

# OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

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## Veteran's Information

**Veteran's Name:** Thomas ROBINSON

**Birth Date:** 1849

Location: Canada

**Death Date:** 16 August 1890

Location: Unknown

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: Z-218-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 10.89408" W117° 50' 30.09466"

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

**Side Served:** Union

Rank: 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant

Company: A

Unit: 12<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

**Occupation:** Lumber Dealer

## Family Information

**Parents –**

**Father:** Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Unknown

Death Date/Location: Unknown

**Mother:** Unknown

Birth Date/Location: Unknown

Death Date/Location: Unknown

**Spouse:** Sarah J.

Birth Date/Location:

Death Date/Location:

Marriage Date/Location:

**Children –**

**Name:** unknown

Birth Date/Location:

Death Date/Location:

## Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

### Illinois Civil War Detail Report

Thomas Robinson age 18, born in Canada and residing in Chicago, Cook County, Illinois enlisted as a Private in Company A, 12 Illinois US Infantry on April 24, 1864 at Chicago, Illinois. He joined for a period of 3 years. He was 5' 10" with light hair and hazel eyes and was employed as a clerk.

He mustered in on May 11, 1864 at Camp Butler, Illinois and mustered out as a Sergeant on July 10, 1865 in Louisville, Kentucky

### Civil War Pension Index

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Thomas Robinson, invalid, 9 August 1890, California

Sarah J. Robinson, widow, 6 September 1890, California

## Sources

National Archives and Records Administration. *U.S., Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc., 2000

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

- Memorial 8722396, Created by Shiver, Record for Sgt Thomas Robinson

Ancestry.com. *Headstones Provided for Deceased Union Civil War Veterans, 1879-1903* [database on-line]. Provo, UT, USA: Ancestry.com Operations Inc, 2007

- Record for Thomas Robinson

"Illinois Civil War Muster and Descriptive Rolls" Searchable Database, Illinois State Archives, An Index Compiled by Fred Delap in cooperation with the Illinois State Archives, <http://www.ilsos.gov/isaveterans/civilmustersrch.jsp>

State of California, United States. Great Register of Voters. Sacramento, California: California State Library.

- 1888, Robinson, Thomas, 42, Canada, Lumberdealer, Santa Ana, naturalized October 1866 in Detroit Michigan

1870 U.S. census, population schedules. NARA microfilm publication M593, 1,761 rolls. Washington, D.C.: National Archives and Records Administration, n.d.

- Detroit Ward 10, Wayne County, Michigan; Roll M593\_715, Page 368B, Family 102, Record for Thomas Robinson