

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Levi Jackson COLBY

Birth Date: 24 May 1831 ^{2, 8}

Location: Thornton, Grafton County, New Hampshire ¹⁰

Death Date: 14 July 1903 ^{2, 4}

Location: Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery

Plot Location: Garden Masonic Section 4 Lot 2 Space 7

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 12.78924" W117° 50' 26.66001"

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

Side Served: Union ^{1, 2}

Rank: Private

Company: E

Unit: 24th Infantry Regiment

State: Wisconsin

Occupation: Farmer, Horticulturist

Family Information

Parents –

Father: James H. Colby ^{4, 5}

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1799, New Hampshire ^{4, 5}

Death Date/Location: Milwaukee, Wisconsin ⁴

Mother: Betsey Anderson ^{4, 5}

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1804, New Hampshire ⁴

Death Date/Location: Abt 1875, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin

Spouse: Lucretia J. Douglas ⁴

Birth Date/Location: 8 December 1842, Lake, Milwaukee County, Wisconsin ⁸

Death Date/Location: 12 Aug 1907, Santa Ana, Orange County, California ⁸

Marriage Date/Location: 1866 ⁷, unknown

Children – None

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted 21 August 1862, disability discharge 11 December 1862

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