

#439382 PENSION FILES OF WILLIAM WINTERS

National Archives #XC2, 668-7; East Liverpool, Ohio, March 13, 1895

Date of publication of the Bible from which this copy is taken is 1870;

Morgan H. Winters, born Sept. 22, 1875

Annie E. Winters born April 14, 1878

James A. Winters born Nov. 13, 1879

John W. Winters born April 3, 1885

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I certify that the above is a true copy taken by me from the family Bible containing the record of the Marriage of William Winters and Maggie J. Robertson Dec. 23, 1873 and record of the births of their children as above.

A. R. Gould

Notary Public

William Winters, son of Joseph and Aletha Cashell, married Edytha V. Arthur, dau. of Thomas and Margaret McCullough Arthur, on 7th Nov. 1867. (Jefferson Co., Marr. Record Vol. 8 pg 95.) To this first marriage four children were born. They are as follows; Joseph Winfield (1869-1908), Laura Jane Winters McElroy (1868-1937), Ida Winters Welch (1869-1895) and Samuel Wesley Winters (1870-1935). William Winters died tragically Aug. 21, 1885.

East Liverpool Evening Daily Review, August 22, 1885

SAD ACCIDENT; W. W. WINTERS KILLED WHILE MOVING A HOUSE NEAR SPRUCEVALE

Word reached this city yesterday evening that W. W. Winters, well known house mover had met with a sudden death while at work near Sprucevale, and in a few moments what had first been only a rumor was found to be a sad truth. The particulars of the accident are as follows. Mr. Winters was engaged in moving a house for Patterson Saint, residing near Sprucevale. The front and hind wheels had been placed under the house, and fastened together by chains. Some doubt being expressed as to the ability of the chains to stand the strain, Mr. Winters went under the house to examine them, and while still there, by misunderstanding the teams attached to the house were started and the front trucks were drawn from under the house letting the building down upon the unfortunate man. At the time the house fell Mr. Winters was setting down and the weight of the house upon him crushed him forward to the ground. Death must have been instantaneous.

The body of the unfortunate man was brought to his home in this city, where he leaves a wife and three children to mourn his loss. Mr. Winters was a soldier in the late war, serving in the 98th-enlisting we believe from Steubenville. He was sober, hard-working and intelligent man, and had many friends in this city who heard of his untimely death with profound sorrow. He will be buried in the GAR lot of Riverview Cemetery, with the honors of war.

The funeral service will take place tomorrow afternoon, at 1 o'clock, from the M. E. Church. A number of Mr. Winters old army comrades, from Steubenville, will be present to pay the last sad tribute of respect to their departed friend. The 98th Regiment, to which Mr. Winters belonged, is to hold a reunion at Scio next week.

Also included in the pension file is a certified copy of the marriage of William Winters and Maggie J. Robertson of Steubenville, Ohio at Hookstown, Penna. on the 23rd day of December 1874. This is signed by G. W. Shaiffer, Minister

This should be correct instead of 23rd Dec. 1873 because Edith Winters, his first wife, died 6th January 1874. Robert Arthur, Edith's brother, declared this is when she died.

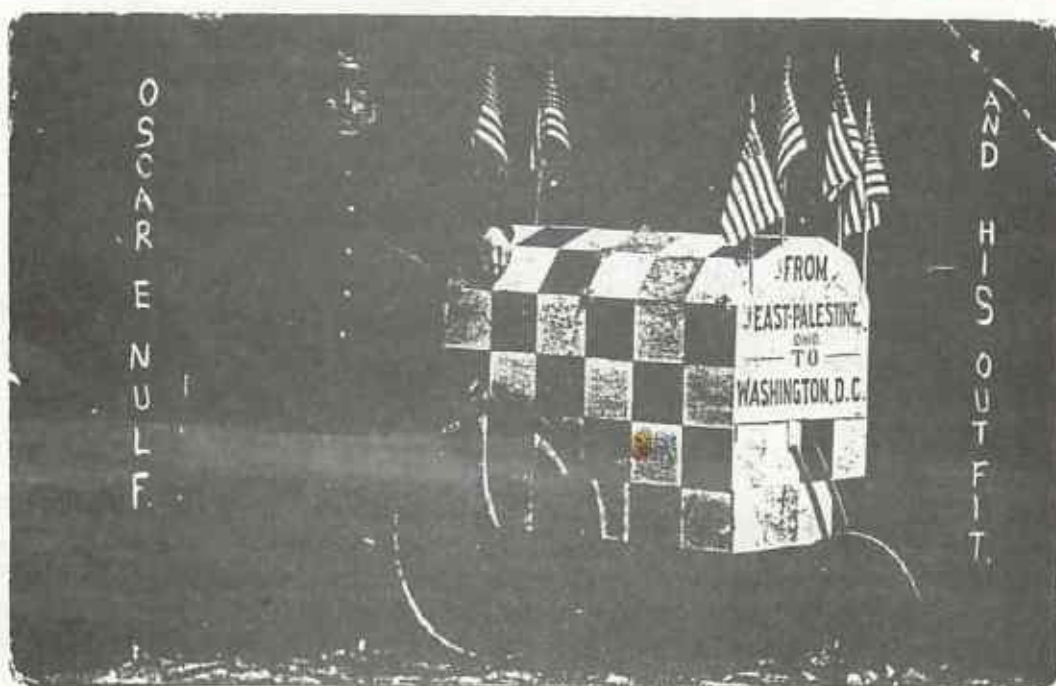
Submitted by Linda McElroy

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Don't know the year or the circumstances, but it was supposed to be a lost election bet. Submitted by, Lloyd S. Early, DVM

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