Will Gainer c. 1898-1918 World War I

Will Gainer served as a draftee in the Recruitment Company #42 of the US Army during World War I. Born in Washington County, Florida, he worked as a laborer prior to his military service. Gainer died in service from the influenza epidemic during his time at Camp Johnston, Florida, in 1918. He is buried in the Saint Augustine National Cemetery.





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9	Have you a father, mother, wife, child under 12, or a sister or brother under 12, solely dependent on you for aupport (specify which)?
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11	What military service have you had? Rank 225 ; branch 276
12	Do you claim exemption from draft (apecify grounds)?
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"Will Gainer." WWI Draft Registration Cards. (Front) Gainer worked as a laborer.

Gainer listed his year of birth as 1891 to make himself eligible for the draft.



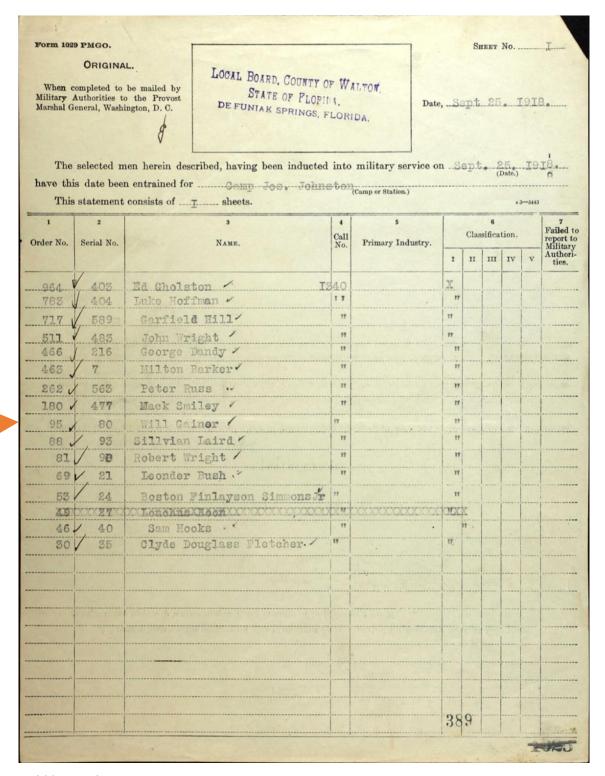


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"Will Gainer." WWI Draft Registration Cards. (Back) Gainer registered on June 5, 1917.







"Will Gainer." List of Men Inducted into Military Service. Walton County Draft Board.

Gainer sent to Camp Joe Johnston, FL on September 25, 1919.



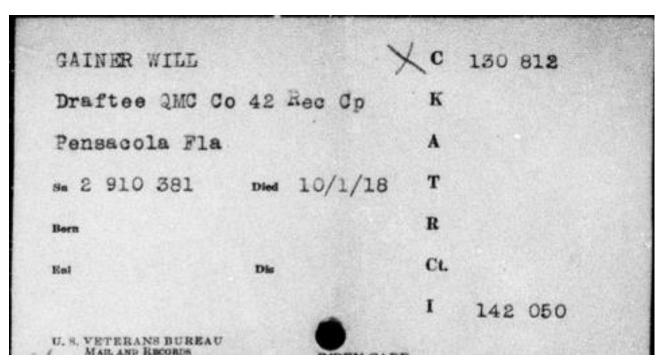


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"Will Gainer." Florida Death Certificate. Gainer died at Camp Johnston while serving in the military.







"Will Gainer." VA Master Index. Updated to status of death on October 1, 1918.





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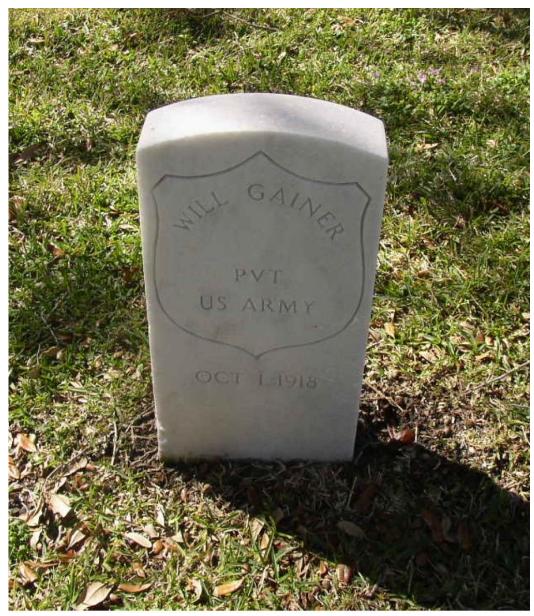


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"Will Gainer." Cemetery Interment Control Forms. Saint Augustine National Cemetery.







"Will Gainer." Find a Grave Headstone. Saint Augustine National Cemetery.



