

Terkel Osulson
17th WI Infantry, Company A

Born: June 16, 1827 in Grimstad, Norway

1860 Federal Census: WI, Manitowoc County, Manitowoc Rapids Twp:

Teskee Osalson, 33, Farmer, RE 500, b Norway

Swerene Osalson, 30, b Norway

Chd: Efelia-8, Sarah-7 both b MO, Otto-5, Petronel-3, Peter-9/12 all b Wisconsin

Enlisted: September 30, 1864 as a Private from Manitowoc Rapids, WI, 37 years old, 5'9", blue eyes, light hair

Mustered Out: June 2, 1865

1870 Federal Census: WI, Manitowoc County, Manitowoc Rapids Twp:

Torkel Oselsen, 43, Farmer, RE 2000, PE 366, b Norway

Soverinig Oselsen, 40, House Keeper, b Norway

Chd: Ocelia-19, Otto-15, Sarah-4, Peter-1, all b Wisconsin

1885 Soldiers & Sailors of the Late War, Re-

siding in Wisconsin, 1885: T. Osulson, Pvt, A 17 WI, P.O. Manitowoc Rapids

1890 Veterans Schedule, Manitowoc County:

Torkel Osulson, Pvt 17 A, post office Manitowoc; General disability-chronic rheumatism and diarrhea

Died: July 22, 1892

Buried: Gjerpen Lutheran Cemetery, Cato Township, WI

Gravesite: Lot 22; North section: "Osulson, Terkel/Co. A/17th Wis. Inf./Also Metal war marker"

Der Nord Westen, 20 July 1899: "Mrs. Sarah Osalson here has been awarded a widow's pension of \$10 a month."

Vesterheim Norwegian-American Museum web-

site: OSULSEN, Torkel: WI 17th Inf Co A. Born 16 Jun 1827 in Grimstad, Norway. Civil War: Private. Post war: Died in Gjerpen, Manitowoc County, Wisconsin, on 22 Jul 1892. Buried at Gjerpen, Valdres, Wisconsin.

Sources: (Ulvestad p320) (Wisconsin Cemetery Records) (Hedberg) "Osulson, Terkel"

