

## PETERS, WILLIAM W

Name PETERS, WILLIAM W  
Rank PVT Company B Unit 101 IL US INF

### Personal Characteristics

Residence ARCADIA, MORGAN CO, IL Age 34 Height 5' 1/2 Hair DARK  
Eyes LIGHT Complexion DARK Marital Status SINGLE Occupation FARMER  
Nativity ARCADIA, MORGAN CO, IL

### Service Record

Joined When AUG 15, 1862 Joined Where CONCORD, IL  
Joined By Whom N B BROWN 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 DISCHARGED FEB 26, 1863 AT MOUND CITY ILL FOR DISABILITY

He is listed on the Jacksonville Civil War monument and the 1872 Morgan Co. History.

From the Illinois Marriage database:

PETERS, WILLIAM W PETERS, ELVIRA A 11/12/1867 C/ 41 1653 MORGAN

In the 1880 census, Arcadia, Morgan Co., IL:

William PETERS	Self	M	Male	W	52	IL	Farmer	PA	E VA
Elvira A. PETERS	Wife	M	Female	W	42	NY	Keeping House	NY	NY
Melissa A. PETERS	Dau	S	Female	W	19	IL		IL	NY
Ira O. PETERS	Son	S	Male	W	17	IL		IL	NY
Cynthia R. PETERS	Dau	S	Female	W	11	IL		IL	NY
William E. PETERS	Son	S	Male	W	4	IL		IL	NY

In 1870 census, they had an older son, Louis, 11 and a daughter, Ann, 1.

He attended the 1898 reunion in Jacksonville.

He applied for pension June 26 1880 and 8 Mar 1907. His wife, Elvira A applied (date unknown).

Born 23 Mar 1828, died 23 Jan 1908, buried in Arcadia Cemetery, Morgan Co., IL His wife is also buried there.