Charles Hartung, Captain, Co. C, 24th Wisconsin Infantry

1841

February 19: Charles Hartung is born in Haueiseu, Province of Reiss, Prussia to Heinrich and Augusta Hartung.

1854

Immigrated to Two Rivers, Wisconsin to live with his uncle, Fred Hartung. Fred was a shoemaker and taught Charles the same occupation.

1861

July 17: Enlisted in the United States Army and served in Company C, 5th Wisconsin Infantry.

1862

May 5: Charles is wounded in The Battle of Williamsburg. (wounded in the left hip)

September 14: Discharged from the 5th Wisconsin Infantry. Promoted to 2nd Lieutenant of Co. C, 24th Wisconsin Infantry.

October 8: Fought in the Battle of Perryville.

December 31: Fought in The Battle of Stones River.

1863

March 12: Promoted to Captain for gallantry during The Battle of Stones River.

September 19-20: Fought in the Battle of Chickamauga.

November 25: Fought in the Battle of Missionary Ridge

1864

January 17: Fought in The Battle of Dandridge in Jefferson County, Tennessee.

May-September: Fought in the Sherman's Atlanta Campaign at Rocky Face Ridge, Resaca, Pleasant Hill, Kennesaw, Lovejoy Station, Peach Tree Creek, and Dallas.

November 30: Fought in The Battle of Franklin.

December 15: Fought in the Battle of Nashville.

1865

June 10: Mustered out of the United States Army in Nashville.

1866

September: Charles Hartung married Madalene Bader.

1880

June 11: The United States Federal Census taken in Green Bay, Brown County, Wisconsin, shows Charles, a hardware merchant, and Lena living with their children: Earnest, 12, Hulda, 9, Clara, 7, and Emma, 4.

1885-1887 Served as mayor of Green Bay Wisconsin.

1916 July 17: Charles Hartung died.

[photo Charles Hartung with handwritten yours Truly Captain Char Hartung]