

LONG, JACOB

Name LONG, JACOB
Rank PVT Company B Unit 101 IL US INF

Personal Characteristics

Residence CONCORD, MORGAN CO, IL Age 44 Height 5' 8 3/4 Hair LIGHT
Eyes LIGHT Complexion FAIR Marital Status MARRIED Occupation FARMER
Nativity GRANGER CO, TN

Service Record

Joined When AUG 13, 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 APR 10, 1863 AT ST LOUIS MO FOR DISABILITY

He is listed on the Jacksonville Civil War monument and the 1872 Morgan Co. History.
Note that he was about 10 years older than the age he gave when he enlisted.

He was first married to Melvina (Bridgman)

From the Illinois Marriage database:

LONG, JACOB	SMITH, MARY	10/13/1857	B/ 122	3835 MORGAN
LONG, JACOB	GIST, COMFORT MRS	08/01/1865	C/ 22	860 MORGAN

In the 1860 census of Jacksonville Twp, Morgan Co., IL:

32 670 665 LONG	Jacob	51	M		Tn
33 670 665 LONG	Mary	44	F		Tn
34 670 665 LONG	Nancy	13	F		IL
35 670 665 LONG	James	13	M		IL
36 670 665 LONG	Fred	6	M		IL

In the 1870 census of Arcadia Twp, Morgan Co., IL:

37 121 121 LONG	Jacob	61	M	Farmer	400	200	Tn	
38 121 121 LONG	Comfort	55	F				IL	
39 121 121 LONG	Nancy	10	F				IL	X
40 121 121 LONG	Thomas	7	M				IL	

He applied for pension Jul 21 1876, no state listed, assumed to be IL. His wife, Comfort, applied for pension Dec 30 1885 from IL.

He was born 28 Feb 1809 and died 25 June 1885. He is buried in Morris Chapel Cemetery, Morgan Co., IL . His 3 wives are also there.

Xx Oldest?



Obit:
Illinois Courier July 1, 1885

Died-After an illness of a few days, on Wednesday at 10 p.m., Jacob Long. Uncle Jake was well known in this part of Morgan county. He was nearly 70 years of age and has for many years been a member of the Predestinarian Baptist church. He will be greatly missed by the people of his own vicinity, where for about twenty years he has resided. The aged wife and children have the heartfelt sympathies of their many friends in this sad bereavement. The funeral services were held at the Indian Creek Baptist church and conducted by Rev. Wm. Dyer. The body was then taken to Morris Chapel cemetery, where it was quietly laid away