

**WILLIAM BERNARD CARLEN  
4<sup>th</sup> TENNESSEE CAVALRY BATTALION  
CSA**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

**Born:** 7 May 1824 in Wilson County, TN

**Died:** 8 Aug 1901 in Putnam County, TN

**Buried:** Leftwich Family Graveyard, Putnam County, TN

**Parents:** Hugh Webb and Martha "Patsy" (Pemberton) Carlen

**Married:** Sarah Caroline "Sallie" Holladay

**Born:** 9 Oct 1820 in Jackson County, TN

**Died:** 22 Jan. 1866

**Buried:**

**Parents:** Stephan and Henrietta (Draper) Holladay

**Children:**

1. Surena/Savannah M. Carlen
2. James Anthony Carlen
3. Emily Eudora Carlen
4. Sarah Elizabeth Carlen
5. **Nancy Henrietta Carlen md John Smith Denny**

**MILITARY INFORMATION**

**4<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Cavalry Battalion  
(also known as Hamilton's or Shaw's Cavalry Battalion)  
Company A**

**ABSTRACT:**

- Entered the military as a Private and left as a Private
- Enlisted 21 Dec 1862 at Jackson County, TN: "On Roll"
- Various Payroll Statements

**PENSION APPLICATION ABSTRACT**

**S2299**

**ABSTRACT:**

- Filed: 14 Nov 1899
- Rejected
- Residence: Buffalo Valley, Putnam County

- Member: Company A, 4th Bn. Cavalry, Captain O. P. Hamilton, WBC commanded Company A as Captain, in General Dibrell's Brigade
- Wounds: Chronic inflammation of liver
- Born: 7 May 1824 in Wilson County, TN
- Enlisted in the latter part of 1861 under Captain O. P. Hamilton's Company
- Wife is dead
- 1 son and 4 daughters
- Attest: G. M. Moore and T. A. Head

### **Supporting Documents:**

- J. H. Curtis (23 Apr 1900) - Supports claim

### **CENSUS DATA**

- **1850 Census:** Jackson County, TN, Page 249
- **1860 Census:** Jackson County, TN, Page 240
- **1870 Census:** Putnam County, TN, Page 186
- **1880 Census:** Putnam County, TN, Page 165B
- **1900 Census:** Putnam County, TN, Page 3B

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