

LAKE,JOHN Lindsay

Name LAKE, JOHN L
Rank PVT Company A Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence MEREDOSIA, MORGAN CO, IL Age 19 Height 5' 3 Hair DARK
Eyes BLACK Complexion DARK Marital Status SINGLE Occupation FARMER
Nativity BEARDSTOWN, CASS CO, IL

Service Record

Joined When AUG 6, 1862 Joined Where MEREDOSIA, IL
Joined By Whom CHAS GOVE Period 3 YRS
Muster In SEP 2, 1862 Muster In Where JACKSONVILLE, IL
Muster In By Whom N/A Muster Out JUN 7, 1865
Muster Out Where WASHINGTON, DC Muster Out By Whom CPT WICKS

Remarks N/A

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

From the Illinois Marriage database:

LAKE, JOHN KELLER, ELIZABETH 07/20/1865 C/ 21 855 MORGAN

In the 1880 Phillipsburg, Phillips Co., KS census:

LAKE, JOHN	W	M	34		Farmer	IL	KY	
ELIZABETH	F	39	Wife	Keeps house	OH	GERMANY	PA	
FLORI I.	M	14	son	At home	IL	IL	OH	
CHARLES E.	M	12	son	At home	IL	IL	OH	
FRANCIS M.	M	10	son	At home	KS	IL	OH	
SARAH A	F	7	dau		KS	IL	OH	
OLLIE C	F	4	dai		KS	IL	OH	
LEORA	F	1	dau		KS	IL	OH	

They also had a daughter, Cynthia Ann, born 1877 and Martha Elizabeth, born 1880.

In 1900 Elizabeth is living alone in Erie, Neosho Co., KS. She stated she was a widow, age 65, had 10 children, 3 living.

He applied for pension May 10 1879, no state listed, assumed to be KS. His wife, Elizabeth, applied for pension September 30 1896 from Kansas

John was born 15 Oct 1840 and died 6 Sep 1896 in Phillipsburg, Phillips Co., KS. He is buried in Fairview Cemetery there.

Note-he was a first cousin to Harrison L. Lake, who served in Co. A, 101st IL INF, and is buried in Oakland cemetery in Meredosia.