

## Company D, 120<sup>th</sup> Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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BUKER, Levi 22 Aug 1862      Levi BUCHER  
Private Buker was age 18 when he entered service. He was discharged 6 Jan 1864 at New Orleans, Louisiana on a Surgeon's certificate of disability.

Father:

Mother:

Birth: 11 May 1846 [Grave Registration card]

Marriage: Olive Samantha HORNER 21 Aug 1873 in Holmes County OH

Death: 2 May 1905 [Grave Registration card] or 1906

Cemetery: Fredericksburg, East side cemetery, Wayne county OH

Pension index: Levi BUCHER, D 120th OH Inf.    Widow, Samantha Buker, applied 7 May 1906, Application 848429, Certificate 617602, filed in Ohio.    Invalid pension applied for in 1866 Aug 17, Application 113730, Certificate 247125.

????1850 Census, Coventry, Summit Co OH, Dwelling 1898, Family 1920: Mary BUCHER, age 44 PA; William, age 22 OH; Edwin, age 6 OH; Levi, age 4 OH.

1860 Census, Baughman Township, Wayne County OH: Levi BAKER age 14 OH, living with Enoch and Mary WILLFORD. He had attended school in the past year.

1870 Census, East Union Township, Wayne County OH: Levi BUKER, age 24 OH, famer, living with Robert and Jennie COOK.

Holmes County Probate Court records: Levi BUCHER married Samantha HORNER 21 Aug 1873 in Holmes County OH.

1880 Census in Franklin twp, Wayne, OH, page 194 : Levi BUKER, age 34 OH, farm hand, father born PA, mother born OH; Olive, wife, age 28 OH, parents born OH; John, son, age 4 OH, parents born OH.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Salt Creek, Wayne Co OH: Line 10, House 157, Family 164: Levi BUKER, Pvt, Co D 120 OH Inf.    Pots Office: Fredericksburg, OH.

1900 Census, Salt Creek Township, Wayne County OH, page 62: [note: Fredericksburg is in that area of Wayne County] Levi BUCHER, age 54 OH, born May 1846, married 26 yrs, a farmer, parents born unknown; Olive, wife, age 41 OH, born June 1859, married 26 years, [does not list number of children] parents born OH; John, son, age 24 OH, born March 1876 single, farm laborer, parents born OH; Harry, age 17 OH, born July 1882, at school; Levi, son, age 15 OH, born May 1885, at school; there is a boarder living there named Flora PHILLIPS. [Note: The years married in the 1900 census agree with the marriage year of 1873.]

Family Search: Ohio, Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997: Levi BUCHER died 2 May 1906 at Salt Creek, Wayne Co OH. Age 59. Born<1847> at Salt Creek. Farmer. Married.

Bucher, Levi 1846-1906 buried at Fredericksburg, East cemetery, Wayne county OH.

1910 Census, Salt Creek Twp, Wayne County OH, page 280: John BUCHER, age 33 OH, first marriage, married 7 yrs, parents born OH, farmer; Flora B, wife, age 44 OH, first marriage, married 7 yrs, 1 child/0 still living, parents born OH; Samantha, mother age 57 OH, widow, 8 children/3 still living, parents born OH, has own income; Harry, brother, age 27 OH, single, parents born OH, laborer at odd jobs; Levi, brother, age 23 OH, single, parents born OH, laborer at odd jobs.

Wife, Family Search Death Record in Ohio: File #54991, Mrs. Olive S. BUCHER died at Holmesville, Prairie Twp, Holmes Co OH on 30 Sep 1927. Widow of Levi BUCHER. Born 11 Jun 1852 at Holmes Co OH. Father Chas HORNER born OH. Mother Margaret SUTTLE, born OH. Burial Fredericksburg, OH. Informant Harry BUCHER of Holmesville OH.

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