 27th of November 1864. **After that date the 114th participated in the Siege of Mobile, Alabama 26 March to 9 April 1865 and the battle of Fort Blakeley, Alabama, 2-9 April 1865.**

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"The colors of the 120th Ohio were presented the State this evening, by the committee appointed for that purpose. Speeches were made by Governor Brough and Lieutenant Colonel Slocum." [The colors are housed at the Ohio Historical Society in Columbus, OH.]

[Ohio State Journal (Columbus OH), 6 Jan 1865, page 2]

"The 120th O. V. I. In our yesterday's issue we briefly referred to the fact that the tattered and war worn colors of the noble 120th, were presented to the State by Lieut Col. Slocum. The history of this gallant regiment is a peculiar one, and contains material for volumes of future history. In December, 1862 it took an important part, under the command of Col. French, in the battle of Chickasaw Bayou near Vicksburg, drawing the first fire of the enemy and nobly sustaining the reputation of the sons of Ohio in coolness and bravery under a galling fire. For two days, the 120th was detailed to support the 9th Michigan and 1st Wisconsin Batteries, during which time it lost heavily. On the 11th of January, 1863, it was the first to charge the rebel fortifications at Arkansas Post, and was the first regiment to plant its colors on that stronghold.

Having the advance in Grant's campaign through Mississippi, it took part in every battle, and on each occasion covered itself with glory. Lieut. Col. Spiegel succeeded Col. French in command, after the battle of Arkansas Post, and remained in that position with marked ability until severely wounded by a shell at Jackson Miss., on the 12th of July, 1863, when Lieut Col. Slocum assumed command. In ascending Red River in May, 1864, the boat on which the 120th embarked was fired into by the enemy, and suffered terribly in killed and wounded, -?231? men and officers being the loss on that occasion. Here Col. Spiegel was killed, after which Lieut Col. Slocum assumed command, and by getting the boat worked over to the opposite shore, succeeded in saving ?155 men with their guns. By dint of terrible marching through an enemy's country, this body of brave men finally reached the federal lines and were safely quartered among friends. After its terrible experience by land and water the glorious 120th found itself reduced to less than 100 men, when it was consolidated with the 114th O. V. I. Our word for it, that wherever the brave boys of the old 120th may be found, there will be a record for bravery which would cause the veins of an Alexander to thrill with envy!"

[Commemorative Biographical Record of the Fox River Valley Counties of Brown, Outagamie and Winnebago, J. H. Beers & Company, 1895, pp 470-472.]

[pg 471]"Upon rejoining his regiment at New Orleans, January 7, 1865, Capt. Baer found it consolidated into two companies and assigned to the One Hundred and Fourteenth O. V. I., his company receiving the letter 'K.' Joining Gen. Steele at Pensacola, Fla., he was detailed as acting aide-de-camp on the General's staff, and served with him during the Florida campaign. With two companies, being the remnant of the One Hundred and Twentieth Regiment, he charged the enemy's works at Fort Blakeley, Ala., capturing their main line and taking possession of the village, a portion of his men carrying axes, in place of rifles, with which to cut away the obstructions they [pg 472]encountered. From that point the command proceeded to Mobile [AL], and joined the division of Gen. C. C. Andrews. In June, 1865, they were sent to Texas, and Capt. Baer was appointed ordnance officer of the District of Texas, serving on the staffs of both Gen. Andrews and Gen. Joseph A. Mower until his discharge. His position was a difficult and responsible one, as all arms were turned over to him while the troops were being discharged."

The Ashland Union, 1 Feb 1865, page 3:

"Lieut. J. P. Van Nest of Co. 'F,' 120th Reg't O. V. I., will leave for his post on the 8th of February. Persons desirous of sending letters or packages to their friends in the Regiment, can do so by leaving them at the Miller House in Ashland."

Adjutant, 114th Regiment, John Summerfield Petty, April 1865

[Co C Private 120th>Sergt. Major>1st Lieut.>Adjutant>Adjutant 114th OVI]

Letter to his niece:

"In the Trenches Near **Blakely Ala,**

My Dear Niece Ellie

I know that Ma and all are very anxious to hear from me & I will pencil a short letter to you & relieve the unpleasant suspense if I can escape the shells & minnies long enough to do so.

The column to which my regiment is attached moved from Pensacola Fla. March 20th and after 14 days of the severest marching we reached here where we find the enemy strongly fortified and supported in their works by a gun boat which throws shells of a heavy caliber over our outmost camps. The first day we got here (Sunday April 2nd) we advanced on the enemy's works & threw out our skirmishers quite close to their entrenchments and since then we have dug advanced rifle pits and have had very warm work.

We have not yet got my heavy guns in position & must lie & hear the thunders of their artillery whilst our only reply is with the saucy crack of the sharpshooters trying to pick off the gunners - but not so with our troops a few miles below - who are heavily bombarding the 'Spanish Fort' - which is the key to Mobile - and our force must take that & thus get the gun boats over the bar so as to destroy the enemy's fleet that is above Mobile. If you look on the war map you will see Blakely located on the Tensaw river a few miles above Mobile & connected with it by water. The enemy have a pretty strong fort here and a good line of entrenchments - and as soon as our boats can get up we expect to charge these works & we feel confident that we can take them - though there must be a sacrifice of some lives. We have not had many casualties so far - only two new wounded in our regiment. We are not now much exposed except where they throw shells over us - the rifle balls cannot hit us unless we are standing up or are required to go to the rifle pits in front - which is every night & morning.

I have not got a letter from Ma or Aunt Susan for a long time.

I do not know whether I can send this letter to you or not but I will try - & that is all I can do.

I can't write a long letter now as I have no conveniences - I am lying on the ground with my overcoat to lean on while I am writing - & the bullets & shells are often whistling inquiringly around. Give my love to Miss Mary, Miss Ann, Miss Bernarda and to all who ask after me.

Write to me often - I can get your letters if you cannot get mine.

I am very Affectionately

Your Uncle.

Summerfield To Ellie

Address

Adjutant 114th O. V. I.

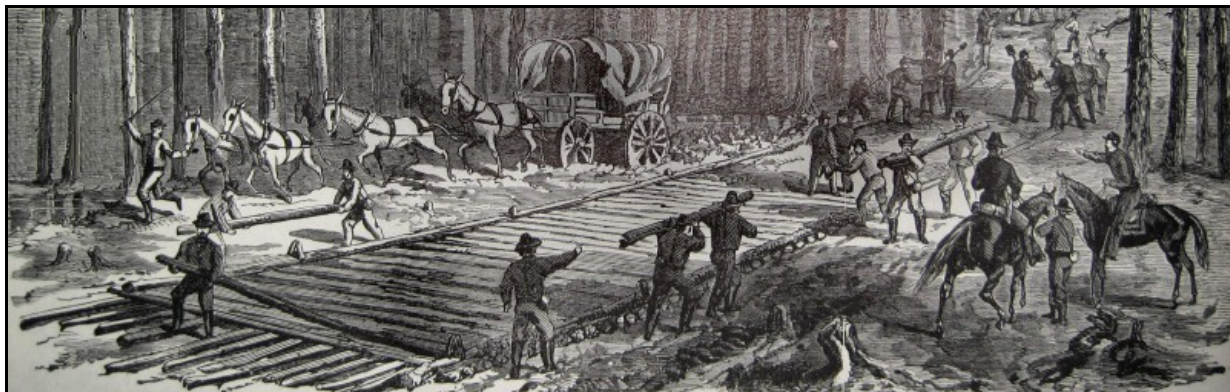
3rd Brig. 2nd Division, 13th [Note: Army Corps].

Near Mobile Ala.

Barr, Richard [Co F 120th] ... Transferred to Co. E 114th OVI on 27 Nov 1864. Wounded 9 Apr 1865, battle of Ft. Blakeley, AL.

Hardesty's Historical and Geographical Encyclopedia, New York, H. H. Hardesty & Co, 1885, for Richland Co OH...original available at the Ohio Historical Society. There is also a version of the soldier's biographies extracted from the above Hardesty's that has been published by the Richland County Genealogical Society, 1998 called Richland County, Ohio Civil War Veterans.

In the biography of **Alfred Wilson**: "...At the last named place [Blakely] they came upon the enemy April 1st, and conducted a siege during nine days, a large part of which time their rations consisted of one cracker a day. To such straits were they reduced that on one occasion Mr. Wilson gladly scraped up kernels of corn left by a horse and ate them."



Sketch from the book Battles and Commanders of the Civil War : a graphic and pictorial history prepared directly from the government records in the Departments of War and Statistics, by Frank Leslie and Marcus J. Wright, 1902 and 1906

Hardesty's Historical and Geographical Encyclopedia, New York, H. H. Hardesty & Co, 1885, for Richland Co OH: (**Moses Andrews** biography page 482) [At Alexandria] "Here they remained performing picket duty for a week, and then went to Carrollton, on the Mississippi river above New Orleans, thence **by rail to Lake Ponchartrain. They took transports across the lake and marched via Pensacola, Florida, to Fort Blakely, Alabama. They were obliged to build a corduroy road for the passage of their wagons on this march. [See image]** After a siege lasting a week they charged on Fort Blakely and captured the fort with many prisoners. This was the last engagement of the war. They were then transported to **Galveston**, Texas, and thence to **Houston**, Texas, where they were finally discharged October 14, 1865."

Hardesty's Historical and Geographical Encyclopedia, New York, H. H. Hardesty & Co, 1885, for Richland Co OH (**Robert W. Bell** biography page 482) "They then went to Blakely and opened the siege on the fort, which they captured at the end of one week, with the loss of but one man."

Hardesty's Historical and Geographical Encyclopedia, New York, H. H. Hardesty & Co, 1885, for Richland Co OH (**George A. Flaharty** biography page 483) "...marched across the country to Blakely Alabama. They began a siege of the fort of that name, and at the end of seven days charged upon the fort and captured it with two thousand seven hundred prisoners. **This engagement occurred on the 25th of April, 1865, after Lee had surrendered, and may be said to be the last battle of the war.** They went from Fort Blakely up the Alabama river to Shelby, thence to Mobile, Alabama, and camped for six weeks. On the 16th of June, 1865, they were transported to Galveston, Texas, and after four weeks moved to Houston, Texas, where they were mustered out of service October 14, 1865...." [Lee surrendered 9 April 1865]

On **24 July 1865** many of the men transferred into the 48th O. V. V. I.

[History of the **Forty-Eighth Ohio Vet. Vol. Inf.**.....by John A. Bering and Thomas Montgomery, 1880]

Page 187 "On the 2d day of August [1865], a portion of the Regiment embarked and proceeded to Houston, Texas, by way of Buffalo Bayou. The remaining companies followed soon after, by way of Trinity river. Arriving at Houston, we relieved the 34th Iowa, who were to be mustered out."

"The Regiment was now sent by companies to various towns on the railroads running into Houston. Capt. Cochran, with Company C, was stationed at Columbia, on the Brazos river, 85 miles from Houston. While stationed there they buried [page 188] the brother of President Johnson, who had been fatally injured while boating. The company also lost two of its men from malarial fever.

During the summer the Regiment suffered from **break-bone fever**, causing many to be sick. At one time it was difficult to provide guards for duty. It was not, however, fatal to any of them.

On the 28th of October, we were relieved from duty at Houston, and ordered to relieve the 24th Ind. Vet. Vols. from duty at **Galveston**, who were then being mustered out of service. In due time we reached Galveston, and took possession of their comfortable quarters.

From the time the Regiment returned to Galveston, in October, 1865, until our muster-out, we performed all kinds of garrison duty, and the officers were more or less on detached service, but we were not well satisfied with our situation or treatment, for we felt that we were detained in the service longer than was actually necessary. In fact, many expressed themselves in such a way as to [page 189] leave no doubt of the feelings of the Regiment."

[Note: page 88 A to Zax dictionary, by Barbara Jean Evans, 1995] "Dengue Known also as **break-bone fever**. A tropical fever, described as early as 1780. The fever was complicated by pains characteristically in the joints and extremities, but is seldom life threatening. We now know that it is caused by a virus transmitted by a type of mosquito. Also called dandy."]

"Flag of the Harriet Lane. Apropos of the capture of the Harriet Lane, as described in the history of the rebellion now running in The National Tribune, Comrade **J. W. Bricker writes from Smithville, O.:** 'The 114th Ohio got into Galveston, Tex., in **June, 1865**. The Buckeye soldiers

were looking over the town, and found what they understood to be a rebel Signal corps office where there were many flags on shelves. **David L. Hoff, of Co. H, 120th Ohio, was at that time in the 114th, his regiment having been used up on an expedition up Red River in May, 1864.** In the supposed rebel signal room Comrade Hoff picked up a large and beautiful United States flag, which was labeled, '**Colors of the Harriet Lane, captured Jan. 1, 1863,**' as told in the history of the rebellion. He said, 'I guess I will take this for my share,' and carried it away with him. He displayed the flag on numerous occasions at his home in Smithville, O., but where it is now I do not know, Comrade Hoff having been for some years at the National Military Home.' " [David Hoff died in 1918.] [The [Harriet Lane](#) was captured at the Battle of Galveston, 1 Jan 1863.]

[Published in The National Tribune, 5 Apr 1906, page 3.]

[Published in Houston Tri-Weekly Telegraph, 4 Aug 1865, page 3, available at GenealogyBank]
"The steamer Ruthven brought four companies of the 48th regiment from Galveston. The balance of the regiment will be here in a few days and relieve the 34th Iowa boys."

[Published in Houston Tri-Weekly Telegraph, 27 Oct 1865, page 5, available at GenealogyBank]
"We learn that the 48th Ohio regiment, stationed in this city for some time past, has been ordered to proceed to Galveston, and there relieve one of the regiments whose term of enlistment has expired. The Ohio boys have always endeavored to do their duty since they have been here, and have managed to get along very well with our citizens, and we regret to part with them. We have not yet learned whether there will be a change in the Provost Marshal's office, but hope not, for Capt. McCafferey [Co D 48th] has given entire satisfaction to our citizens since he has held that responsible position. The Captain belongs to the 48th Ohio regiment, and may probably have to accompany it to Galveston. We trust that as long as troops are placed among us, that we may always have as good soldiers as the Ohio boys have been. They will depart for Galveston in a day or two, most of whom, probably, will bid a final adieu to this city."

[Houston Tri-Weekly Telegraph, 18 Oct 1865, page 7, available at GenealogyBank]

This must refer to those who had been with the 114th?

"The remnant of the 120th Ohio regiment, about 140 strong, were mustered out of service yesterday, in this city. They will depart for their homes in Ohio, as soon as transportation can be provided."

Most of the 120th men mustered out of the 48th in October, 1865 at Houston. Others mustered out in May 1866 at Galveston.

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