

Company G, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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Behind this plant is the stone for William Jamison, 1844 – 1939.

JAMESON, William A. 16 Feb 1864

William, age 19, is listed in the Roster of Ohio Soldiers 1861-66 volume 8, page 262 as a private. He was captured 3 May 1864 near Snaggy Point on the Red River in Louisiana. He mustered out 8 July 1865 at Camp Chase OH by order of the War Department. [1890 vets schedule says gun shot wound left arm]

Father: Willett JAMESON

Mother: Delila POWER[S]

Birth: Dec 1844 KY

Marriage: 1Margaret A. FORD, 19 May 1867, Hartford, Ohio Co KY

2 Lou ???

Death: 25 Feb 1939, Rowan Co, KY, age 94 [KY Death Index]

Cemetery: Lee Cemetery, Morehead, Rowan Co KY

[Find a Grave](#): William A. JAMISON died 25 Feb 1939. Buried at Lee Cem, Morehead, Rowan Co KY. Second wife: Spouse Lou HOWARD [1880 – 1923]

Note: William Rittenhouse was the last of the 120th OVI soldiers to die. On 7 June 1938 there was a reunion at Wooster for the sons and daughters of the regiment at Wooster OH. At that reunion there were only two surviving veterans. They were William Rittenhouse of Ashland and William Jemison of Moorhead, KY. William Jemison died 25 Feb 1939. William Rittenhouse died 6 May 1939. [Plain Dealer - Cleveland OH, Wednesday, 8 June 1938, page 14 reported the reunion.]

Headstone application for William A. JAMISON, Pvt, Co G 120th OH Regiment, died 25 Feb 1939, Christian, Birthplace Canada, Residence OH, enlisted 16 Feb 1864, discharged 18 July 1865, Pension number XC 2576,462, Lee Cemetery, stone shipped to Lane Funeral Home, Morehead Rowan Co KY.

Kentucky, Death Records: William A. JAMISON, died 1939, Morehead, Rowan Co KY, spouse Lou Howard Jemison.

????1850 Census, District No 2, Franklin Co KY, Dwelling 168, Family 168: Willett JAMIESON, age 29? KY, farmer; Delilah, age 28 KY; William, age 7 KY; Arnett, age 7 KY; Ellen, age 3 KY; John H, age one KY; George A. POWER, age 66 PA, shoemaker. [Kentucky Marriages: William or Willet JAMISON married Delila POWERS on 2 Jan 1843 in Anderson, KY. Her father was Anderson POWERS. Kentucky Births: Willet JIMMERSON and Delila POWER had a male child in Anderson KY on 18 Jun 1853.]

??1860 Census, District No 2, Leesburg PO, Harrison Co, KY, Dwelling 539, Family 539: John JAMERSON, age 36 KY, farmer; Arabell, age 26 KY; James, age 3 KY; John, age 1 KY; Wm, age 16 KY, farm hand.

1860 Census, Cancy Dist, Ohio Co KY, Dwelling 918, Family 918: Wm JIMERSON, age 40 KY, farmer; Delila, age 38 KY; William T, age 15 KY; Arnet B [male], age 13 KY; James A., age 11 KY.

Married <1867> Kentucky Marriages: William JAMISON married Margaret A. FORD on 19 May 1867 at Hartford, Ohio Co KY.

1870 Census, Hartford # 9 Pct, Ohio Co KY, Dwelling 95, Family 95: William JAMISON, age 25 KY, farmer; Margaret A, age 21 KY; Sarah E, age 2 KY; Nancy D, age 11 months KY, born July 1869; Henry O. ?FELINE, age 25 KY, farmer; Annie FOX, age 18 TN, cook.

1880 Census, Rosine, Ohio Co KY, Dwelling 255, Family 256: William JAMISON, age 36 born in KY, a farmer. His father was born in VA and his mother in KY. Wife Margaret A. age 31 b. KY with her parents both being born in KY. Children: Sarah E. age 13, Nancy D. age 10, Laura L. age 9, Ann J. age 7, William age 5, and Amanda age 1. All the children were born in KY.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Milton Twp, Ashland Co OH: Line 34, House 222, Family 222: William A. JEMISON, Co G 120th OH Inf. Mustered out 8 July 1865. Post office: Ashland OH. Disability chronic diarrhoea. Gun shot would left arm. 13 months prisoner of war camp in TX.

1900 Census, Rosine town, Horse Branch Pct, Ohio Co KY, pg 161, Dwelling 44, Family 44, Willis [Willie] JAMISON, age 55 KY, born Dec 1844, married 33 yrs, farmer; Margret, wife, age 51, born Jan 1849, married 33 yrs, parents born KY; Annie J, daughter, age 36 KY, single, born Sep 1873; Amanda E, daughter, age 20 KY, single, born July 1879; George W., son, age 17 KY, single, born June 1882?, single, farm laborer.

1910 Census, Horse Branch [District 5], Ohio Co KY, Family 1: William T. JAMISON, age 66 KY, farmer, parents born KY, first marriage, married 42 yrs, Column 30 marked Un [Union]for military service; Margaret A., wife, age 61 KY, parents born KY, first marriage, married 42 yrs, 8 children/7 still living.

1920 have not found

??1930 Census, Cromwell, Ohio Co KY, T626, Roll 773, Family 170: W. C. MYERS, age 52; Anna, age 57; Margrette, age 17; Alma, age 13; father-in-law, Will JAMISON, age 86.

At the June 1938 Reunion of the 120th OVI Willam Jemison, age 94 of Moorehead (Morehead, Rowan KY) KY was in attendance. He was one of only 2 survivors of the 120th in that year. [The other soldier was William Rittenhouse, age 95, of Ashland OH.] Jameson held the record for the past 3 years of the reunion having four generations of his family present at the reunion.

William A Jamison died 25 Feb 1939.

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