

STATE OF OHIO
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF SOLDIERS' CLAIMS - VETERANS' AFFAIRS
COLUMBUS 15

March 13, 1961

RE: MILLER, Daniel C.

Mr. Merrit M. Rosser
333 Overlook Drive
Alliance, Ohio

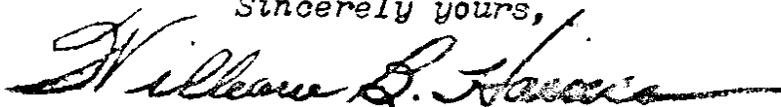
Dear Mr. Rosser:

In reply to your letter dated March 9, 1961. You ask for information concerning Daniel C. Miller and his next of kin. The following information was taken from the Official Roster of the Civil War, and the grave registration card we have in our file for this veteran.:

Daniel C. Miller enrolled in the Civil War August 11, 1862. He was mustered into service September 18, 1862, at Camp Massillon, Ohio, by Captain Alexander E. Drake. He was twenty three years of age at the time of his enrollment. He served in Company "B", with the 115th. Regiment, O.V.I., Infantry. His enlistment was for a period of three years. He was appointed January 1, 1865, and served as a Corporal. He mustered out with the Company June 22, 1865, at Murfreesboro, Tennessee. His grave registration card states that he was born in Europe in 1839 (no month or day given). He died November 2, 1902, at Cleveland, Ohio, and was buried in the Woodland Cemetery, in Lot Number 151, Section Number 76, and Grave number 1, Line. His next of kin was listed as "Dan C. Miller", no address was listed for him, and it does not state what relation he was to the veteran. That is the extent of our records for this veterans service, and next of kin.

We hope to have been of service to you, and if we may assist you in the future, do not hesitate to call upon us.

Sincerely yours,



William B. Haines
Chief of Division





Columbus, O., March 13, 1861

Know Ye That the records of this office show that

Daniel C. Miller

was enrolled as a Corporal in Company "B" 115th. Regiment, Ohio Vol. Infantry on the 11th. day of August, 1862, at _____, by _____

and was mustered into the United States service as such for the period of 3 years, on the 18th. day of September, 1862 at Camp Massillon, Ohio, by Captain Alexander E. Drake

U. S. A. Mustering Officer, and that he was twenty three years of age at the time of his enrollment in the Civil War, August 11, 1862. He served with the 115th. Regiment, O.V.I., Infantry, in Company "B". His enlistment was for a period of three years. He was appointed January 1, 1865; He mustered out with the Company June 22, 1865, at Murfreesboro, Tennessee.

North Benton, Ohio
April 12, 1961

Mr. Homer Pittard
Middle Tenn. State College
Murfreesboro, Tenn.

Dear Sir:

Yesterday my wife and I drove to Cleveland to try for more information on Daniel C. Miller. Talked with the custodian of Woodland Cemetery, from whom received the following information.

Lot in name of Daniel C. Miller, purchased Apr. 12, 1899. Residence then 92 Lyman, Clev.

We visited the grave and took some pictures and will send you a copy when developed. The light was bad and the marker old so may not be very clear, will hope for the best.

On the stone were the inscriptions (see enclosed, a bit scribbled but information there.) While at the office of custodian checked cause of death and found that both Mr. Miller and his daughter Sarah died of smallpox within a few days of each other.

On checking out Margreda Miller (His widow) Death 1938, saw that she had died at 12102 Woodland Ave. Clev. Since we were in neighborhood decided to check at address to see if any relative were remaining there. Came up with a Gold Mine of information.

Told the people there we were trying to trace relatives of Daniel C. Miller and wife Margreda. The lady of the house said they were my Mother and Father. I took notes and will give them to you as taken.
Daughter, Frances Miller Jacob (Youngest) Born Feb. 26, 1877
Husband, Christian G. Jacob.

There were 8 girls and 1 boy in family, Just Mrs Jacob and sister Margaret Miller Carl, (Born Dec. 21, 1890) still living. The Son Frank C. Miller (Owner of Ohio Plating Co. Downtown Clev. died Oct. 15th, 1960. He was born Sept. 30th, 1878. I didn't note the dates of birth and death of other girls.

Mrs Jacob has in her possession her Mother's keepsakes. Among which are pictures of 16 in all of Daniel C's fellow soldiers. They are miniature tin types copper lace bound and mounted on card board, Each named. In beautiful condition they were done by Field Artist, 112 W. Fifth St. Cinn. Ohio. All are in uniform. Also has a miniature of her Father in uniform.

Mrs Jacob still has her Father's field mess kit, In fact still uses the little fry-pan, Says she will have to quit keeping house when it wears out.

She has her Father's original discharge papers, Also papers of promotion to Corporal and Army Diploma. We saw all of them. Very good condition.

