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# Vogel, Jacob

Unit: Co. B., 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 11 US Regular Infantry

Co. E, 1st Battalion, 11 US Regular Infantry

Occupation: Farmer

Birth:

Place: Shawnee, Niagara Co., NY Date: 22 March 1840

Enlisted:

Date: 17 June 1862 Place: Canandaigua, NY

Discharge:

Place: Richmond, VA Date: 17 June 1865

Marriage:

Place: Lockport, Niagara Co., NY Date: 8 August 1865

Wertman, Lydia A. To: By: John Downing

Death:

Place: Clarence, Erie Co., NY Date: 28 September 1871

Notes:

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# US Army, Register of Enlistments, 1798-1914.

Name: Vogle, Jacob; Enlisted 17 June 1862 at Canandaigua, NY by Capt. Barri for 3 years; Born: Shawnee, NY and is age 22 (calculated birth year about 1839); Occupation: was a farmer; Description: Eyes: Blue, Hair: Light, Complexion: Light, Height: 5 feet 9 inches. Unit: Assigned to the 11th US Regular Infantry, 2nd Battalion, Company E. Noted as discharged June 17/65 by ??? serv. at Richmond, VA.

# U.S., Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934

Name: Jacob Vogle; Gender: Male; Service: B & E, 11 US Infantry; Place Filed: New York, USA; Relation to Head: Soldier; Spouse: Lydia A Shrader; Date of Filing: 1904 Feb 20; Class: Widow; Application No.: 800316.

**NOTE: Pension Documents** – Each document contained within each NARA file has been photographed. Not every document has been annotated below, but only those with family history data are summarized.

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**Declaration for Widow's Pension.** Name: Lydia Shrader former Vogle; Age: 57; State: New York; County: Erie; Post Office: P.O. Box 47, Clarence; Date: 13 February 1904; Widow Of: Jacob Vogle, see honorable record; Soldier Enrolled Place: Niagara Co., N.Y.; Soldier Enrolled Name: Jacob Vogle; Soldier Enrolled Date: 17 June 1862; Soldier Rank: Private; Soldier Company: E; Soldier Regiment: 11 Regt., U. S. Inf; Soldier Discharge Place: ; Soldier Discharge Date: 17 June 1865; Soldier Also Served: None; Marriage Under Name Of: Lydia A. Wertman; Marriage Place: Lockport, N.Y.; Marriage Date: 8 August 1865; Marriage By: John Downing ; Soldier Died Date: 28 September 1874; Soldier Died Place: Not Listed; Children Under 16 at Soldiers Death: One Child, Edward F. Vogle, born June 21st, A.D. 1866; Other Notes: Severe wound in thigh and continuous results and effects culminating in death. Lydia Vogle nee Wertman remarried to Philip Shrader (Now Deceased) on Nov. 18, 1875.

# Request of Department of the Interior, Pension Office to the Adjutant

General, dated 11 March 1904, to report on the service and disability in the case of Lydia A Vogle nee Shader. "... For the above-entitled pension you are requested to furnish this Bureau with a full military history and personal description, including birthplace and occupation of Jacob Vogle who, it is alleged, enlisted June 17, 1862 at \_ as a Private in Co. E, 11 Reg't U.S. Inf. And was discharged June '8, 1865 at \_. Claimant alleges that the soldier received a severe wound of thigh date and place of origin not stated. Soldier died September 28, 1875. …"

Return from War Department, Adjutant General's Office to Commissioner of Pensions, dated 16 March 1904, reporting on Jacob Vogle's service. It reads as follows: "Case of Jacob Vogle, B Co. 2nd Battalion, 11th Reg't U. S. Inf. And E Co., 1st Battalion, 11th Reg't U. S. Inf. ... Jacob Vogle, Born in Shawnee, N. Y., age 22 yr., occupation farmer, eyes blue, hair light, complexion light, height 5 feet 9 ½ inches; was enlisted June 17, 1862; was assigned to co. B 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion, 11 Transferred March 1863 to Co. E 1st Battalion of the Reg't U.S. Infantry. regiment. Discharged June 17 / 65 at Richmond, Va. Exp. Of services – a private. During service he is shown sick and absent as follows: November & December 1862 – Sick in Hospital at Fort Independence, Boston Harbor, MA. July & August to November 1863, Absent sick – wounded in action at Gettysburg, Penna., July 2 / 63. January & February 1864 On detached service with Invalid Corps Jan. 18 /64... July & August 1864 Missing in Action, Yellow House, Va. 19 August 1864. His name is not found on rolls for the company from September & October 1864 to March and April 1865 – In Service. Co. E 1st Battalion 11 U.S. Inf. Was in action

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July 2 / 63 at Gettysburg, Penna. and Aug. 19 / 65 at Yellow House, Va. Prisoner of War records show him captured near Petersburg, Va Aug. 19 / 64. Confined at Richmond, Va. Aug. 20 / 64 & sent to Salisbury, NC. ?? ?? ?? Paroled at N. E. Ferry, NC. Mch. 2 / 65. Reported at Camp Parole, Md. Mch. 14 / 65. Furloughed Mch 18/19/65. Body ??? May 9 / 10 / 65 and sent to Camp Distribution, Va. May 29 /65. The medical records show him treated as follows: July 2 to 19, 63 (after the battle of Gettysburg, Pa., 1 to 3, 63) G. S. Left Thigh flesh; July 20 to Oct 21, 63 Gun Shot wound left thigh returned to duty: Oct 21 to 28, 63. Convalescent furloughed Oct. 28, 63 for 10 days and returned to duty Nov. 23, 63: examined by medical board Dec. 7, 63 and recommended for 1st Battalion I. C. on account if wound left thigh. No additional record of disability found.

**General Affidavit** -- Dated 6 April 1904 of George B. Kinney age 61 and William Afling age 77 in support of the claim of Lydia A. Vogle. It reads: "... that they was well acquainted with Dr. Bafret and O. C. Bordwell, that they both died some time ago, that they were well acquainted with Jacob Vogle in his life time, that he died of Army cause. ..."

General Affidavit -- Dated 6 April 1904 of Lydia Shrader formerly Lydia Vogle widow of Soldier, Jacob Vogle, decd., Co e, 11 USI a resident of Clarence, Erie, New York in support of her claim. It reads: "... On the death of Soldier, Sept. 28th 1874, as alleged requires ... medical testimony of cause of soldiers death – at Rapids, Niagara Co., N.Y. The statement of any physician who knew the soldier – examined his wound or other Army disabilities from his discharge June 10, 1865 to the time he died – Sept. 28, 1877. I, the claimant have made inquiries and find the physician who attended the said soldier in the last illness – at time died – was named Samuel Bafret has since died. Name of other Doctor who knew the soldier - any time - between Discharge June 1865 and death Sept. 28, 1875: Name: Dr. Bordwell, called in consultation, now dead, no record. I know of no public record of death, Kept in Rapids or Niagara Co., New York – Cannot verify – Next best testimony, said death ... Requiring the best proof of marriage to Jacob Vogle – as Lydia Wertman. Aug 8, 1865, Lockport N.Y. No Public record. Only Cert. of Rev. John Downing. Certified copy – only written evidence – Extant: Same applies to re marriage Nov 18, 1875 to Shrader in Erie Co., New York. ..."

**Widows Pension.** Date: 7 June 1904; Claimant: Lydia A. Vogle nee Shrader; P. O.: Box 47, Clarence; County: Erie; State: New York; Soldier: Jacob Vogle; Rank: Private; Company: E, 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion; Regiment: 11 U. S. Inf.; Current Rate: \$\_ per

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month, commencing \_; Rate, \$REJECTED per month, commencing \_ And \$2 a month additional for each child as follows: Edward F., Born, June 21, 1866, Sixteen June 20, 1882.; Rejection in the grounds that evidence filed fails to show that cause of soldier's death and Clts. Declared inability to furnish necessary evidence to connect his death with the military service.

Letter from Lydia A. Shrader nee Vogle to Pensioner Commissioner, dated April 22, 1905. It reads as follows: "... I would like to draw your attention to presion claim No. 800316, Wid. Orig. wid. Jacob Vogle, E, 11 U. S. Inf. A. P. Alexander, pension Atty., who was prosecuting my case died, and we have been unable to learn if all the evidence submitted to him was forwarded to Washington. I am in need of this pension to help me along in my old age and am very sincere when I ask how I can set about to secure an allowance since I am a widow the second time. I think you must admit that the first evidence submitted shows clearly that Jacob Vogle, my first husband, was a soldier and all that I claimed him to be. Also, that my son Edward F. Vogle was entitled to a pension until the proper age, as well as myself. I am very sorry that both doctors are dead and I cannot secure their evidence which would surely establish all necessary facts beyond doubt. Being unable to secure their evidence, is there anything else I can do to secure my pension. It would mean so much to me. ..."

Letter from E. E. Jordan of Wibaux, Montana to Bureau of Pensions, dated June 10, 1908. It reads as follows: "... I wish to inquire regarding a pension for my mother, Mrs. Lydia A. Shrader (widow) widow of Jacob Vogle, Co. E, 11 U. S. Inf. We applied for the pension in Feb. 1904 but it was not then allowed, tho(sp) her rights to it was not disputed. Can she not secure a pension under the new law recently passed that all soldier's widows receive a pension regardless of whether they have received any in the ast or not. She is quite old now and would be grateful + feel that she was receiving justice after all these years if it was allowed her now. Would she receive any back pension or would it just begin from the date granted. ..."

Letter from Department of the Interior, Pension Office to Lydia A. Shrader, c/o Mrs. E. E. Jordan, Wibaux, Montana, dated 25 June 1908, stating: "... Madam: In reply to your communication of June 10, 1908, received the 13<sup>th</sup> instant and filed in your above cited case, relative to your title to a pension under the act of April 19, 1908, you are advised that as you remarried after the soldier's death, you have no title under said Act. ..."

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Letter from E. E. Jordan of Wibaux, Montana to Commissioner of Pensions, dated July 10, 1908. It reads as follows: "... Regarding your letter of June 23, you say my mother is not entitled to a pension because of her second marriage. She is the soldier's widow and has been a widow over four years since the death the death of my father her second husband. Now we understand that a women who has been a soldier wife (widow) and remarried and again becomes a widow thro(sp) the death of her second husband may draw a pension. This is the exact case of my mother. She had never had a pension at all or her child by soldier husband. But according to Act of April 1908 all soldiers widow were to receive pensions. Why not my mother? ..."

Letter from Department of the Interior, Pension Office to E. E. Jordan, Wibeaux, Montana, dated 29 July 1908, stating the following: "... Madam: In response to your inquiry of the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, received the 14<sup>th</sup>, and filed in the above cited rejected claim for pension, under the general law, you are informed that the act of April 19, 1908 does not give title to pension to widows who have remarried since the death of the soldier on account of whose service pension is claimed. As your mother remarried after the death of the soldier, Jacob Vogle, she would have no title to pension under said act nor under the act of June 27, 1890. ..."

# OTHER DOCUMENTS NOT IN THE ARCHIVES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

# New York, State Census, 1855

Name: Jacob Vogel; Birth Year: abt 1840; Age: 15; Gender: Male; Relation to Head: Child; Residence: Wheatfield, Niagara, New York, USA; District: E.D. 1; Household number: 221; Line Number: 20; Household Members: Name Age; William Vogel 50, Born Wurttemberg; Barbara Vogel 36, Born Wurttemberg; William Vogel 20, Born Wurttemberg; Magdalena Vogel 19, Born Wurttemberg; Barbara Vogel 16, Born Niagara, New York; Jacob Vogel 15, Born Niagara, New York; Daniel Vogel 13, Born Niagara, New York; George Vogel 10, Born Niagara, New York; Catharina Vogel 9, Born Niagara, New York; David Vogel 7, Born Niagara, New York; Joseph Vogel 5, Born Niagara, New York; Mary Vogel 3, Born Niagara, New York; Mathilde Vogel 2, Born Niagara, New York; Wilhelmina Vogel 1, Born Niagara, New York

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## New York, State Census, 1865

Name: Jacob Vogel; Gender: Male; Relation to Head: Son; Birth Year: abt 1840; Age: 25; Residence: Wheatfield, Niagara, New York, USA; District: 1; Line Number: 3; Page Number: 9; Household Members: Name Age; William Vogel 61, Born Germany; Barbary Vogel 46, Born Germany; Jacob Vogel 25, Born Niagara, New York; Daniel Vogel 23, Born Niagara, New York; George Vogel 20, Born Niagara, New York; Katherine Vogel 19, Born Niagara, New York; David Vogel 17, Born Niagara, New York; Joseph Vogel 15, Born Niagara, New York; Mariah Vogel 13, Born Niagara, New York; Matilda Vogel 12, Born Niagara, New York; Wilhelmena Vogel 11, Born Niagara, New York; Elizabeth Vogel 9, Born Niagara, New York; John Vogel 7, Born Niagara, New York; Lydia Vogel 5, Born Niagara, New York

# **1870 United States Federal Census**

Name: Jacob Vagel; Age in 1870: 20; Birth Year: abt 1850; Birthplace: New York; Dwelling Number: 504; Home in 1870: Clarence, Erie, New York; Race: White; Gender: Male; Occupation: Farmer; Father of Foreign Birth: Y; Mother of Foreign Birth: Y; Male Citizen over 21: Y; Real Estate Value: 750; Inferred Spouse: Lillie Vagel; Inferred Children: Edward Vagel, Hanford Vagel; Household Members: Name Age; Jacob Vagel 20, Born New York; Lillie Vagel 23, Born New York; Edward Vagel 4, Born New York; Hanford Vagel 7/12, Born New York

# **US Veterans Gravesites Transcription**

First name(s) Jacob; Last name Vogel; Birth year 1840; Birth day 22; Birth month Mar; Death year 1874; Death day 28; Death month Sep; Relationship to veteran Veteran (Self); Veteran's first name's Jacob; Veteran's last name Vogel; Rank -; Service branch US Army; Conflict Civil War; Cemetery Schaffer Cemetery; Site number -; Cemetery address Dysinger Road; Cemetery phone 716-439-9520; City Lockport; State New York; Country United States; Zip 14094; Category Birth, Marriage & Death (Parish Registers); Subcategory Civil Deaths & Burials; Collections from Americas, United States.

## FIND-A-GRAVE

Jacob Vogle BIRTH 22 Mar 1840 DEATH 28 Sep 1874 (aged 34) BURIAL Shaeer Cemetery Lockport, Niagara County, New York, USA MEMORIAL ID 56842034 · View Source Aged 34 yrs CO B 2 BN 11US INF CO E 1 BN 11US INF CIVIL WAR Family Members Spouse Lydia Wertman Vogle 1846–1910.

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## REGIMENTAL HISTORY

American Civil War Regiments, The Union Army, vol. 1. [This is a history of the regiment during its entire service during the war. The portion of time from enlistment date to discharge of this soldier is highlighted in italics.]

ELEVENTH INFANTRY REGIMENT REGULAR ARMY -- Regiment State: Regular Army; Regiment Type: Infantry; Regiment Number: 11th; Officers Killed or Mortally Wounded: 8; Officers Died of Disease or Accident: 2; Enlisted Killed or Mortally Wounded: 117; Enlisted Died of Disease or Accident: 86.

Source: Official Records: Series I. Vol. 19. Part I, Reports. Serial No. 27 Antietam after battle report: Report of Maj. De L. Floyd-Jones, Eleventh U.S. Infantry, of the battle of Antietam and action near Shepherdstown.

HEADQUARTERS ELEVENTH INFANTRY, Camp near Sharpsburg, Md., September 24, 1862.

SIR: In accordance with instructions from brigade headquarters, I beg to submit the following report of the movements and casualties of the regiment from the 16th instant up to the present time:

The regiment moved from camp near Middletown Heights on the morning of the 16th instant, crossed Middletown Heights, and in the evening camped near Sharpsburg; distance marched, about 8 miles.

On the 17th instant remained in the same position. Private Patrick Clark, of Company G, was struck in the head by a spent grape-shot and wounded slightly. On the 18th remained in the same place without meeting with any casualties. On the morning of the 19th moved forward about 3 miles in the direction of Shepherdstown, and encamped about half a mile from the Potomac River.

On the 20th instant we crossed the Potomac near Shepherdstown, and, after advancing a short distance into the country, Company D was ordered to advance as skirmishers, under command of Lieut. George E. Head. They advanced to the

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edge of the woods and discovered the enemy in large force moving toward us. We were then ordered to fall back, within we did in good order, the skirmishers of the enemy keeping up a brisk fire during the movements. We halted on a hill close to the river, and replied to the fire of the enemy for some minutes with good effect. At this time Private John J. Boddy, of Company E, was wounded slightly; Private V.S. Wheeler, of Company B, wounded in the groin, and Private John H. Ranson, Company B, wounded in the thigh. The two latter-named men, I regret to add, have since died. We then recrossed the river, pursuant to orders, and encamped a short distance in the woods, where the regiment has remained up to the present date. All of which is most respectfully submitted.

I have the honor to be, sir, your most obedient servant, DEL. FLOYD-JONES,
Maj. Eleventh Infantry, Commanding Regiment.
Lieut. E.E. SELLERS,
Acting Assistant Adjutant-Gen.

Source: Official Records: Series I. Vol. 27. Part I. Reports. Serial No. 43. Gettysburg after battle report: Report of Maj. De Lancey Floyd-Jones, Eleventh U. S. Infantry. Camp near Berlin, Md., July 16, 1863.

Capt.: In obedience to the circular from brigade headquarters, I have the honor to furnish in brief a report of the operations of the Eleventh U. S. Infantry at the battle of Gettysburg, on the 2d instant. In company with the other battalions of the brigade, we moved about 5 p. m. from our resting place, nearly opposite the center of the army, to near the Sugar Loaf or Round Top Mountain, a point near the left of the line.

Immediately upon reaching this, we were ordered to advance inline of battle, passing from the shelter of a wood across an open field, through which ran a heavy morass. We advanced in good order, although exposed to a flank fire from the enemy, and halted immediately in front of a piece of woods, where we lay some half hour or more. Our brigade then relieved some troops of the Second Corps, for which purpose we advanced into the woods, at the same time changing our direction by a wheel to the left. After firing a few rounds in the woods, it was discovered that the enemy was turning our right flank, and we were ordered to fall back, which was done in good order until we reached half way across the open

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field, when we became exposed to a cross-fire of the enemy, the effect of which was most deadly upon officers and men. Our loss up to this time had been comparatively slight, but in a few minutes, we lost nearly half of the regiment, and that, too, without inflicting the slightest damage upon the enemy. We finally reached the wood, when we were enabled to reform and face the enemy.

Our loss in this engagement was fearful. Out of 261 enlisted men and 25 officers, the regiment lost 106 enlisted men and 10 commissioned officers, among the latter some of our best officers. Capt. Thomas O. Barri was wounded early in the retreat, and while being kindly assisted to the rear by Lieut. Herbert Kenaston, Eleventh U.S. Infantry, both were struck down. The former lived long enough to die in the arms of his companions. In their loss the regiment mourns two gallant officers. The former had particularly endeared himself by his social and amiable qualities. Second Lieut. Henry Rochford, a promising young officer, fell about the same time, mortally wounded.

The following is a list of the officers who still survive their wounds: First Lieut. Matthew Elder and Second Lieut. A. J. Barber, legs amputated above the knee; Second Lieut. Lemuel Pettee, leg shattered above the ankle; Second Lieut. O. H. Nealy, wounded in neck; Capt. J. M. Goodhue, finger amputated; Capt. W. G. Edgerton, wounded by spent ball (for duty), and Second Lieut. A. A. Harbach, struck in thigh, not seriously.

Where all did so well it is difficult to particularize. I therefore give the names of those officers who participated, in addition to those already enumerated: Capts. George Gibson, C. S. Russell, and Caleb R. Layton; First Lieuts. E. A. Ellsworth, G. E. Head, I. B. Wright, James P. Pratt, Joseph M. Ritner, and F. A. Field, battalion adjutant, and Second Lieuts. E. S. Huntington, R. Robins, J. McIntosh, Wright Staples, and David Hazzard. Capt. Gibson joined usfrom detached service in time to take part.

Respectfully,
De L. FLOYD-JONES,
Maj. Eleventh U. S. Infantry, Comdg. Regt.
Acting Assistant Adjutant-Gen.,
Second Brigade, Second Division, Fifth Corps.

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Battles: Fought on 27 Jun 1862 at Gaines' Mill, VA.; 30 Aug 1862 at 2nd Bull Run, VA.; 14 Dec 1862 at Fredericksburg, VA. [J. Vogle Sick in Hospital]; 3 May 1863 at Chancellorsville, VA.; 2 Jul 1863 at Gettysburg, PA.; 3 Jul 1863 at Gettysburg, PA.; 5 May 1864 at Wilderness, VA.; 8 May 1864 at Laurel Hill, VA.; 12 May 1864 at Spotsylvania Court House, VA.: 29 May 1864 at Bethesda Church, VA.: 2 Jun 1864 at Mechanicsville, VA.; 2 Jun 1864 at Gaines' Mill, VA.; 2 Jun 1864 at Cold Harbor, VA.; 18 Jun 1864 at Petersburg, VA.; 24 Jun 1864 at Petersburg, VA.; 18 Aug 1864 at Weldon Railroad, VA.; 19 Aug 1864 at Weldon Railroad, VA. [J. Vogle captured.]

## WERTMAN FAMILY HISTORY

Jacob Vogel (1840-1874) married Lydia A. Wertman (1846-1910) in 1875 >> Jonathan Michael Wertman (1815-1907) >> Daniel Wertman (1786-1864) >> Johann Michael Wertman (1742-Abt 1817) >> George Philip Wertman I.

Relationship	Name	Birth Date	Notes
Wife	Lydia A. Wertman	About 1847.	Declaration for
	/Vogel / Shrader		Widow's Pension.
	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		Name: Age: 57 as of
			13 February 1904.
			Marriage Place:
			Lockport, N.Y.;
			Marriage Date: 8
			August 1865
Son	Edward F. Vogle	June 21st, A.D.	Declaration for
		1866	Widow's Pension.
2 <sup>nd</sup> Husband of	Philip Shrader		Declaration for
Wife, Lydia A.	1		Widow's Pension.
Wertman			Married Nov. 18,
vv Ci tiliali			1875.

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