

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

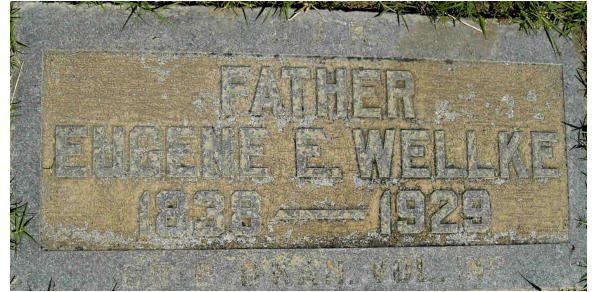
Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Eugene E. WELLKE

Birth Date: 24 May 1838

Location: Prussia, Germany

Immigration Date: 1846



Death Date: 29 April 1929

Location: Pasadena, Los Angeles County, California

Buried at (Cemetery): Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: W-475-1

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 11.46316" W117° 50' 36.93690"

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

Side Served: Union

Rank: Private

Company: B

Unit: 8th Infantry Regiment

State: Kansas

Occupation: Farmer

Family Information

Parents –

Father: Simon Peter Wellke

Birth Date/Location: 25 August 1804, Prussia, Germany

Death Date/Location: 19 March 1891, Orange County, California

Mother: Ernestine H.

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1811, Germany

Death Date/Location: 23 August 1898, Orange County, California

Spouse: Elvira Matilda Dalton

Birth Date/Location: January 1841, Missouri

Death Date/Location: 21 May 1925, California

Marriage Date/Location: 1867, Unknown

Children –

Name: Minnie Smith Wellke (Farnsworth)

Birth Date/Location: abt. 1868, Kansas

Death Date/Location: Unknown

Name: Rosa Wellke (Daly)

Birth Date/Location: 29 November 1869, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 27 May 1957, Placer County, California

Name: Robert N. Wellke

Birth Date/Location: 21 August 1872, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 26 March 1915, Oklahoma

Name: Anna Mae Wellke (Brackett)

Birth Date/Location: 1876, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 5 July 1953, Colfax County, New Mexico

Name: Lettie Wellke

Birth Date/Location: 1879, Kansas

Death Date/Location: bef 1900

Name: Harriett E. Wellke (Pelle)

Birth Date/Location: May 1881, Kansas

Death Date/Location: Los Angeles County, California

Name: Joseph Albertney Wellke

Birth Date/Location: 27 August 1885, Kansas

Death Date/Location: 17 July 1953, Kansas

Additional Information

Member of Lincoln Post No 1, GAR, Shawnee, Kansas

Enlisted 5 September 1861, mustered out 10 September 1964 at Chattanooga, Tennessee

Eugene Wellke is the brother-in-law of Ferdinand Fensky, a Civil War Veteran also buried in Orange County. Ferdinand's wife, Jeanette is Eugene Wellke's sister.

Photograph of headstone for Eugene E Wellke, 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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