

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Louis HEIL

Birth Date: February 18, 1847

Location: New York

Death Date: 18 May 1909

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at: Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: L-22-A

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 17.93892" W117° 50' 32.68697"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: G

Unit: 7th Cavalry

State: Iowa

Occupation: Farmer, Stone Mason

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Johann Peter Heil

Birth Date/Location: 26 January 1808, Germany

Death Date/Location: 8 March 1894, Santa Ana, California

Mother: Louisa Bulling

Birth Date/Location: 16 May 1814, Germany

Death Date/Location: February 1847, Lewis County, New York

Spouse: Elizabeth Susan Steves

Birth Date / Location: 21 October 1855, New Braunsfel, Comal County, Texas

Death Date/Location: 4 July 1933, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: 1877

Children –

Name: Florence Heil (Price)

Birth Date / Location: June 1877, Texas

Death Date / Location:

Name: Beren Heil (Baker)

Birth Date / Location: 8 March 1879, Texas

Death Date / Location: 28 February 1945, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Mordaunt Heil

Birth Date / Location: 14 August 1881, Texas

Death Date / Location: 23 February 1953, Orange County, California

Name: Viva Andross Heil (Nelson, Gossett)

Birth Date / Location: 23 May 1884, Texas

Death Date / Location: 20 December 1981, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Armand Louis Heil

Birth Date / Location: 25 November 1886, Austin, Travis County, Texas

Death Date / Location: 27 March 1956, El Dorado County, California

Name: Ethel L Heil (Holsclaw)

Birth Date / Location: 19 June 1889, Texas

Death Date / Location: 7 July 1985, Orange County, California

Name: Valentine Allie Heil (Harding)

Birth Date / Location: 14 February 1892, Texas

Death Date / Location: 2 May 1981, Orange County, California

Name: Vernon C Heil

Birth Date / Location: 26 February 1895, California

Death Date / Location: 27 January 1951, Orange County, California

World War I Draft Registration, California

Name: Flora Heil (Sauers)

Birth Date / Location: 8 October 1898, California

Death Date / Location: 16 March 1995, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S., Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles, 1861 – 1865

Lewis Heil age 18 and residing in Topeka, Shawnee, Kansas enlisted in Co G, Iowa 7th Cavalry Regiment on 23 July 1864. Mustered out 17 May 1866 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Civil War Pension Index

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Lewis Heil, invalid 24 September 1900, California

Elizabeth S Heil, widow, 28 May 1909, California

Louis Heil's daughter Florence married Sterling Price son of Civil War Veteran John D Price also buried in Orange County.

Louis Heil's niece Henrietta Heil married Henry Greenwald son of Civil War veteran Peter Greenwald also buried in Orange County.

Louis Heil's son Vernon C Heil, served during World War I

Louis Heil's grandson, Chester Louis Heil, served with the US Army during World War II

Louis Heil's grandson, Armand Dale Heil, served with the US Navy during World War II

Louis Heil's grandson, Norman H Harding, served with the US Coast Guard during World War II
Louis Heil;s grandson, Donald G Harding, served with the US Navy during World War II

Photograph of tombstone for Louis Heil, Fairhaven Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Judy Kendig, 3/1/2012.

Sources

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Seventh Census of the United States, 1850; (National Archives Microfilm Publication M432, 1009 rolls); Records of the Bureau of the Census, Record Group 29; National Archives, Washington, D.C.

1860 U.S. census, population schedule. NARA microfilm publication M653, 1,438 rolls. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.

- Monmouth, Shawnee County, Kansas Territory; Roll M65_352, Page 701, Family 523, Record for Peter Heil

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- Topeka Ward 3, Shawnee County, Kanas; Roll M593_442, Page 215A, Family 101, Record for Lewis Heil

Tenth Census of the United States, 1880. (NARA microfilm publication T9, 1,454 rolls). Records of the Bureau of the Census, Record Group 29. National Archives, Washington, D.C.

- Precinct 3, Travis County, Texas; Roll T9_1329, Page 92D, ED 124, Family 281, Record for Louis Heil

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- Westminster, Orange County, California; Roll T623_95, Page 33A, ED 0142, Family 751, Record for Louis Heil

State of California. California Death Index, 1940-1997. Sacramento, CA, USA: State of California Department of Health Services, Center for Health Statistics, Microfilm

- Record for Mourdaunt Jp Heil, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves
- Record for Viva Andross Gossett, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves, Father's: Heil
- Record for Armand Louis Heil, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves
- Record for Ethel L Holsclaw, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves, Father's: Heil
- Record for Valentine Allie Harding, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves, Father's: Heil
- Record for Vernon C Heil, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves
- Record for Flora Heil Sauers, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves, Father's: Heil
- Record for Beren Baker, Mother's Maiden Name: Steves, Father's: Heil

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

- Memorial 58969472, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Louis Heil
- Memorial 58969460, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Elizabeth Susan Steves Heil
- Memorial 58969477, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Mordaunt J.P. Heil
- Memorial 58986231, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Viva A Nelson Gossett
- Memorial 58969455, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Armand Louis Heil
- Memorial 100467068, Created by Gloria Barnes, Record for Ethel L. *Heil* Holsclaw
- Memorial 58968584, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Valentine *Heil* Harding
- Memorial 58969482, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Vernon C Heil
- Memorial 59316935, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Flora Heil Sauers
- Memorial 58490637, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Beren *Heil* Baker
- Memorial 62013278, Created by Stuart Strout Woodside, Record for Johann Peter Heil
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