Biographical and Historical Record - Adams and Wells Co. Indiana Lewis Publishing Co. Chicago, IL 1887 HENRY H. MYERS, of Washington Township, was born in Wayne County, Ohio, April 18, 1843, son

of Frederick and Christina Myers, natives of Germany. They immigrated to America in the fall of 1830, and lived in Pennsylvania several years, then removed to Wayne County, Ohio; thence to Adams County, this State, in the fall of 1851, being among the first settlers of Washington Township. The parents remained in this county until their decease, the father's death occurring February 26, 1859, and the mother's December 5, 1879. They were the parents of ten children, six of whom survive - Frederick, William J., Henry H., David L., Daniel W. and James M. The father was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church, and was one of the founders of that church in Decatur. He was an honest, hard-working pioneer, and at his death left quite a large estate. Henry H. Myers was reared to manhood in this county, and educated in the district schools. He was married October 16, 1870, to Elizabeth C. Baker, and to this union were born six children - Charles C., John T., Richard D., Wade H., Dorsey D. and Jennie E. F. In August, 1862, Mr. Myers enlisted in Company H, Eighty-ninth Indiana Infantry, as a private but was appointed Color-Sargeant of his regiment. His regiment became a part of the Sixteenth Army Corps of Sherman's army and participated in the battle of Munfordville, siege of Vicksburg, was in the Red River expedition, and took part in the principal battles on the Mississippi River. At the battle of Yellow Bayou, Louisiana, he was wounded in the left leg just below the knee, and was for several months in the hospital at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri. He then entered the Veteran Reserve Corps, and remained until his discharge in the fall of 1865. He returned home to Adams County, and has been a resident here ever since. He has served as ditch commissioner for five years; is a Democrat in politics, a member of the Masonic society at Decatur, and of the G. A. R. post. Mrs. Myers' parents, John T. and Margaret Baker, were early settlers of

Adams County.