

Company E, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry

YERGAN, Amos* 9 Oct 1862

Private was age 18 when he entered service. He died on 28 July 1863 at Vicksburg, Mississippi. The Roll of Honor lists him as being buried at Vicksburg, Mississippi. [May have been in Co C, 86th OH Inf]

Father: John YERGIN died 1846

Mother: Susanna BACHER

Birth: <1844> OH

Marriage:

Death: 28 July 1863 at Vicksburg, MS

Cemetery: Vicksburg National Cemetery, MS [not listed] May be buried as an unknown.

Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865: Amos YEARGON, Private, Co E 120th OH Inf, died 29 July 1863 at Regiment Hospital. Cause: typo mal febris.

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

Not on National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962

Pension record: Amos YERGIN of Co E 120th OVI. Mother, Susan YERGIN, applied 19 May 1879, Application 245726, Certificate 202548. No state given.

Parents: ???Ohio Marriages: John YERGAN married Susan BEECHER, 29 Aug 1833, Wayne Co OH. [World Connect says 12 Aug 1832].

["Joseph and Sarah A. Harry Yergin Family Genealogy"](#): John Yergin, born May 17, 1810, Pennsylvania. He died August 22, 1846, Matamoros, Mexico in the Mexican War. He married Susannah Bacher, August 12, 1832, Wayne County, Ohio. The History of Wayne County Ohio by Ben Douglass lists on pp 759-760 the soldiers from Wayne County who went to fight in the Mexican War. John YERGEN was 36 years old.

Amos Yergan's father

[Wooster Democrat, 24 Sep 1846, page 3]

"Death of one of the Wooster Guards.-- We regret to hear of the death of one of the Volunteers from this county. John Yergan, a private in Capt. Moore's Wooster Guards died at Matamoros the latter part of August. This is the first death that has occurred in the company. Mr. Y. lived in Wayne township, where he has left a wife and six children. He was 36 years of age. The balance of the company, at the date of the last advices, were generally in good health."

World Connect: Amos' siblings were: Simon, Margaret, Cynthia, Rachel, Susan, and Elizabeth.

The father died in 1846 in the Mexican War.

1850 Census, Wayne Township, Wayne county Ohio, Dwelling 31, Family 31:

Susan YERGEN, age 38 OH, no occupation listed; Susan, age 7 OH; Amos, age 5 OH.

mother Ohio Marriages: Susan YERGIN married Chas. G. FICKES, 20 Apr 1851, Wayne Co OH. In 1860, they were living in Wooster, Wayne Co OH, Dwelling 162, Family 176, but Amos was not with them. Susan, age 47 OH. Charles, age 54 PA.

There is an Amos YERGAN listed in the 1860 census for Wooster Township, Wayne County OH. He is 13 years old, born in OH. He is listed with Jac [Jacob][28] and Synthia [22] DRINKHOUSE who are farming in that township.

mother Susan 1860 Census, Wooster, Wayne Co OH, Dwelling 162, Family 176: Chas VICKAS, age 54 PA, drayman; Susan, age 47 OH; [next page] Reason, male, age 8 OH; Tilly, age 4 OH; Mary, age 1 OH; Elizabeth, age 16 OH. [Elizabeth could be Elizabeth YERGAN, the soldier's sister.]

By 1880 Susan, the soldier's mother, is a widow again living with Reson FICKES in Cleveland, OH.

Not found on 1890 Veterans Schedule.

sister: Ohio, Deaths lists Susan E. FINAL, widow, died 12 May 1923 at Youngstown, Mahoning Co OH. Born 5 Feb 1842, Wooster, OH. Buried in Cleveland, OH. Father John YERGIN, born PA. Mother Susanna BACHER, born Wooster, OH.

sister Illinois, Deaths: Margaret Anna YERGIN died 2 Oct 1924, Chicago, Cook Co IL. Born 22 May 1836, Wooster OH. Burial Forest Home. Mother Susan BACHER, born Wooster OH. Father John YERGIN.

brother Michigan Marriages: Simon YERGIN, born 1835 OH married Marth A. Warner MCLANE born 1845 NY. Married on 13 Oct 1899 at Holton, Muskegon, MI. Simon's father: John YERGIN. Simon's mother, Susan BACHER.

The following is the Wayne county list of volunteers for the Mexican war:

AGE.	AGE.	AGE.
D. Moore, Captain..... 28	Jacob Fleckinger..... 24	Amos Chafee..... 30
P. Burkett, 1st Lieut... 38	Henry Geyer..... 19	Nathaniel Case..... 19
J. McMillen, 2d Lieut. 23	Robert Thompson..... 26	Uriah Fritts..... 21
Eli Botsford, S. Major. ...	Wilson M. Stanley..... 18	Charles B. Wood..... 22
F. M. Cooper..... 22	George Richard..... 24	Duayane W. Rouse..... 20
R. D. Emerson..... 22	Isaac Carpenter..... 18	John F. Brainard..... 29
John Lloyd..... 23	Thomas Taylor..... 18	John Merrit..... 19
John Craig..... 30	James A. Freeman..... 27	Jiles Shelden..... 19
Daniel Wickey..... 26	Eli B. Culbertson..... 23	Terry Harris..... 18
Jacob Ryan..... 21	Jacob Stall..... 22	Daniel Duck..... 19
J. B. Rambaugh..... 24	John Yergen..... 36	William Strunk..... 19

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AGE.	AGE.	AGE.
George Jenkins..... 19	Jesse Hess..... 21	Almon H. Powers..... 22
William H. Stouffer..... 19	J. E. Tweeig..... 25	W. V. Vannostren..... 22
Joseph Marsh..... 22	Abraham Bowers..... 24	William Deviney..... 24
J. C. Plumer..... 23	John Honn..... 22	James A. Lowry..... 20
James Armstrong..... 22	Jacob M. Crouse..... 26	M. H. Hemperly..... 32
Frederick Rice..... 20	William C. Atkinson... 23	John Leach..... 23
Barney Galvin..... 23	Charles Barrett..... 20	William Grow..... 33
Howard Fishburn..... 22	Josiah F. Coy..... 21	George Wachtel..... 20
Wilson Bower..... 20	L. C. Atkins..... 23	James R. Dye..... 18
Michael H. Hawk..... 25	William Moses..... 18	Abram Stavig..... 19
John O. Flanagan..... 22	John Sample..... 19	Albin Blakely..... 20
Homer Stanley..... 28	Alexander Corretson... 24	Oswald Sheeters..... 21
Jacob Bair..... 23	Samuel Fritts..... 22	George Fritzingier..... 21
James Crawford..... 20	Elijah Beach..... 26	Cyrus J. McCollum..... 20
George Reighley, Jr.... 30	Robert B. Lowry..... 33	Abraham Joliff..... 25
William Boyd..... 35	Andrew Goliff..... 18	A. C. Edmonds..... 19
Robert Craven..... 36	Michael Snyder..... 29	David F. Baits..... 21

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