

Frederick Bubolz
17th WI Infantry, Company K

Born: August 21, 1833 in Prussia

Immigration: September 22, 1856, age 22, port of departure Hamburg, Germany; on ship *Louis Napoleon*

Declaration of Intent: Buboltz, Fridrich, born Prussia in 1833, Port of Entry-New York on Sept 1856, File Intent Oct 24, 1859

Drafted: September 30, 1864 as a Private from Rockland, WI
Mustered Out: June 2, 1865

Wife: Augusta Mueller, 1843-1914. Had 10 children

1870 Census: WI, Manitowoc County, Rockland:
Frederick Bubolz, 36, Male, Farmer, RE
2000, PE 650, born Prussia
Auguste Bubolz, 26, Female, Keeping house,
born Prussia

1885 Soldiers & Sailors of the Late War,
Residing in Wisconsin, 20 June 1885: Fred Bu-
boltz, Pvt, K 17 WI, P.O. Reedsville

1890 Veterans Schedule of Manitowoc County:
Frederick W Bubolz, Pvt 17 K, post office Reeds-
ville

1895 Veteran Census of Manitowoc County: Bu-
boltz, Frederick, Pvt 17 K Infantry, post office
Reedsville

Wisconsin Census Enumeration, 1905 June 1,
Ex-Soldiers & Sailors Residing in WI: Bu-
boltz, Frederick, Pvt, Co K, 17th WI Inf.,
Post office Reedsville

Died: October 21, 1909
Buried: St Johns-St James Ev. Lutheran
Church Cemetery, Maple Grove, WI
Gravesite: "Frederich Bubolz/Co. K./17
Wis. Inf."

History of Manitowoc County Wisconsin by
Dr. L. Falge, 1911-1912, v.2, p.101-102
(part of son Robert Bubolz bio): In 1861,
Daniel and Ferdinand Bubolz enlisted for
service in the Civil war, and in 1864,
Fred and Charles joined the Union army,
and Charles and Ferdinand lost their lives
during that struggle. In 1861 Fred Bubolz
was married to Augusta Mueller, who was a
daughter of Michael and Eva (Birkholz)
Mueller, natives of Germany, who brought
their family to the United States in 1854
and settled on wild land near Reedsville,
Manitowoc county, where both died. Mr.
Mueller was a wagon maker by trade, but in



this country followed farming as a means of livelihood. Fred Bubolz died in October, 1909, while his widow still survives and makes her home on the old farm. Ten children were born to them: Robert; Amelia, who married Louis Grinn, a farmer and merchant of Cato, Wisconsin; Bertha, who married Louis Klessing, a resident of Rockland township; Ida, who married John Wordel, a farmer of Maple Grove township; Augusta, who married Otto Mahnke, of Rockland township; Rosalina, who married August Reschke, a resident of that township; Henry, who is engaged in farming in Rockland township; Fred, on the old homestead; and William and Adolph, who are also engaged in cultivating the home farm. The family is connected with the Lutheran church."

Manitowoc Herald Times Reporter, December 29, 2006: "An overview of the Bubolz farm property near Reedsville, which has been in the Bubolz family for 150 years. Farm: Long history, uncertain future ... Bubolz legacy tied to land . . . "Frederick Bubolz, the second-oldest son of Daniel Bubolz and the second owner of the property, fought under General William Tecumseh Sherman during the famous March to the Sea campaign during the Civil War.

There is a family story that after the war, Frederick took a train to Fond du Lac, but was so anxious to return home to his family that he walked the rest of the way to Rockland. A Rusch, a Krueger, and a Behnke walked with him on the 45-mile hike, which took one night and the following day."

Frederick Bubolz and his wife, Augusta, had 12 children, 10 of whom survived to adulthood."

Bubolz Family website: "1. Married Augusta Mueller on 10 May 1861. 2. Have blue eyes, light hair, and was 5 ft. 7 1/2 in. Tall. 3. Drafted into the U.S. Army on 30 Sept. 1864, into Company K Seventeenth Infantry, Wisconsin Infantry. Mustered out of service 2 June 1865. 4. Died on 21 October 1909 from a stroke. 5. Had 12 children, 10 whom lived to adulthood: Robert, Amelia, Bertha, Ida, Augusta, Rosaline, Henry, Fred II, William, and Adolph."