

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: John D. SPICER

Birth Date: 7 March 1833

Location: Sussex County, Delaware

Death Date: 18 October 1919

Location: Santa Ana, Orange County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: I-81-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 17.03664" W117° 50' 29.04320"

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



Side Served - Union

Rank: Private

Company: K

Unit: 99th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Occupation: Landlord

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Lewis Spicer

Birth Date/Location: abt 1795, Delaware

Death Date/Location: Delaware

Mother: Jane B. Chattam

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1812, Delaware

Death Date/Location: aft 1870, Illinois

Spouse: Ida L. Basim

Birth Date / Location: May 1843, Illinois

Death Date/Location: BET 1900 and 1910, California

Marriage Date / Location: 25 November 1864, Adams County, Illinois

Children –

Name: William H. Spicer

Birth Date / Location: September 1866, Pike County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 18 April 1934, California

Name: Emma J. Spicer (Orebaugh)

Birth Date / Location: abt. 1868, Pike County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: aft 1900

Name: Fannie Spicer (Buffington)

Birth Date / Location: March 1870, Pike County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: aft 1940, Illinois

Name: Lewis Ernest Spicer

Birth Date / Location: 13 January 1872, Kansas

Death Date / Location: 1 July 1940, San Diego, San Diego County, California

Name: George Harvey Spicer

Birth Date / Location: 25 March 1874, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 19 December 1958, Los Angeles County, California

Name: Gertrude Spicer (Blaylock)

Birth Date / Location: November 1875, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 15 July 1932, Orange County, California

Name: Charles Ridgley Spicer

Birth Date / Location: 26 January 1878, Adams County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 8 June 1966, Yakima County, Washington

Name: Mary Spicer (Noe)

Birth Date / Location: abt. 1880, unknown Pike County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: unknown

Name: Edward A. Spicer

Birth Date / Location: 19 April 1883, Adams County, Illinois

Death Date / Location: aft 1940

Additional Information

Member of Sedgwick Post No 17, GAR

Illinois Civil War Detail Report

John P. Spicer, age 31, single and living in Barry, Pike County, Illinois was born in Sussex County, Delaware. Enlisted as a Private in Co K, 99 Illinois US Infantry on 14 August 1862 at New Salem, Illinois for a period of 3 years. Muster In 23 August 1862 at Florence, Illinois and discharged 20 March 1863 for disability.

John Spicer's son, William H., was a veteran of the Spanish American War.

Photograph of headstone for John D. Spicer, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 3/16/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Beal.

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