

CARPER,ALEXANDER

Name CARPER, ALEXANDER
Rank PVT Company C Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence JACKSONVILLE, MORGAN CO, IL Age 25 Height 5' 6 Hair LIGHT
Eyes GRAY Complexion LIGHT Marital Status MARRIED Occupation FARMER
Nativity GILES CO, VA

Service Record

Joined When AUG 8, 1862 Joined Where JACKSONVILLE, IL
Joined By Whom HORACE E MAY Period 3 YRS
Muster In SEP 2, 1862 Muster In Where JACKSONVILLE, IL
Muster In By Whom N/A Muster Out N/A
Muster Out Where N/A Muster Out By Whom N/A
Remarks DESERTED DEC 21, 1862 AT HOLLY SPRINGS MISS

He is listed on the 1872 Morgan Co. History.

From the Illinois Marriage database:

CARPER, ALEXANDER PURVIANCE, ELVIRA V 12/13/1860 A/ 220 1430 MENARD

In the 1880 census of Avoca, Cass Co., Nebraska:

Carper, Aleck	W	M	49	self	farmer	VA	VA	VA
Elvira	W	F	41	wife	keeping house	IL	NC	KY
Charles	W	M	18	son	farmer	IL	VA	IL
Franklin	W	M	13	son	at home	NE	VA	IL
William	W	M	12	son	at home	NE	VA	IL
Eddie	W	M	10	son	at home	NE	VA	IL
Nellie	W	F	9	dau	at school	NE	VA	IL
Effie	W	F	7	dau	at school	NE	VA	IL
Harrie	W	M	5	son		NE	VA	IL
Oker	W	M	1	son		NE	VA	IL

He applied for pension 19 Mar 1891 from Nebraska. Not approved due to desertion.

Charles Carper, who served in Co. B, 2 IL LART, from Virginia, Cass Co., IL, assumed to be a brother to these Carpers also lived in Cass Co., NE, near Alexander. Xxneed death, burial