

Company H, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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COLE, William H. 21 Aug 1862 William Henry COLE
William, age 25, is listed in the Roster of Ohio Soldiers 1861-66 volume 8, page 263 as a Corporal, appointed 1 Jan 1864; he mustered out 7 July 1865 at Columbus OH.

Father: John COLE
Mother: ?Harriet ???
Birth: Oct<1838> OH
Marriage: Mary Jane BOULTON on 11 Oct 1861
Death: 15 Apr 1918 at St. Joseph MI
Cemetery: Riverview Cemetery, Saint Joseph, Berrien Co MI
Relationship: Son of John COLE of Co H 120th OVI

Headstone Application for military Veterans, 1925-1963: Upright marker, William H. COLE, Corporal Co H 120th OH Inf. Died 15 Apr 1918. Royalton Heights Cemetery, St. Joseph, Michigan. Sent to Dan W. MATHER, Service Officer and Graves Registration, St. Joseph Post 163 American Legion, 703 Lake Blvd, St. Joseph Michigan. Dated 19 Sep 1939. Shipped from Mass. 16 Dec 1939.

Pension Index: William H COLE, H 120th and K 114th OH Inf. Invalid pension in Michigan 1888 Sept 22, Application 673077, Certificate 447352. Pension Card: William died 16 Apr 1918 at St. Joseph MI.

1850 Census, Pulaski Twp, Williams County, OH, page 87: John COLE, age 39 PA, brickmaker; Harriet, age 31 OH; William, age 13 OH; Mary, age 8 OH; Margaret age 6 OH; Edward MEEK, age 4 OH; George MEEK, age 37 OH, no occupation.

1860 Census Worthington Township, Richland County OH, page 181: John COLE [see above], age 50 PA, a farmer; Drusilla, age 38 OH; William, age 21 OH, farm laborer; Margaret, age 17 OH, domestic; Sarah, age 3 OH; Nancy, age 9 months OH. Also living there was James LOWRY, age 13 OH.

Richland County Marriages: William H. COLE married Mary Jane BOULTON on 11 Oct 1861.

1870 Census, Royalton, Berrien County, MI, page 381: William COLE, age 33 OH, farmer; Mary, age 30 OH; Irene, age 8 MI; Emma, age 3 OH; also living there was William SNELL, age 23 NY, laborer; William DAVIDSON, age 46 OH, laborer.

1880 Census, Royalton, Berrien Co MI, Dwelling 27, Family 32: Henry COLE, age 41 OH, farmer, father born PA, mother born PA; Mary J, age 38 OH, wife, father born VA, mother born OH; Rena, daughter, age 17 OH; Emma, daughter, age 12 MI; John, son, age 5 MI; Rufus WINCHELL, servant, age 21 MI, farm laborer, parents born PA.

1900 Census, 814 Wisconsin Ave, 4th Ward St. Joseph, Berrien Co MI, Dwelling 258, Family 282: Henry COLE, boarder, born Oct 1837?, age 62 OH, widower, father born PA, mother born OH, a hostler.....living in the household of Anna FERGESON with her son George B. and grandson, Guy SHERMAN.

1910 Census, 800 River St, St. Joseph Ward 2, Berrien Co MI, Dwelling 100, Family 103: Henry COLE, age 73 OH, widowed, parents born OH; Iren M. WAID, daughter, age 37 OH, divorced, 0 children, parents born OH. Column 30 not marked for military service.

Michigan, Deaths and Burials: William H. COLE died 15 Apr 1918 at St. Joseph, Berrien Co MI, age 80, born 1838 OH, retired, widowed. Father John Cole. Mother unknown.

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