

Company K, 120th Ohio Volunteer Infantry

DRAKE, James M.* 9 Oct 1862

Private Drake was age 18 when he entered service. He died 11 Apr 1863 at Milliken's Bend, Louisiana. The Roll of Honor lists his burial at Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Father: Oliver F. DRAKE

Mother: Nancy MOSIER

Birth: <1844-5>

Marriage:

Death: 11 Apr 1863 at Milliken's Bend, LA

Cemetery: Vicksburg, Mississippi. [Not listed at Vicksburg National Cem. on the internet. Probably buried there as an unknown.]

Registers of Deaths of Volunteers, 1861-1865: James M. DRAKE, Private, Co K 120th OH Inf, died 11 Apr 1863 on hospital steamer "D A January". Cause: pneumonia.

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

Not on U.S. National Cemetery Interment Control Forms, 1928-1962

Pension Index: James M. DRAKE, Co K 120 Ohio Inf. Mother Nancy Drake applied 3 May 1889 in Ohio, Application 394570, Certificate 309516. James died 11 Apr 1863.

Not on 1890 Veterans Schedule.

1850 Census, Brown Twp, Miami Co OH, Dwelling 1659, Family 1685: Oliver F DRAKE, age 30 OH, farmer; Nancy, age 32 OH; James M, age 5 OH; Pelina E, age 2 OH; Amand [sic] C, age 10 mths OH.

1860 Census, [better copy at Heritage Quest] Jennings Twp, Van Wert Co OH, Dwelling 832, Family 826: O F DRAKE, age 38 OH; Nancy, age 30 MD; James M, age 15 OH; Paulina E, age 13 OH; Amanda, age 10 OH; Josiah, age 7 OH; Mary A, age 5 OH.

Family: 1870 Census, Pleasant Twp, Van Wert Co OH, Dwelling 201, Family 203: Oliver F. DRAKE, age 48 OH; Nancy, age 35 MD; Paulina E, age 22 OH; Amanda, age 20 OH; Mary A, age 17 OH; Josiah, age 19 OH, farm laborer; Joseph PAGE, age 10 OH.

Family: 1880 Census, Pleasant Twp, Van Wert Co, OH, Dwelling 87, Family 100: Oliver F DRAKE, age 57 OH, farmer, parents born OH; Nancy, wife, age 65 PA, parents born PA.

Biographical Record of Allen and Van Wert Counties, Ohio, A.W. Bowen & Co, 1896: Page 154: He [Walter EMMERSON] married, June 12, 1870, Paulina E. DRAKE, daughter of Oliver F. and Nancy (Mosier) Drake, and became the father of four children - William H., Oscar, Francis M. and Moses. Mrs. Emmerson was born in Miami county, Ohio, grew to womanhood at the country home of her parents, who were natives respectively of New Jersey and Maryland and early settlers of the county of Miami, Ohio. She came to the county of Van Wert in 1860, and has resided here ever since; she is a woman of many excellent qualities, a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and wields an influence for great good in the community."

Oliver died 25 Nov 1887, buried at [Woodland Union Cem](#), Van Wert, Van Wert Co OH.

Family Tree by JudyMilum222 says that Nancy died age 77 on 19 Aug 1892 at Van Wert OH.

Brother, Family Search, Ohio, Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997: Josiah DRAKE died 4 Jun 1917 at Van Wert, Van Wert Co, OH, age 65, born 4 Sep 1851 on OH. Farmer. Married. Father Oliver DRAKE. Mother Nancy MOSURE, born PA. Informant: A. L. DRAKE of Van Wert. Burial: Van Wert.

Sister, Family Search, Ohio, Deaths and Burials, 1854-1997: Perlina Elizabeth EMMERSON died 25 Aug 1909 at Pleasant Twp, Van Wert Co OH, age 62. born 6 Jan 1847 in OH. Married. Father Oliver DRAKE, born OH. Mother Nancy MOSURE, born MD. Informant: Walt EMMERSON of Van Wert. Burial: Woodland Cemetery.