

Company H, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry

Y | 120 | Ohio.
Yoder
Co. H, Co. H, 120 Reg't Ohio Infantry.
 Appears on Returns as follows:
Jan'y 1863. Absent sick left on
keep boat
Feb'y 1863. Lost Jan'y 27 on board
Miss. ...
** Appears also as Yoder*
 Book mark:
Horswell
 (546) Copyist.

Y | 120 | Ohio.
Yoder
Co. H, Co. H, 120 Reg't Ohio Infantry.
 Appears on
Company Muster Roll
 for *Jan. & Feb.*, 1863.
 Present or absent
 Stoppage \$ 100 for
 Due Gov't \$ 100 for
 Remarks: *Died on Von Phut steamer*
"Von Phut" Jan. 27-63
No Co. muster out roll
 Book mark:
Holbrook
 (358) Copyist.

YODER, Joseph R * 22 Aug 1862
 Joseph, age 22, is listed in the Roster of Ohio Soldiers 1861-66 volume 8, page 266 as a Private. Joseph died 27 Jan 1863 on a hospital steamer. [The military muster roll papers state that the name of the steamer was the "Von Phut". See photo below.]

Father: Joseph YODER
 Mother: Mary FARMWALD [FORDEMWALD]
 Birth: 26 Jan 1840, Wayne Co OH
 Marriage: single
 Death: 27 Jan 1863, TN on board the "Von Phut" hospital steamer
 Relationship: Grandson of John FORDEMWALD and Anna WAGLER

Cemetery: There is no record in the Roll of Honor in the back of the Roster book for a place of burial of Joseph R. Yoder. There is a Jacob D. YODER, son of Emanuel and Elizabeth, buried at Mt. Zion Cem, in Milton Twp. One book also listed Joseph there. There is a GAR metal marker on Jacob's grave. I am thinking that the marker was put there for Joseph. Jacob was not in the 120th.

Joseph was from Milton Twp when he entered the war. See the newspaper article on the history page.

Not on Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865

Not on Burial Registers, Military Posts and National Cemeteries, 1862-1960

1850 Census Milton Twp, Wayne County OH, page 134: Joseph Yoder age 50 PA; Meriah age 40 PA; Emanuel age 16 PA; Anny age 14 PA; Barbury age 13 PA; Joseph, age 10 PA; Meriah age 8 PA; Henry age 6 PA; Catherine age 4 PA; Fanny age 1 PA.

1860 Census Milton Twp, Wayne County OH, page 211: Joseph YODER, age 58 PA, a farmer; Maria, age 49 Germany; Emanuel, age 25 OH, a farmer; Anny, age 23 OH; Joseph age 19 OH, a farmer; Maria, age 17 OH; Henry, age 15 OH, a farm hand; Catherine, age 13 OH; Fanny age 11 OH; Susan, age 5 OH.

Amish and Amish Mennonite Genealogies by Hugh F. Gingerich and Rachel W. Kreider

Joseph YODER, son of Joseph YODER and Mary FARMWALD, is listed in this book as having died single in the Civil War in Tennessee. He was born in Wayne County 26 Jan 1840. It lists his death date as 28 Jan 1863. Siblings in Amish Genealogy book are Anna, Barbara, Mary, Henry, Catharine, Veronica, Solomon [b 1851] and Susanna [b 1854]. Fanny is a common nickname for Veronica.

Joseph's mother, Mary FARMWALD, was the daughter of John William FORDEMWALD and Anna WAGLER who were the great great great grandparents of the Webmaster for this site.