

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Owen NEYLON

Birth Date: August 1846
Location: New York

Death Date: 26 July 1926
Location: Orange County, California
Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park
Plot Location: W-380-1
GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 11.75711" W117° 50' 37.12306"
(DMS) Datum: NAD83. Coordinates are +/- 1.00 feet of the grave location.



Side Served: Union
Rank: Landsman
Unit: USS Vermont
State: US Navy

Occupation: Miner

Family Information

Parents –

Father: unknown
Birth Date/Location: unknown, Ireland
Death Date/Location: unknown, unknown

Mother: unknown
Birth Date/Location: Ireland
Death Date/Location: unknown

Spouse: Louisa Inwall (Hoffrage, Saylor)
Birth Date / Location: January 1850, Ohio
Death Date/Location: 1924, Orange County, California
Marriage Date / Location: 1891, Inyo County, California

Children – Step Daughter

Name: Ida Leila Saylor (Deck)
Birth Date / Location: 17 September 1881, California
Death Date / Location: 8 December 1975, Orange County, California

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Enlisted 5 July 1864 in New York City as a Landsman with the US Navy, "Vermont", discharged 27 May 1865 at Brooklyn, New York.

Owen Neylon owned the Mable Mine located on the western slopes of the White Mountain range 11 miles north of Bishop Creek.

Photograph of headstone for Owen Neylon, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/12/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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