Company K, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry

Cockburn, William  28 Sept 1862
1st Sergeant Cockburn was age 42 when he entered service. He was appointed from Sergeant on 17 Apr 1863; captured 3 May 1864 near Snaggy Point on the Red River, Louisiana; transferred to Co. G 114th OVI on 27 Nov 1864. Promoted to 2nd Lieut. 28 Dec 1864. Mustered out 7 July 1865, by order of War Dept.

Father: John Cockburn
Mother: Pinnella Wells
Birth: 18 Mar 1821, Scotland
Marriage: Rebecca Smith
Death: 14 Feb 1911, Richland Co OH
Cemetery: Mt Hope Cemetery, Shiloh, Richland Co OH

Pension: William Cockburn K 114th, K 120th and G & K 114th OH Inf. Invalid filed 1887 June 16 in OH

William came to US in 1842.

Richland County Probate Court: William Cockburn married Rebecca Smith on 7 Jan 1845 in Richland County OH.

1850 Census, Cass Twp, Richland County, OH, page 205: William Cockburn, age 29 Scotland, farmer; Rebecca, age 22 OH; Christiana, age 2 OH; Emily, age 6 months OH.

1860 Census: Cass township, Richland county OH: William Cockburn age 38 a farmhand, born in Scotland; Rebecca age 32; Ann age10, Emily age 8, David age 6, Laura age 4, Graham age 2, all born in OH.

1870 Census: Village of Shiloh, Cass township, Richland county, OH: William Coburn age 49 born Scotland works on farm, Rebecca age 42 born OH; children David W age 18 at home still attending school, Laura age 16, George age 4, and Lottie age 2 all born in OH.

1880 Census: Shiloh, Cass township, Richland county OH: Wm Coburn age 59 born in Scotland, a laborer; Rebecca age 52 born OH; the children Laura age 26 school teacher, George age 14 a scholar, Lottie age 12, J.F. age 9 a scholar, all born in OH


1910 Census: Cass township Richland county OH, page 64: William Cockburn age 89 born Scotland, one marriage 65 years, has his own income, came to US in 1842, naturalized, parents born Scotland, [Marked UA for Union Army in Column 30]; Rebecca age 82, married 65, 11 children 7 still living, born OH, father born VA, mother born MD.

Death record: File # 11076, William Cockburn died 14 Feb 1911 at Shiloh village, Richland Co OH. He was born 18 Mar 1821 in Scotland. His parents were John Cockburn and Pinnella Wells, born Scotland. Burial at Mt. Hope [Shiloh OH?]. Informant D. W. Cockburn of Shiloh OH.

Wife, death record: File # 34533, Rebecca S Cockburn died 22 June 1911 at Shiloh, Richland Co OH. Widow. Parents Isaac Smith and Sarah Knotts, born VA. Burial Mt. Hope. Informant Mrs. Emma Koerber of Shiloh OH.

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