Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Daniel W BOLLES

Birth Date: 11 April 1846 Location: Burlington, Carroll County, Indiana

Death Date: 20 Jan 1932

Location: Orange County, California Buried at: Westminster Memorial Park Plot Location: Pines – 32, 102, 3 GPS Coordinates: N33.750887 W117.990466 (DD) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location



Side Served –

Rank: Private Company: E Unit: 51st Infantry State: Illinois

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents -

Father: Henry Bolles Birth Date/Location: 1802, Connecticut Death Date/Location: 1849, Indiana Mother: Mary Smith Birth Date/Location: 1825, Kentucky Death Date/Location: unknown Married William White

Spouse: Hester J Farnsworth

Birth Date / Location: 1852, Illinois Death Date/Location: Unknown Marriage Date / Location: 30 March 1870, Vermilion County, Illinois

Children –

Name: Lillian Bolles

Birth Date / Location: 18 January 1873, Indiana Death Date / Location: 1957, California Married James Milton Short, 8 February 1924, Bloomington, Indiana

Spouse: Mary M Hammer

Birth Date / Location: 1860, Illinois Death Date/Location: unknown Marriage Date / Location: 10 April 1878, Vermilion County, Illinois

Children -

Name: Thomas Bolles Birth Date / Location: Abt 1879, Indiana Death Date / Location: Before 1932

Name: Fred E Bolles

Birth Date / Location: 30 June 1882, Indiana Death Date / Location: 19 June 1924, Parke County, Indiana Married Rodda Dethrow

Name: Stella Bolles

Birth Date / Location: 18 December 1885, Indiana Death Date / Location: 24 July 1930, Parke County, Indiana Married Roy Medford Moss, 26 August 1905

Spouse: Mathilda Myrtle Hatfield

Birth Date / Location: 22 February 1871, Danville, Illinois Death Date/Location: 13 Dec 1936, Cayuga, Vermillion County, Indiana Marriage Date / Location: 19 August 1892, Indiana

Children -

Name: Martin B Bolles

Birth Date / Location: 1905, Illinois Death Date / Location: Before 1932

Additional Information

Daniel W Bolles enlisted as a Private with Co E, 51st Illinois Infantry on 27 February 1864 at Middleford, Vermilion County, Illinois for a period of three years. He mustered out 31 March 1864 at Chicago, Illinois.

Mary Smith, Daniel Bolles mother, married Henry Bolles in Carroll County, Indiana, 14 June 1845. Henry Bolles died in 1849. Daniel and his mother are found living in a boarding house in Irvin, Howard County, Illinois in 1850 and appear in the census with the last name of 'Bowls'. By 1860 they have moved to Vermilion County, Illinois where Mary Bolles marries William White.

Daniel enlists in the Civil War from Vermilion County. In 1870 Daniel marries Hester Farnsworth and they continue to reside in Vermilion County. They have one child, Lillian. In 1878 Daniel marries Mary M Hammer and are living in Parke County, Indiana in 1880. They have three children, Thomas, Stella and Fred. By1892 he has married Mathilda Myrtle Hatfield.

In 1931 Daniel and Myrtle travel to Orange County to visit his daughter Lillian Bolles Short. Daniel dies in Orange County January 1932. After his death his wife Myrtle returns to Indiana. In California in February 1932, Myrtle applies for and receives Daniel Bolles Civil War pension.

Daniel W Bolles was a member of GAR, Altoona Post No 407, Waterman, Indiana

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- Record for Henry Bolles and Mary Smith
- Record for Daniel W Bolles and Matilda M Hatfield
- Record for Matilda M Hatfield
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- Record for Lillian Mary Bolles and James Milton Short

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• Record for Daniel W Bolles

Indiana, Death Certificates, 1899-2011

- Record for Myrtle M Hatfield Bolles
- Record for Stella Moss

State of California - Death Certificate, Place of Death Dist No 355

- Born in Burlington, Indiana
- Father Henry Bolles
- Mother Mary
- Wife -Myrtle Bolles

Find A Grave, database and images - https://www.findagrave.com

- Memorial 185811250, Created by Charles Lewis Beal, Record for Daniel W Bolles
- Memorial 127177368, Created by macso, Record for Lillian M Short
- Memorial 11491250, Created by Robin Farley Dixson, Record for Fred E Bolles

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Thursday, January 21, 1932, Pg 4, Col 4

• Daniel Bolles Is Called by Death

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Thursday, January 21, 1932, Pg 3, Col 2

• Death Notice – Daniel Bolles

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