Company I, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry



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MORROW, Alexander 13 aug 1862

2d Lieutenant Alexander Morrow was age 32 when he entered service. He resigned 18 Feb 1863. [Joined Co A, 163rd Regiment Ohio Infantry, the National Guard, winter 1864 for 100 day service as a Sergeant.]

Father: Matthew MORROW Mother: Margaret REED Birth: Dec 1828, OH

Marriage: Margaret SCOTT, Richland County OH 8 Dec 1853

Death: 5 Jan 1908, Mansfield, Richland Co OH

Cemetery: Mansfield Cem. age 81 yrs, 11 dys. Section Old

Section-10 lot 514

Relationship: Brother of Matthew and William MORROW of the 120th.

Pension: Alexander MORROW, 2nd Lt. I 120th and A 163rd OH Inf. Invalid filed 1880 June 25, Application 385489, Certificate 311573. Widow Margaret MORROW filed in OH in 1908 June 17. Application 883222, Certificate 641949in Ohio. Pension Card: Alexander died 5 Jan 1908.

A Centennial Biographical History of Richland County Ohio by A J

Baughman, 1901, pages 127-129

Summary: Alexander's father was Matthew MORROW and his mother was Margaret REED. He and siblings William R and Matthew were all in the 120th. Alexander was Deputy Post Master in Mansfield in 1861. After he returned home in 1863 he returned to the post office. In the winter of 1864 he joined the "Home Guards" for 100 days and then returned to the post office until 1881. He married Miss Margaret SCOTT, daughter of William of Springfield. They had 3 children, Mary Alice [Mrs Willis LOVELACE of Dakota], Carrie Orelia [Mrs. Ed WHEARY of Mansfield], and William Scott Morrow [of Dakota].

1850 Census, Madison, Richland Co OH, Dwelling 764, Family 767: William MORROW, age 24 PA, farmer; Margarett, age 54 PA; Elizabeth, age 26 PA; Alex., age 22 OH, farmer; Margaret J., age20 OH; Adam, age 14 OH.

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1860 Census, have not found.

1870 Census, 2nd Ward Mansfield, Richland County OH, Dwelling 207, Family 242: Alexander MORROW age 42 born OH, laborer; Margaret age 38 PA; Mary age 15 OH; Carrie age 12 OH; William age 5 OH.

1880 Census, Bloom Street, Mansfield, Richland County, Ohio, Dwelling 110, Family 128: Alexander MORROW age 53 OH, post office clerk, parents born PA; Margaret, wife, age 48 PA, parents born PA; Mary A, dau, single, age 25 OH, money order clerk in post office; Carrie A, dau, single, age 22 OH; William S, son, age 15 OH.

1900 Census, 316 West 6th Street, Mansfield, Madison Township, Richland County, OH, Dwelling 199, Family 216: Alexander MORROW age 73 born Dec 1828 in OH, married 46 yrs, no occupation listed, parents born PA; Margaret S, wife, age 68 born Nov 1831 in PA, married 46 yrs, 3 children 3 still living, parents born PA. Family 217: Carrie K WHERRY, [Alexander's] daughter, born 9 May 1858, age 42; Edward T. head, born July 1858, age 41, B*** Finisher, parents born PA; Grace U, daughter, born Nov 1882, age 17 Clyde S, son, born Aug 1884, age 15; Ivah G, dau, born Oct 1886; Nellie, dau, born Sep 1888, age 11; Roy, son, born Nov 1892, age 7. The WHEERY family were all born in OH.

Death record: Alexander MORROW died 5 Jan 1908 at Mansfield, Richland Co OH. Age 81. Born 1827. Married. Burial Mansfield.

In 1910 widow Marguarite S MORROW [age 79 PA, 3 children/3 still living, parents born PA] was living with her daughter Carry A WHERRY in Mansfield, Richland County OH, page 169. Carry is also a widow and 4 of her 5 children were living there with her.

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