James Gossard, Private, Co. A 183rd OH Infantry U.S.

1824 February 13: Gossard was born in Fayette County, OH to Jacob and Mary Gossard.

1846 March 25: Married Sarah Baughn in Fayette County, OH.

1850 July 25: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Wayne Township, Auglaize County, OH showed James, a farmer, and Sarah living with their two young children.

1860 June 14: The U.S. Federal Census taken in Wayne Township, Auglaize County, OH showed James, a farmer, and Sarah living with their eight children.

1863 June: Registered for the Civil War draft in Auglaize County, OH.

1864 September 19: Enlisted in the U.S. Army. ***Brother Philip enlisted 2 days earlier on September 17.***

November 30: Fought in the Battle of Franklin. His brother Philip was wounded and killed.

1865 May 25: Mustered out of the U.S. Army in Albany, NY.

1870 July 13: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Wayne Township, Auglaize County, OH showed James, a farmer, and Sarah living with their eleven children.
1880  June 12: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Wayne Township, Auglaize County, OH showed James, a farmer, and Sarah living with five of their children.

1900  June 27: The U.S. Federal Census enumerated in Wayne Township, Auglaize County, OH showed James, a farmer, living with his wife Sarah.

1904  *The Hocking Sentinel*, Logan, OH.

1906  March 2: James Monroe Gossard died. He is buried at the Berry Cemetery in Auglaize County, OH. Sarah followed her husband in death just a few short months later.