

Company F, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



Photo Credit: Susie Holderfield for Burbank Cemetery where the older Henry is buried.

OVER, Henry 25 Aug 1862 [OVERS]

Private Over was age 37 when he entered service. He was transferred to Co. E 114th OVI on 27 Nov 1864. Mustered out 17 June 1865, at Fort Gaines, AL, by order of War Department.

Father:

Mother:

Birth: Jan 1829

Marriage: Lydia YORK/YEARICK, 20 Jan 1848, Ashland County OH

Death: 27 Dec 1901

Cemetery: Hazzard Cemetery....I went to Hazzard Cemetery on 15 June 2013 and could not find a stone for Henry and/or Lydia. That may be why the Civil War flag holder has been placed with the older Henry Over's stone at Burbank Cemetery.

Mistaken ID by Graves Registration cards: I did photograph the Henry Overs tombstone, died at age 82? yrs which is at Burbank Cemetery. The stone was very hard to read. Soldiers and Sailors site lists Henry Over and Henry Overs, but lists both men in the same Company F of the 120th OVI. The Wayne County Graves registration cards, on the other hand, lists Henry Overs [Co F, 120th OVI] as being in Hazzard Cemetery and Henry Over [Civil War, army/born 1798/died 12 May 1880] as being in Burbank Cemetery.

Although he was young [about 14], could he have been in the War of 1812? The Wayne county Grave Registration Card lists Mr. Henry Overs, no

dates, died Wayne county, Civil War Co F 120th OVI and soldier of War of 1812, buried at Hazzard Cemetery.

I think the two men are being confused here, or fused into one. At Soldiers and Sailors System there is only one Henry OVER/S listed. He is in Co F and has the two alternate spellings. Once again, I am thinking that the Graves Registration card may be mixing up two men. The older one was possibly in the War of 1812 and only the younger man was in the Civil War.

Pension Card: Henry OVER, Co F 120th OH Inf., Co E 114th OH Inf. Invalid applied 2 May 1878, Application 253983, Certificate 292596. Henry died 27 Dec 1901.

Marriages, Ashland County, Ohio by Raber, Nellie M: Henry OVER married Lydia YORK on 20 Jan 1848, Ashland County OH.

1850 Census, Perry Twp, Ashland Co OH, Dwelling 290, Family 290: Henry OVER, age 22 PA, shoemaker; Lydia, age 25 PA; William H, age 7 OH; John, age 3 OH; Sarah A, age 1 OH.

1860 Census, Series M653 Roll 930, Perry Twp, Ashland Co OH, page 221: Henry OVER, age 25 [should be 35] OH, shoemaker; Lydia A, age 35 OH; Rebecca, age 9 OH; Cyrus, age 4 OH; Mary E, age 3 OH; unnamed female, age 2 months OH; William H HETTINGER, age 15 OH; John HETTINGER, age 13 OH.

1870 Census, Perry Twp, Ashland Co OH, Dwelling 22, Family 21: Henry OBER, age 42 PA, shoemaker; Lydianna, age 44 PA; Rebecca A, age 18 OH; Lydia Anna, age 17 OH; Cyrus, age 14 OH; Mary E, age 13 OH; Emma D, age 10 OH; Eli C, age 3 OH.

1880 Census, Perry Township, Ashland County, OH, page 209: Henry OVER, age 52 OH, laborer, parents born PA; Lydia Ann, wife, age 55 PA, parents born PA; Emma S. daughter, age 19 OH; Eli Curtis, son, age 15 OH.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Congress, Wayne Co OH: Line 25, House 319, Family 331: Henry OVER, Pvt, Co E 114th OH Inf. Post Office: West Salem, Wayne Co OH. Disabilities, rheumatism, diarrhoea and blindness.

1900 Census Congress Twp, Wayne County OH, page 142, Dwelling 255, Family 266: Henry OVERS, age 71 PA, born in Jan 1829, married 52 yrs, parents born PA, farmer; Lydia, wife, age 73 PA, born May 1827, married 52 yrs, 10 children/5 still living, parents born PA; Cyrus, son, age 41 OH, single, born May 1859, farm laborer; Ida, grand daughter, age 16 OH, single, born June 1883, parents born OH.

Son Cyrus' death record in Ohio: File # 5611, Cyrus OVERS died 8 Feb 1909 at Ashland, Ashland Co OH. Married. Born 14 May 1855 at Perry Twp, Ashland Co OH. Day laborer. Father Henry OVERS, born PA. Mother Lida YEARICK, born Perry Twp, Ashland Co OH. Burial Ashland OH. Informant Mrs. Cyrus OVERS of Ashland Co OH.