

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: William C. CLARK

Birth Date: April 1843

Location: Armstrong County, Pennsylvania

Death Date: 18 August 1911

Location: est. Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery

Plot Location: UNK (, 1, 1)

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 13.05815" W117° 50' 20.14759"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: A/G

Unit: 78th Infantry

State: Pennsylvania

Occupation: Farmer, Teamster

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Robert Clark

Birth Date/Location: Abt 1822, Ireland

Death Date/Location: unknown

Mother: Euphia

Birth Date/Location: Abt 1820, Ireland

Death Date/Location: unknown

Spouse: Matilda Hammond Cooper

Birth Date / Location: Sept 1847, Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location: Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: 1869, unknown

Children –

Name: Charles E. Clark

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1870, Pennsylvania

Death Date / Location: unknown

Name: Mary U. Clark

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1871, Pennsylvania

Death Date / Location: unknown

Name: Etta May Clark (Adams)

Birth Date/Location: 21 April 1876, Hastings, Adams County, Nebraska

Death Date / Location: 13 July 1954, Orange, Orange County, California

Name: William Clark

Birth Date/Location: Aft 1880, Nebraska

Death Date/Location: 9 November 1882, Hamilton County, Nebraska

Name: Hugh C. Clark

Birth Date/Location: 17 July 1887, Nebraska

Death Date/Location: 19 March 1972, Orange County, California

World War I Draft Registration, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR**Pennsylvania Civil War Veteran's Card Files**

William Clark enlisted on 25 August 1862 at Kittanning, Armstrong County, Pennsylvania.

Mustered in at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania on 13 September 1862, mustered out 19 June 1865

Born in Armstrong County, Pennsylvania, farmer, 5' 7", Grey Eyes and Light hair

Transferred from Co G, 18 October 1864

Civil War Pension Index

G and A, 78 PA INF

William Clark, invalid, 26 July 1890, Nebraska

Matilda H Clark, widow, 28 August 1911, California

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Comments

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