

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Thomas Lemuel HILL

Birth Date: 6 April 1842

Location: Madison County, Tennessee

Death Date: 11 January 1932

Location: Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: Q-225-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 15.89289" W117° 50' 34.99352"

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



Side Served: Confederacy

Rank: Private

Company: H

Unit: 1st Mounted Rifles Regiment

State: Arkansas

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Levin Hill

Birth Date/Location: Abt 1807, Tennessee

Death Date/Location: Bef 1870, Arkansas

Mother: Claudia J. Jelks

Birth Date/Location: 1813, North Carolina

Death Date/Location: Bef 1860, Arkansas

Spouse: Adeline “Addie” Elizabeth Williams

Birth Date/Location: 2 May 1852, Arkansas

Death Date/Location: 18 February 1935, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 7 May 1873, Little Rock, Pulaski, Arkansas

Children –

Name: Alice E. Hill (Hatch)

Birth Date/Location: 28 February 1874, Lewisburg County, Arkansas

Death Date / Location: 22 July 1964, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Name: Claudia Hill (Worswick)

Birth Date/Location: 30 December 1875, Arkansas

Death Date/Location: 5 May 1971, Orange County, California

Name: Edwin Douglas Hill

Birth Date/Location: 31 December 1879, Arkansas

Death Date / Location: 7 January 1964, Monterey County, California

Name: John Marshall Hill

Birth Date/Location: 15 July 1880, unknown

Death Date/Location: 19 December 1880

Name: Thomas L. Hill Jr.

Birth Date/Location: 23 December 1881, Arkansas

Death Date / Location: 24 February 1961, unknown

Name: Elizabeth "Bessie" Williams Hill

Birth Date/Location: 11 November 1884, Arkansas

Death Date/Location: 24 May 1965, Orange County, California

Name: Adeline W. Hill (Fleming)

Birth Date/Location: 3 March 1891, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 19 November 1975, San Diego County, California

Name: Robert Lee Hill

Birth Date/Location: 27 August 1895, Kansas

Death Date/Location: November 1980, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Received Southern Cross 19 January 1917, Emma Sansom Chapter 449 Santa Ana

Compiled Service Records of Confederate Soldiers

Enlisted at the age of 19 for a period of 12 months as a Private with Capt. Daniel's Company, Churchill's Mounted Rifled Regiment, Arkansas Volunteers 9 June 1861 at Ft. Smith, Arkansas. He was taken prisoner at the battle of Sugar Creek in 1862. Captured at Pea Ridge 8 May 1862 and was in a prisoner exchange 17 May 1862. Wounded at Murfreesboro, Tennessee. 31 December 1862. Was at French's Hospital in Lockhart, Mississippi and released back to duty 9 November 1863. Captured again at Perry County, Arkansas 3 April 1865 and released on 7 May 1865. Gave Amnesty Oath and Oath of Allegiance 7 May 1865.

Photograph of tombstone for Thomas Lemuel Hill, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/10/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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