

Company B, 120th OVI

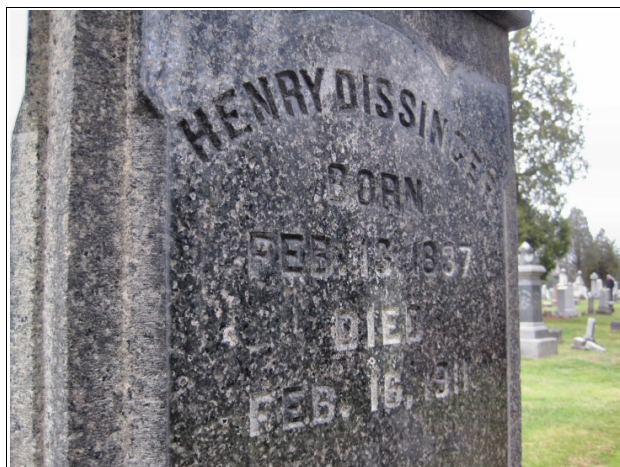


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DISSINGER, Henry 13 Aug 1863

Private Dissinger was 25 when he entered service. He was transferred to Co. E 114th OVI 27 Nov 1864. Transferred to Co D, 48th OVI on 24 July 1865. Mustered out 9 May 1866.

Henry, for a man who was listed as unable to read and write and listed as being under par intellectually in the census, you made it through the whole war and served your country! Thanks, Henry.

Father: John DISSINGER

Mother: Mary WAGONER

Birth: 13 Feb 1837, Summit Co Ohio

Marriage: Single

Death: Feb 16 1911 at Canal Fulton, Lawrence Twp, Stark Co OH.

Cemetery: Manchester Cemetery, Summit county, West Nimisilla Rd. in Franklin Twp, row 17, old section, parents are also buried there.

Not in Pension Index.

Not on Headstone Applications.

1850 Census, Franklin Twp, Summit Co OH, Dwelling 2848, Family 2871: John DISSINGER Jr., age 44 PA, farmer; Mary, age 33 PA; Caroline E, age 14 OH; Leah, age 9 OH; Henry, age 12 OH; [next page]John M, age 6 months OH. Living in the next dwelling are John DISSINGER age 76 PA, farmer and Elizabeth??? DISSINGER, age 73 PA.

1860 census: Franklin Township, Summit county OH: John DISSINGER age 55 born PA, a farmer; Mary age 43, born PA; Henry age 22 born OH, occupation None; Leah age 19, a domestic, John W age 10, and Hiram age 4 all born in OH

1870 Census: Franklin Township, Summit County OH: John DISSINGER, age 64, a farmer, born PA; Mary age 52, PA; Henry age 32 OH, no occupation given; William, age 20 OH, a telegrapher; Hiram age 16 OH. Henry is listed as unable to read and write and is listed as "idiotic."

1880 Census Manchester, Summit County, OH: John DISSINGER, age 74 PA, a retired farmer; Mary, age 63 PA; Henry, age 43 OH, no occupation listed; William age 29 OH, no occupation listed. Nothing is listed for

1900 Census: Canal Fulton, Lawrence Township, Stark County OH: Hiram DISSINGER, age 44 born Mar 1856 in OH, a physician, parents born in PA; Henry, his brother, age 62, born Oct 1837 in OH, parents born PA, no occupation given. A servant, Delila Davidson, was living with them.

The question is, why does it appear that he was never employed, yet was accepted into the military. The 1910 census says he was not able to read and write.

In 1910 Henry is 70 and still living with his brother Hiram in the village of Canal Fulton on Canal Street. He is single. It says he is NOT able to read and write.

1920 Census, Hiram is still living in Canal Fulton.

Listed under DIPINGER because of old style script writing of the double S.

Death record in Ohio: File # 1463 or 21463 Henry DISSINGER died Feb 16 1911 at Canal Fulton, Lawrence Twp, Stark Co OH. He was born 13 Feb 1837 in Summit Co OH. Single. Retired. Father John DISSINGER, born Lancaster Co PA. Mother Mary WAGONER, born Franklin Co PA. Burial Manchester Cem. Informant Hiram DISSINGER of Canal Fulton OH.

Brother Hiram is buried at Canal Fulton Cemetery or Union cemetery, Lawrence Twp, wife Delilah Canal Fulton Cemetery, Stark Co OH.

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