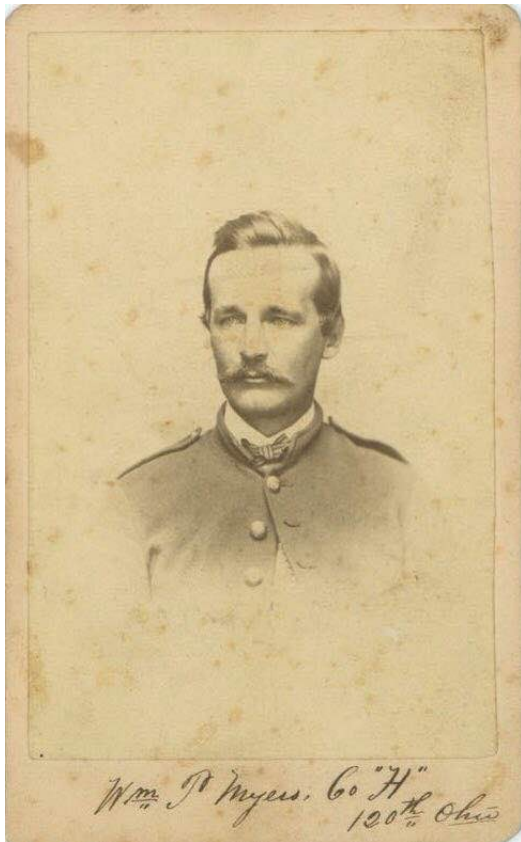


Company H, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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MYERS, William P 13 aug 1862 William Penn
MYERS William, age 26, is listed in the Roster of Ohio Soldiers 1861-66 volume 8, page 265 as a Private. Transferred to Co. K, 114th OVI on 27 Nov 1864. Transferred to Company F 48th OVI, 24 July 1865. [Corporal] Mustered out 14 Oct 1865.

Father: Joseph MYERS
Mother: Susanna WENGER
Birth: 5 Jan 1836
Marriage: Julia BRICKER, 26 Dec 1865, Wayne Co OH-
Death: 7 Apr 1904, Mogado, Summit Co OH
Cemetery: Greenwood Cemetery, Mogadore, Springfield Twp, Summit Co, OH
Relationship: Brother of Menno and Joseph MYERS of Co H, 120th OVI

Pension Index: William P MYERS, H 120th, K 114th, and F 48th OH Inf. Invalid filed 25 May 1889, Application 706356, Certificate 804293, filed in OH. Julia A MYERS filed for widow's pension in 2 June 1904, Application 807640, Certificate 587501, filed in OH.

1850 Census, Green Twp, Wayne Co OH: Joseph and Susanna Myers; Louisa (23), Maria (21), Francis W. (Male age 19), John (16), William P. (14), Joseph (13), Menno S., age 6, and Susan E. (4). Everyone in the family was born in PA. [Ohio Death Record for Francis W MYERS died 25 Mar 1912 at Mogadore Village, Summit Co OH. Born 4 Dec 1830 in PA. Father Joseph MYERS. Mother Susan WINZER.]

1860 Census, Series M 653 Roll 1050, Green Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 37: Joseph MYERS, age 56 PA, farmer; Susan, age 50 OH; Menno, age 14 OH; Susannah, age 12 OH.

Next dwelling: Amos MYERS, age 28 OH, labourer; Catharine, age 24 OH; Minerva, age 1 PA; William, age 24 PA; Louisa, age 24 PA.

No discharge papers in Wayne county.

Family Search, Ohio, County Marriages, 1789-1994: William P. Myers married Julia Bricker 26 Dec 1865 in Wayne County OH, by N S Burton.

Julia Bricker may be the sister of [Joseph U. Bricker](#) of this Company.

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David says that William Penn Myers and Julia A. Bricker had the following children:

Myrtle (born and died 1868), Etta Mary (1870), Emma Jane (1872), Alice Blanch (1874), Lizzie (1871 died 1873), Pearl G. (1873), Sadie Belle (1875), John Bricker (1877), Joseph W. (1879 died 1879), Bertha Louise (1881). He has them all listed as being born in Smithville, Wayne county OH.

Thursday, 30 Jan 1868, Wooster Republican, pg3

"On Tuesday morning, January 21st, a little girl, seventeen months old, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Myers, was found dead. The child was well the previous evening, with the exception of a slight cold, and at 12 o'clock was still apparently well, sleeping sweetly. In the morning she was taken up lifeless. She was examined, but the cause of her death could not be explained, and there fore remains a mystery. Myrta was a sweet little babe, and leaves a void in the hearts of distressed parents and friends."

1870 Census, Series M 593 Roll 1280, Green Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 217: William MYERS, age 30 PA, farmer; Julian, age 26 PA; Etta May, age 2 OH; Emma J, age 10 months OH, born Aug 1869?. Also living there are Mary MARTIN, age 15 OH, house keeper and Henry MARTIN, age 17 OH, farm laborer.

1880 Census, Series T9 Roll 1059, Suffield Twp, Portage Co OH, page 424: Wm P MYERS, age 44 PA, potter, parents born PA; Julia A, wife, age 38 PA, parents born PA; Ettie M, daughter, age 12 OH; Emma J, daughter, age 11 OH; Alice B, daughter, age 9 OH; Pearl G, daughter, age 5 OH; Sadie B, daughter, age 4 OH; John B, son, age 2 OH.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Suffield, Portage Co OH: Line 25, House 204, Family 220: William P. MYERS, Corporal, Co F 48th OH Inf. Post Office: Mogadore, Portage Co OH.

William P Myers was living in Mogadore, Summit County, OH as reported at the 1900 Reunion of the 120th.

1900 Census, Springfield Twp, Summit County, OH, page 202: William P MYERS, age 64 PA, born Jan 1836, married 24 yrs, post master, parents born PA; Julia A, wife, age 58 PA, born May 1842, married 24 yrs, 8 children/6 still living, parents born PA; Alice B, daughter, age 29 OH, born feb 1871, single, school teacher; Pearl G, daughter, age 25 OH, born Oct 1874, single, school teacher; Bertha A, daughter, age 17 OH, born Apr 1883, single, P.O. Clerk; Amanda PAUL, sister-in-law, age 74 PA, born Mar 1826, widow, 0 children, parents born PA.

William P.'s parents are buried in Mogadore, Summit Co OH. His brother John lived in Mogadore in the 1850s and his oldest sister Louisa died there in 1900.

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Plain Dealer [Cleveland OH], Friday, 8 Apr 1904, page 5: "Postmaster at Mogadore Dead: Special to the Plain Dealer: Akron, O., April 7. - W. B.[sic] Myrs [sic], postmaster at Mogadore, died Wednesday night after a short illness. He was widely known throughout the county, and served for four years in the civil war as a member of the 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry."

The Ohio Civil War Veterans Grave Registration site lists William P. Myers as being buried in Summit County OH.

Sons of Union Veterans: Greenwood Cemetery, Mogadore, Springfield Twp, Summit County, OH. Born 1836. Died 1904.

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