

Company I, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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GETZ, Franklin 22 Aug 1862
Private Getz was age 33 when he entered service. Discharged 21 July 1863 on a Surgeon's certificate of disability.

Father: Nicholas Franklin GETZ [Athena at [Find a Grave](#)]

Mother: Elizabeth [Athena at [Find a Grave](#)]

Birth: 8 Jun 1829, Berks Co PA

Marriage: Amanda WERNER on 7 Oct 1849 in Stark Co OH

Death: 25 Aug 1884, Dayton Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers

Cemetery: Waterloo Cemetery, DeKalb Co, IN; and Dayton National Cem, Dayton, Montgomery Co OH, E -5 Grave 16.

From Athena, gt gt gt granddaughter, at [Find a Grave](#):
Franklin was born 8 Jun 1830, Berks Co PA. Died 25 Aug 1885 [wrong year!], IN. Spouse Amanda. Waterloo Cemetery.

Another site listing burials at [Waterloo Cemetery, DeKalb Co IN](#), says Franklin died 25 Aug 1885 [wrong year!], age 55 y 2 m 17d, Co I 120th Reg OVI. Clarence, son of F and A, died 17

Aug 1883, age 15y 3m 11d.

Amanda, b 1828, died 1906, Dill, born 1871

Pension: Franklin GETZ, Co I 120th OVI: Franklin Getz applied for invalid pension 7 Aug 1863, application 30166, certificate 78911

Widow Amanda GETZ filed 10 Feb 1885 in Indiana, Application 323585, Certificate 238172. Pension Card: Invalid applied 7 Aug 1863, Application 30166, Certificate 78911.

National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Dayton OH:

Enrolled in Co I 120th OH Inf in Aug 1862 at Mansfield OH. Private Discharged 1 July 1863 at Columbus, OH for disability which was the loss of his right thumb. He received the wound at Arkansas Post on 11 Jan 1863.

He was born in Berks Co PA. He was age 55 when admitted to the Home. His residence subsequent to discharge from the army was Mansfield OH. He was 6' & onehalf inches tall. Dark complexion. Dark eyes. Black hair. Married. Nearest relative was wife Amanda living at Waterloo, DeKalb Co IN. He was admitted to the home on 23 Aug 1884. Died 25 Aug 1884 of heart disease. He was buried there in E -5 Grave 16. Sons of Union Veterans: Franklin GETZ: died 25 Aug, burial Waterloo Cem, Dekalb County, IN.

Franklin GOETZ, died 25 Aug 1884, born 1829, burial Dayton National Cemetery, 4100W. Third ST, Dayton, Montgomery, OH, row 5, section E, 16.

Stark County Probate Court record: Franklin GETZ married Amanda WERNER on 7 Oct 1849 in Stark Co OH.

1850 Census, Osnaburg, Stark Co OH, Dwelling 165, Family 171: Franklin GETZ, age 21 PA, farmer; Amanda, age 22 OH.

1860 Census 4th Ward Mansfield City, Richland county OH: Franklin GTZ [GETZ] age 31 PA, a tanner; Amanda age 31 OH; Edward age 9 OH; Wm age 8 OH; Henry age 6 OH; Franklin age 4 OH; Alfred age 2 OH.

Muster Roll says: Franklin Getz slightly wounded in thumb [Arkansas Post]

1870 Census Washington Township, Holmes County OH: Franklin GETZ age 41 PA, a farmer; Amanda age 42 OH; Franklin age 14 OH; Alfred age 12 OH; name looks like Clarence but is a female [wrong], age 2 OH.

1880 Census Waterloo, De Kalb County, Indiana: Amanda GETZ, self, married, age 50 OH, keeping house, parents born OH; Henry, son, age 26 OH, laborer, single; Alfred, son, age 21 OH, works in Tannery, single; Clarence, son age 12 OH; Dill, son age 8 OH. Children's father born PA.

1880 Census 1 June 1880, Manhattan city, Riley Co KS, Dwelling 25, Family 26: Franklin GETZ, age 54 OH, boarder, married, tinner, parents born PA....is living with the Jacob and Ellen REMETE family.

1880 Census 22 and 23 June 1880, York, Stafford County, Kansas, Dwelling 185, Family 190: Franklin GETZ, self, married, age 53 PA, a farmer, parents born in PA.

Did not find on 1890 Veterans Schedule.

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