

Company H, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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ORR, William M 15 Aug 1862

William, age 23, is listed in the Roster of Ohio Soldiers 1861-66 volume 8, page 265 as a Private. Discharged 5 Aug 1863, on Surgeon's certificate of disability.

In addition to the 120th, he served later on at age 25 in Company D 169th Regiment OVI which had a 100 day term from 2 May 1864 to 4 Sept 1864.

There are no discharge papers in Wayne County for William Orr.

Father: James ORR

Mother: Roseltha L. KENDRICK

Birth: Apr 1839

Marriage: Single

Death: 30 Apr 1928 at Milford, Seward Co, NE

Cemetery: Blue Mound Cemetery, Milford, Seward Co NE, Row 6 His sister Emily P BROWN was buried with him.

Pension Index: William M. ORR, D 169th and H 120th OH Inf. Invalid pension applied for on 6 Dec 1882, Application 466466, Certificate 846670, filed in Nebraska.

Pension Card: William died 30 Apr 1928 at Milford, NE.

1850 census in East Union Township Wayne County OH, page 212: James ORR, age 56 Ireland, farmer; Roselthea L, age 39 Vermont; Sarah A., age 22 OH; Joseph W, age 21 OH; James F, age 15 OH; Mary, age 13 OH; William M. , age 11 born in OH; Amanda, age 9 OH; Emily, age 7 OH; Cordelia, age 5 OH; Henry Clay, age 1 OH. [Parents: Wayne County Probate Court record: James ORR married Roseltha L. KENDRICK on 1 Dec 1833 in Wayne Co OH.]

1860 Census, Green Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 46: James ORR, age 67 Ireland, farmer; Roseltha ?, age 46 Maine; Sarah, age 36 OH; James, age 24 OH; Mary, age 22 OH; William, age 21. Amanda, age 19 OH; Emily, age 16 OH; Henry, age 11 OH; ?Belinda ALLEN, age 9 OH.

Not listed with parents in 1870 Census, Series M 593 Roll 120, Green Twp, Wayne Co OH, page 227: James ORR, age 79 Ireland, farmer; Rozelpha, age 52 PA, Henry C, age 21 OH; Ellen, age 18 OH.

??1870 Census, Series M 593 Roll 828, South Bend Precinct, Cass Co NE, page 165: Margt A. THOMAS, age 31 IA, farming; Lena, age 8 NE; Carrie, age 6 NE; William ORR, age 30 OH, farm laborer.

1880 Census, haven't found. ???Seward, Seward Co NE, page 528: William ORR, age 35 OH, single, boarder, lawyer.

1890 Veterans Schedule: Lincoln, Lancaster Co NE: Line 5, William ORR, Pvt, Co H 120th OH Inf: Post Office: Lincoln, Lancaster Co NE. Disability: chronic diarrhoea and rheumatism.

1900 Census: P, Street, 1st Ward Lincoln, Lancaster Co, NE, page 147: Wm M. ORR, age 61 OH, born Apr 1839, single, real estate agent, father born Ireland, mother born MA.....he was a lodger in the home of Francis? and Flora SKINNER.

1910 Census, South 11th Street, 1st Ward Lincoln, Lancaster Co, NE, page 6: William M. ORR, age 71 OH, single, lodger, father born Ireland, mother born MA, author and ?writer for publishing company.

1920 Census, 1st Ward Lincoln, Lancaster Co, NE, page 1: Wm M. ORR, age 80 OH, single, father born Ireland, mother born MA, writer.

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