OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Lovejoy HUNT

Birth Date: 10 December 1837
Location: Peru, Morrow County, Ohio

Death Date: 1 June 1914
Location: Santa Ana, Orange County, California
Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery
Plot Location: North MM (-, 6, 7)
GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 15.23242" W117° 50' 27.29350"
(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location

Side Served: Union
Rank: Private
Company: D
Unit: 20th Infantry Regiment
State: Illinois

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –
Father: William Fleet Hunt
Birth Date/Location: October 1804, New Jersey
Death Date/Location: 3 December 1875, Wellington, Sumner County, Kansas
Mother: Mary L. Barnes
Birth Date/Location: abt. 1810, Vermont
Death Date/Location: 16 December 1891, Orange, Orange County, California

Spouse: Eliza Ann Rien
Birth Date/Location: January 1844, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 1926, California
Marriage Date/Location: 1 April 1866, Livingston County, Illinois

Children –
Name: Jessie F. Hunt (Wilkes)
Birth Date/Location: September 1867, Illinois
Death Date/Location: Aft 1930, California

Name: Duran L. Hunt
Birth Date/Location: 6 March 1869, Illinois
Death Date/Location: 10 December 1943, Orange County, California
Name: David Garrison Hunt
Birth Date/Location: 16 June 1876, Illinois
Death Date/Location: 27 June 1967, Riverside County, California
Name: George W. Hunt
Birth Date/Location: 11 August 1879, Illinois
Death Date/Location: December 1967, Los Angeles County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

U.S. Civil War Soldier Records and Profiles
Enlisted 22 April 1861 at Pontiac, Illinois, mustered in 13 June 1861, mustered out 12 June 1864 at Chattanooga, Tennessee

Illinois Civil War Muster Rolls
Lovejoy Hunt, 23, single and a native of Peru, Morrow County, Ohio enlisted as a Private in Co D, 20 Illinois US Infantry on 13 June 1861at Joliet, Illinois for a period of 3 years. He was 5' 11" with sandy hair and blue eyes and worked as a farmer. He mustered in 13 June 1861 and 13 June 1864.

Civil War Pension Index
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Lovejoy Hunt, invalid, 4 April 1879
Eliza A Hunt, widow, 11 June 1914, California

Lovejoy Hunts brother William (alias Garrison) served during the Civil War with Co C, 53rd Illinois Infantry. He died 10 August 1863 due to illness.

Photograph of tombstone for Lovejoy Hunt,Santa Ana Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/01/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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