

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

WEAVER, John 22 Sept 1862

Private Weaver was age 42 when he entered service. He was discharged 27 Sept 1863 at New Orleans, Louisiana on a Surgeon's certificate of disability.

Father:

Mother:

Birth: <1820>Lancaster Co PA

Marriage: Rebecca WEBER 22 Feb 1844, at Caernarvon, Berks Co PA.

Death: Oct 14, 1863 Died at Vicksburg, MS.

Cemetery: ???????

Wife Rebecca, mother of Isaac, is buried in Rice [New Pittsburg] Cemetery, Wayne Co OH. [Rebecca Weaver](#) died 25 May 1900

Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865: John WEAVER, Pvt, Co D 120 OH Inf, died 14 Oct 1863 at General Hospital No. 2 Vicksburg, Miss. Cause: congestive febris. Note written in that he was discharged from the service at Marine General Hospital in New Orleans LA 27 Sep 1863.

Not on Burial Registers, Military Posts and National Cemeteries, 1862-1960

Not on National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962

Not on Headstone Applications.

Pension Index: John WEAVER, Co D 120th OH Inf. Filed 18 Jan 1864, Application 43079, Certificate 81207, by widow, Rebecca WEAVER

1850 Census, Milton Twp, Ashland Co OH, Dwelling 166, Family 166: John WEAVER, age 30 PA, shoemaker; Rebecca, age 30 PA; Jacob, age 5 PA; James M, age 4 PA; Samuel, age 1 OH.

1860 Census Chester Twp, Wayne county, OH, page 327: John Weaver, age 40 PA, a shoemaker; Rebecca, age 40, PA; Jacob H, age 15 PA, apprentice shoemaker; James M, age 13 PA; Daniel, age 11 OH; Isaac, age 9 OH; Samuel, age 7 OH; John, age 5 OH

Sons and widow: 1870 Census, Chester Twp, Wayne County OH, page 69 : Daniel WEAVER, age 20 OH, grocer; Rebecca, age 50 PA; Isaac, age 18 OH, day laborer; John, age 15 OH, day laborer.

1880 Census, Series T9 Roll 1076, Chester Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 53 : Rebecca E, age 62 PA, parents born PA; Isaac, son, age 29 OH, stone mason, parents born PA; John, son, age 25 OH, laborer.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Chester Twp, Wayne Co OH: Line 9, House 334, Family 335: Rebecka WEAVER widow of John WEAVER, Pvt, Co D 120 OH Inf. Post Office: New Pittsburg, OH Disability: Died at Vicksburg, Miss. Widow pensioned 12 per month.

Son's Death Record in Ohio: File #52279, Daniel W. WEAVER, died 25 Aug 1928 at W. Buckeye St, West Salem, Wayne Co OH. Widowed. Wife Minerva. Retired farmer. Born 6 Aug 1849 in Ashland Co OH.

Parents, John WEAVER and Rebecca WEBER, born PA. Burial New Pittsburg Cemetery. Informant Arthur EVERT, of West Salem, OH.

Son's Death Record in Ohio: File # 1283, John WEAVER, died 7 Aug 1930 at 654 N. Palmer St, Wooster, Wayne Co OH. Married to Barbara WEAVER. Born 20 Mar 1855 in OH. Parents, John WEAVER and Ellen WEBER, born PA. Burial Pittsburg Cemetery. Informant Mrs. Roy ??GUILLIFORD?, of Wooster, OH. [Note: New Pittsburg Cemetery is also known as Rice Cemetery, Wooster, Wayne Co OH...on Rt 250, Ashland Rd, to the west of New Pittsburg OH.]

Widow's pension at fold3.com:

Rebecca WEAVER, post office address New Pittsburg, Wayne Co OH in 1864.

John Weaver was discharge 6 Oct 1863

"Surg. Gen. reports death in hosp. at Vicksburg, Miss. Oct 14, 1863 of congestive fever.

Certificate of disability shows discharge for 'confirmed phthisis and long-standing diarrhoea.'

Aff. of late Capt. that soldier was sound from enlistment to March 1863, when he contracted Camp fever in the line of duty, entered New Orleans hospital, was discharged, started home, and died at Vicksburg."

Certificate of marriage for John Weaver of Caernarvon Twp, Berks Co PA to Rebecca Webber of Lancaster Co PA. Married 22 Feb 1844, at Caernarvon, Berks Co PA. by James E. Wells, Justice of the Peace

On the Certificate of Disability for Discharge: John Weaver enlisted at Chester Twp, Wayne Co OH. Born Lancaster PA. Was 5'8.5" tall. Dark complexion. Black eyes and hair. Shoemaker.

Capt. Benjamin F. Miller, of Co D about John Weaver:

"...continued in the full discharge of his duties, as a soldier up to about March 1st 1863 at Youngs Point when and where he contracted diarrhea from ??? exposure incident to military and camp life which said disease soon assumed a chronic form and continued sick with said disease and unfit for duty most of the time during the march of the Regiment from Youngs Point to Black River Bridge near Vicksburgh when he was taken very sick with camp fever and sent to Marine Hospital New Orleans La in the month of August, '63. He was and became very much emaciated and entirely unfit for Service and by reason there of was discharged and started for home and got as far as Vicksburgh when he was taken much worse, and placed in the Hospital where as I am officially informed and believe, he died on the 14th day of October 1863 of the disease contracted in the U. S. Service as before stated."

George Hart was the attending physician at the birth of John and Rebecca's son, Isaac Weaver, at Wayne Co OH, 31 May 1851.

Catherine Miller affidavit that she was present at the birth of John and Rebecca's son, John Weaver in Wayne Co OH on 20 Mar 1855.

James M. Weaver was appointed guardian Aug 9, 1898 because the pensioner was an imbecile.

Pensioner Rebecca Weaver died 25 May 1900.

Request written to Bureau of Pensions by Harry J. Weaver, 21 Apr 1914. to get Revolutionary War information on soldier Christian Weaver; unnamed War of 1812 soldier who "only reached Baltimore"; and for John Weaver, Co D 120th OH Inf and says that John belonged to the PA Riflemen during the Mexican War, "but failed to reach Mexico before peace was declared." The letter writer, Harry, was from Cleveland OH. The heading on the letter was H. J. Weaver & Company, 3073 E. 116th St. There is a note on the letter that the office answered "in the Rev. War Section" on 24 Apr 1914. In one response letter it said, "there is nothing in the papers of said case indicating that said soldier served during the War with Mexico."