

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Samuel Rawson BURGAN ⁴ 1

Birth Date: September 1841 ⁵

Location: Riley, Sandusky County, Ohio

Death Date: 25 April 1929 ²

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park ²

Plot Location: V-108 ²

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 09.84058" W117° 50' 36.71646" ²

(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location.



Side Served: Union ³

Rank: Corporal

Company: G

Unit: 111th Infantry

State: Ohio

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Samuel B. Borgan ^{2,7}

Birth Date/Location: Wayne County, Ohio ⁷

Death Date/Location: 1841, Sandusky County, Ohio ⁷

Mother: Sophronia Manning ^{2,7}

Birth Date/Location: ABT 1815, Ohio ⁶

Death Date/Location: 1864, Sandusky County, Ohio ⁷

Spouse: Celeste Hunter ²

Birth Date / Location: 1 December 1843, Ohio ^{2,5,7}

Death Date/Location: 25 February 1932, Santa Ana, Orange County, California ²

Marriage Date / Location: 3 July 1867, Riley, Sandusky County, Ohio ²

Children –

Name: Frank J. Borgan (Adopted) ²

Birth Date / Location: 1874, Missouri ²

Death Date / Location: unknown

The following children were living with Samuel and Celeste and are listed a Nephew's in the 1880 census

Name: Albert Burgan ⁸

Birth Date / Location: 1867, Missouri ⁸

Death Date / Location: 1926, Litchfield, Hillsdale County, Michigan ²

Name: Daniel Burgan ⁸

Birth Date / Location: Abt 1877, Indiana ⁸

Death Date / Location: Aft 1940, Michigan

Additional Information

Samuel's grandfather , Daniel Patrick Burgan, served in the Revolutionary War (Captain, Buck's County, Pennsylvania Militia).

Samuel Burgan enlisted in Company G, Ohio 111th Infantry Regiment on 21 Aug 1862. Mustered out on 27 Jun 1865 at Salisbury, NC.

Sources

Historical Data Systems, comp. *U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles*[database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2009.

Findagrave.com, searchable database of cemeteries with tombstone inscriptions, memorials and photographs

- Samuel R. Burgan, Memorial #8722220, Created by: Shiver, added May 04, 2004
- Celeste *Hunter* Burgan, Memorial 25162192, Created by: Kathryn Bryan Matter, Added Mar 09, 2008
- Albert Burgan, Memorial 55358377, Created by: Anonymous, Addd Jul 24, 2010

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Portrait & Biographical Album of Hillsdale County Michigan 1888, Chapman Bros. p 745, extract on Hillsdale County MIGenWeb

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- Riley, Sandusky County, Ohio, Roll M653_1032, Page 29, Family 414, Lines 17 to 21, record for Sophronia Burgan

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Footnotes

¹ Photograph of tombstone for Samuel R. Burgan, Fairhaven Memorial Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/09/2007. Retrieved 27 May 2012, from Findagrave.com. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

² Findagrave.com

³ Historical Data Systems, comp.. *U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2009.

⁴ *Pioneers in Blue and Gray", Civil War Veterans in Orange County* by Gordon Bricken

⁵ 1900 Census, Litchfield, Hillsdale County, Michigan

⁶ 1860 Census, Riley, Sandusky County, Ohio

⁷ *Portrait & Biographical Album of Hillsdale County Michigan 1888*, record for Samuel R. Burgan

⁸ 1880 Census Litchfield, Hillsdale County, Michigan