

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veterans Name: William Shakespear PRITCHARD

Birth Date: December 1845

Location: Kentucky

Death Date: 22 October 1920

Location: Orange, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: R-212-5

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 15.58096" W117° 50' 32.21462"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: 3rd Class Musician

Company: Band

Unit: 25th Infantry Regiment

State: Indiana

Rank: Private

Company: D

Unit: 74th Infantry Regiment

State: Indiana

Rank: Private

Company: H

Unit: 22nd Infantry Regiment

State: Indiana

Occupation: Carpenter, House Contractor

Family Information

Parents –

Father: William Fowler Pritchard

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1817, England

Death Date/Location: bef. 1880, Unknown

Mother: Florence McDonagh

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1818, England

Death Date/Location: 9 August 1896, New Harmony, Posey County, Indiana

Spouse: Charlotte Emily Metcalf

Birth Date/Location: July 1853, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 10 June 1930, Los Angeles County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 28 December 1876, Edwards County, Illinois

Children –

Name: Thomas McDonough Pritchard

Birth Date/Location: 10 January 1878, Albion, Edwards, Illinois

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Julia Mary Pritchard (Low)

Birth Date/Location: 30 January 1880, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 3 October 1967, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Florence C. Pritchard (Lawrence)

Birth Date/Location: November 1885, California

Death Date/Location: 3 November 1919, Clark County, Washington

Name: Walter Howard Pritchard

Birth Date/Location: 22 August 1887, Edwards County, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 23 November 1934, Pullman, Whitman County,
Washington

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Enlisted in Company Band, 25th Indiana Infantry 19 August 1861. Enlisted 3 October 1864, mustered in as a substitute in Company D, Indiana 74th Infantry, 31 October 1864, transferred to Company H, 22nd Indiana Infantry 9 June 1865, mustered out 13 July 1865

William's father, William, served in the Band of the 25th Indiana Infantry during the Civil War.

Photograph of tombstone for William S Pritchard, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/14/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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