

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Reverend James Allen SEATON

Birth Date: 28 February 1840

Location: Brunerstown, Jefferson County, Kentucky

Death Date: 15 August 1912

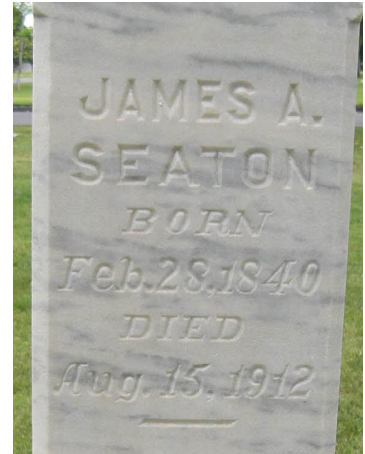
Location: Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Santa Ana Cemetery

Plot Location: NORTH M-18-8

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 14.71683" W117° 50' 26.36973"

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



Side Served: Union

Rank: Sergeant/Private

Company: G

Unit: 78th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Rank: 2nd Lieutenant

Company: B

Unit: 137th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Occupation: Farmer, Minister, Insurance Agent

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Charles Drake Seaton

Birth Date/Location: 3 November 1803, Jefferson County, Kentucky

Death Date/Location: 3 April 1872, Columbus, Adams County, Illinois

Mother: Elizabeth Payne

Birth Date/Location: 22 October 1803, Culpepper, Culpepper County, Virginia

Death Date/Location: 31 October 1893, Columbus, Adams County, Illinois

Spouse: Mary E. Bradley

Birth Date/Location: 23 May 1841, Jefferson County, Kentucky

Death Date/Location: 23 June 1910, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Marriage Date/Location: 20 February 1862, Adams County, Illinois

Children –

Name: Ossian Ellsworth Seaton

Birth Date/Location: November 1864, Illinois

Death Date/Location: after 1901

Name: Juaniata Jane Seaton (Horton)

Birth Date/Location: October 1865, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 4 July 1911, Orange County, California

Name: Sanry C. Seaton

Birth Date/Location: 16 April 1869, Missouri

Death Date/Location: 3 September 1870, Linn County, Missouri

Name: Fannie E. Seaton (Reeves)

Birth Date/Location: 13 March 1871, Missouri

Death Date/Location: 28 April 1947, Orange County, California

Name: Clara “Carrie” Belle Seaton

Birth Date/Location: 28 March 1875, Adams County, Illinois

Death Date/Location: 3 February 1949, Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Name: Nellie M. Seaton

Birth Date/Location: November 1876, Illinois

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Additional Information

Illinois Civil War Detail Report

James A Seaton was married, age 22 and born in Brunerstown, Jefferson County, Kentucky when he joined Co G, 78th Illinois US Infantry as a Sergeant. Residing in Columbus, Adams County, Illinois he enlisted on 7 August 1862 at Columbus, Adams County, Illinois for a period of 3 years. Muster In 1 September 1862 at Quincy, Illinois as a Sergeant. He re-enlisted as a 2nd Lieutenant in Co B, 137 Illinois US Infantry on 7 May 1864 at Columbus, Adams County, Illinois for a period of 100 days. Muster In 5 June 1864 at Quincy, Illinois and muster out 25 September 1864 at Springfield, Illinois

Photograph of tombstone for Rev James Allen Seaton, Santa Ana Cemetery, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/04/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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- Memorial 7615615, Created by Eldora Sasser, Record for Mary E. *Bradley* Seaton
- Memorial 7615610, Created by Eldora Sasser, Record for Carrie Belle Seaton
- Memorial 7597190, Created by Eldora Sasser, Record for Jennie S. Horton
- Memorial 100452054, Created by Margi, Record for Fannie E. Reeves
- Memorial 138019968, Created by Lin, Record for Sanry C Seaton
- Memorial 14516213, Created by Kathy Merris Mills, Record for Charles Drake Seaton
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