

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: John Gossom EATON

Birth Date: 26 January 1844

Location: Indiana

Death Date: 1 July 1895

Location: unknown

Buried at: Santa Ana Cemetery

Plot Location: N (5, 2, 6)

GPS Coordinates: unknown

Side Served: Union

Rank: Corporal¹

Company: D

Unit: 9th Cavalry Regiment

State: Indiana

Occupation: Stock Grower

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Samuel Eaton

Birth Date/Location: 5 September 1806, Westmoreland County, Virginia

Death Date/Location: 12 September 1879, Union County, Indiana

Mother: Nancy Simpson

Birth Date/Location: 2 March 1814, Sullivan County, Tennessee

Death Date/Location: 3 January 1894, Union County, Indiana

Spouse: Lucy A. La Fuze

Birth Date / Location: 2 Jan 1852, Indiana

Death Date/Location: 3 February 1923, Lebanon, Linn County, Oregon

Buried at Santa Ana Cemetery with John Eaton

Marriage Date / Location: 25 December 1870, Union County, Indiana

Children –

Name: Maud Irene Eaton (Burtenshaw)

Birth Date / Location: September 1874, Union County, Nebraska

Death Date / Location: 6 December 1943, Lebanon, Linn County, Oregon

Name: Claude Irving Eaton

Birth Date / Location: 24 June 1879, Union County, Nebraska

Death Date / Location: 12 June 1968, Sonoma County, California

World War I Draft Registration, California

Name: Nancyanna Lida Eaton (Mitchell)

Birth Date / Location: 27 August 1880, Liberty, Carroll County, Indiana

Death Date / Location: 24 August 1951, Garden Grove, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles

Enlisted 17 December 1863, promoted to Full Corporal, mustered out 28 August 1865 at Indianapolis, Indiana

John's grandfather William Eaton was Private in the Revolutionary War fighting for the state of Virginia

After John's death, his wife Lucy married Richard Stoops in 1907.

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Comments

- One source lists that John died in Lebanon, Linn County, Oregon.