

OCCGS Civil War Veterans Project

Veteran's Information

Veteran's Name: Charles Dorsey ABBOTT

Birth Date: 12 December 1842

Location: Perry, Pike County, Illinois

Death Date: 3 May 1917

Location: Orange County, California

Buried at: Fairhaven Memorial Park

Plot Location: S-11-2*

GPS Coordinates: N33° 46' 14.64485" W117° 50' 30.70500"

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



Side Served - Union

Rank: Corporal

Company: B

Unit: 107th Infantry Regiment

State: Illinois

Occupation: Nurseryman

Family Information

Parents –

Father: James Howe Abbott

Birth Date/Location: 29 January 1799, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania

Death Date/Location: 1 September 1846, Pike County, Illinois

Mother: Mary Jones

Birth Date/Location: May 1806, New York

Death Date/Location: 28 December 1878, Illinois

Spouse: Charlotte A “Lottie” ?

Birth Date / Location: 12 December 1848, Wisconsin

Death Date/Location: 1 June 1948, Orange County, California

Marriage Date / Location: Abt 1870

Children –

Name: Glenna C. Abbott

Birth Date / Location: 12 October 1871, Illinois

Death Date / Location: 27 April 1948, Orange County, California

Name: Mary C. Abbott (Crawford)

Birth Date / Location: Abt 1875, Utah

Death Date / Location: Abt 1900, Colorado

Additional Information

Charles D. Abbott was one of at least six children born to James Abbott and Mary Jones Abbott. By the 1850 census Charles father had passed away. The family living in Pike County, Illinois during the 1850 census consisted of his mother Mary, brothers James H. age 21, John S. age 17, and William age 14 and two sisters Helen E. age 11 and Ada E. age 4. By 1860 the family had relocated to Wapella, DeWitt County, Illinois. Still living with their mother were John S. age 27, William W. age 24, Charles D., age 17, and Ada E. age 14.

Charles enlisted in Co B, 107th Infantry Regiment in 1862 for a period of 3 years. His brother William enlisted in Co F, 41st US Infantry, Illinois in 1861. William Abbott did not survive the war.

Charles and his wife Charlotte (Lottie) are found in the 1880 Census records for Ogden, Weber County, Utah. Living with them are their two daughters Glennie C. age 8 and Mary C. age 5 and Charles's sister Ada E. age 34. Charles lists his occupation as Nurseryman. By the 1900 Census the family has moved to South Littleton, Arapahoe County, Colorado. Their daughter Lenna C (Glennie C) is living with them as is a grandson Charles H. Crawford born Jan 1900 in Colorado. Charles is the son of their daughter Mary C. Charles Abbott lists his occupation as Landlord.

By the 1910 Census the family is still living in Arapahoe County, Colorado. Glenna is still living with them along with two lodgers. The family's earliest appearance in Orange County is in a 1915 Newspaper Article and the 1916 Voter Register for Santa Ana, Orange County, California. Charles passed away in 1917 and is buried at Fairhaven Memorial Park. His wife Lottie and daughter Glenna both passed away in 1948 and are also buried at Fairhaven Memorial Park.

Member of Sedgwick Post 17, GAR, Santa Ana, California
Member of James Adam Dix Post 3, GAR, Ogden, Utah

"Illinois Civil War Muster and Descriptive Rolls"

Charles D. Abbott, Co B, 107th Infantry Regiment
19 at enlistment, 5' 8 ½", Hazel Eyes, Dark Hair, Single, Farmer
Nativity: Pike County, Illinois Residence at enlistment: Clinton, Dewitt County, Illinois
Enlisted: 9 August 1862 at Clinton, Dewitt County, Illinois for a period of 3 years
Muster In: 4 September 1862 at Springfield, Sangamon County, Illinois as a Private
Muster Out: 21 June 1865 at Salisbury, Rowan County, North Carolina as a Corporal

Civil War Pension Index: General Index to Pension Files, 1861-1934

Charles D. Abbott, Invalid, 23 November 1892, Colorado
Lottie A. Abbott, Widow, 31 May 1917 California

California Voter Registrations, 1900-1968

1916 Santa Ana Precinct No. 6

Abbott, Miss Glenna C., Teacher, Santa Ana, 1901 N. Main
Abbott, Charles D., Retired, Santa Ana, 1901 N. Main
Abbott, Mrs. Lottie A., Housewife, Santa Ana, 1901 N. Main

Sources

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- Record for Charles D Abbott

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- Record for Charles D Abbott

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- Record for Lottie A Abbott
- Record for Glenna Abbott

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- Record for Charles Dorsey Abbott

Find A Grave, database and images - <https://www.findagrave.com>

- Memorial 8722192, Created by Shiver, Record for Charles D Abbott
- Memorial 58639059, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Lottie A Abbott
- Memorial 58639056, Created by Tony & Cindy Lloyd, Record for Glenna M Abbott
- Memorial 21282224, Created by Michael Harrington, Record for James Abbott

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Friday, May 4, 1917, Pg 5, Col 7

- Death Notice for Charles D Abbott

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Saturday, February 21, 1942, Pg 7, Col 1

- Worthwhile Club Meeting, attendees Mrs Lottie A Abbott and Glenna Abbott

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Saturday, February 18, 1939, Pg 10, Col 4

- Worthwhile Club Members Discuss Famous Men, Mrs Lottie Abbott gives an account of Lincoln's funeral which she attended as a girl of 12

Santa Ana Register, Santa Ana, California, Thursday, December 15, 1938, Pg 12, Col 2

- Birthday Honors Paid Mrs Abbott on Ninetieth Anniversary

Photograph of headstone for Charles D Abbott, Fairhaven Memorial Park, Orange County, California taken by Charles Lewis Beal, 01/20/2007. Used with the permission of Charles Lewis Beal.